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Environmental Assessment Public Comment Period through February 1, 2013

November 28, 2012

Interested Stakeholders:

Enclosed for your review is an environmental assessment (EA) in which the National Park Service is proposing alternatives for managing wildland fires in Katmai National Park and Preserve and the adjacent Alagnak Wild River corridor. The Katmai Fire Management Plan (FMP) would serve as a detailed and comprehensive program of action to implement fire management policy principles and goals, consistent with the areas' resource management objectives.

The EA was written to analyze impacts of the proposed actions, alternative actions, and a no-action alternative. The comment period for the EA will extend 60 days, beginning December 3, 2012 and ending February 1, 2013.

To comment on the EA, please use the NPS public comment website at http://parkplanning.nps.gov/, or you may send comments to:

Attn: Bud Rice National Park Service 240 W 5th Ave Anchorage, AK 99501-2327

We value your comments and thank you for your interest in Katmai National Park & Preserve.

Sincerely,

Eric R. Veach Superintendent