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Good Day,

I am in support of the Donlin Gold Project as it will just increase Alaska's resources and put us at the top of world's mineral producing state.

This project will require 100 permits or more to operate in a safe and environmental manner. It will pay into the state more taxes than all of Alaska is paying now. It shows, at two grams per ton, a fine that will put this project as a leader in gold producing minerals and again put Alaska at the for front of a leader.

It's 27.5 years of mine life will employ 600 - 1200 employees throughout the mine life and make a huge impact on Alaska's economy.

In building the Donlin Gold Mine it will draw on Alaska's labor, supply industry and transportation industry; requiring up to 3,000 jobs just in the construction workforce and more on the other mentioned and not mentioned industries.

A very important aspect of the this project is the plan to use "Clean Energy" to operate the mine. This pipeline will reduce the risk of hazardous spills and other type of impacts. In completing the 315 natural gas pipeline it will again present itself as a leader in the industry in Alaska.

I look forward to the "Record of Decision" of approval to build Donlin Gold Mine in late 2017.

Respectfully,

Karl

Karl I Gohlke