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Hello again. Brenda Rodgers here. Know you have a big vote coming up in November and thought I would add my thoughts to your decision process.

Not long ago I had cataract surgery. Following it, I was amazed how much clearer things were. My television looked like high definition. My gray hairs had grown in number. There was dust in my house I never saw before. The stars at night were shining more. The license plate in front of me was bold and visible. And yes thank goodness, my husband was as handsome as ever.

In many ways I wish I could bestow upon you a clearer picture of the devastation a Chuitna Coal Mine will bring to the environment and its inhabitants. Having built a cabin at Beluga in 1982, I can testify to the pending danger.....why now we even have the Beluga whales on the endangered species list. How can you even consider a change in Ladd Landing and the surrounding land for the sake of coal profits to the Borough. The eyes you are using must be filmed with greedy dollar signs that obstruct your ability to see.

Please think before you vote and look at the responsibility to the land that is yours through eyes of clear vision.

Thank You,

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