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**Name:** Straussburg, Linda  
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<b>Name:</b>	Mehtlan, Kirk				
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<b>Name:</b>	Nail, Daniel				
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<b>Correspondence ID:</b>	22055	<b>Project:</b>	33043	<b>Document:</b>	43390
<b>Name:</b>	Suckow, Avril				
<b>Outside Organization:</b>	National Parks Conservation Association Unaffiliated Individual				
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<b>Name:</b>	Barker, Leslee				
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<b>Name:</b>	Glass, Sherry				
<b>Outside Organization:</b>	National Parks Conservation Association Unaffiliated Individual				
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<b>Name:</b>	White, Mary				
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<b>Name:</b>	Debaun, Evelyn				
<b>Outside Organization:</b>	National Parks Conservation Association Unaffiliated Individual				
<b>Received:</b>	Nov,12,2011 03:10:43				
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<b>Name:</b>	Pike-Roberts, Karen				
<b>Outside Organization:</b>	National Parks Conservation Association Unaffiliated Individual				
<b>Received:</b>	Nov,12,2011 03:10:56				
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<b>Name:</b>	Daly, Charles				
<b>Outside Organization:</b>	National Parks Conservation Association Unaffiliated Individual				
<b>Received:</b>	Nov,12,2011 03:11:06				
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**Name:** Washburn, Drew  
**Outside Organization:** National Parks Conservation Association Unaffiliated Individual  
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**Name:** Jevne, Lucretia  
**Outside Organization:** National Parks Conservation Association Unaffiliated Individual  
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**Outside Organization:** National Parks Conservation Association Unaffiliated Individual  
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**Name:** Cox, Ryan  
**Outside Organization:** National Parks Conservation Association Unaffiliated Individual  
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**Name:** Underwood, Gerald  
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**Name:** Becker, Jann  
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<b>Name:</b>	Richardson, Leslie				
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<b>Name:</b>	Caudell, Russel				
<b>Outside Organization:</b>	National Parks Conservation Association Unaffiliated Individual				
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<b>Name:</b>	Jewell, Wendy				
<b>Outside Organization:</b>	National Parks Conservation Association Unaffiliated Individual				
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**Name:** D'Andrea, Gloria  
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**Name:** Goldberg, Kristine  
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**Name:** Kent, Vk  
**Outside Organization:** National Parks Conservation Association Unaffiliated Individual  
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<b>Name:</b>	Winemiller, Karen				
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<b>Correspondence ID:</b>	22097	<b>Project:</b>	33043	<b>Document:</b>	43390
<b>Name:</b>	Pfand, Horst				
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**Name:** Lewis, Larry  
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**Name:** Jessepe, Joseph  
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**Name:** Lanskey, Marcus  
**Outside Organization:** National Parks Conservation Association Unaffiliated Individual  
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**Correspondence Type:** Web Form  
**Correspondence:** Point Reyes is a special Pacific coast area that must be protected. So, I urge you to protect Drakes Estero wilderness next year, as long intended. It is in the public interest to create the West Coast's only marine wilderness for the enjoyment of all. The public has waited nearly four decades for these protections to be implemented, which is an immense compromise in itself. Drakes Estero is a rare wildlife refuge where migrating birds stop over, harbor seals give birth, and fish take shelter in eelgrass. As someone who enjoys our nation's national parks and their wildlife, I urge you to uphold the longstanding plan to convert this very special resource to wilderness.

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<b>Name:</b>	Pagnani, John				
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<b>Name:</b>	Merritt, Kathy				
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<b>Outside Organization:</b>	National Parks Conservation Association Unaffiliated Individual				
<b>Received:</b>	Nov,12,2011 03:15:03				
<b>Correspondence Type:</b>	Web Form				
<b>Correspondence:</b>	As a frequent park user, I urge you to protect Drakes Estero wilderness next year, as long intended. It is in the public interest to create the West Coast's only marine wilderness for the enjoyment of all. The public has waited nearly four decades for these protections to be implemented, which is an immense compromise in itself. Drakes Estero is a rare wildlife refuge where migrating birds stop over, harbor seals give birth, and fish take shelter in eelgrass. As someone who enjoys our nation's national parks and their wildlife, I urge you to uphold the longstanding plan to convert this very special resource to wilderness.				

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<b>Correspondence ID:</b>	22110	<b>Project:</b>	33043	<b>Document:</b>	43390
<b>Name:</b>	Brown, Elizabeth				
<b>Outside Organization:</b>	National Parks Conservation Association Unaffiliated Individual				
<b>Received:</b>	Nov,12,2011 03:15:13				
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<b>Name:</b>	Scaglione, Matthew				
<b>Outside Organization:</b>	National Parks Conservation Association Unaffiliated Individual				
<b>Received:</b>	Nov,12,2011 03:15:24				
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<b>Name:</b>	Albers, Patricia				
<b>Outside Organization:</b>	National Parks Conservation Association Unaffiliated Individual				
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<b>Name:</b>	Mccarty, Mary				
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<b>Name:</b>	Maestro, Betsy				
<b>Outside Organization:</b>	National Parks Conservation Association Unaffiliated Individual				
<b>Received:</b>	Nov,12,2011 03:15:29				
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<b>Name:</b>	Morimoto, Dale				
<b>Outside Organization:</b>	National Parks Conservation Association Unaffiliated Individual				
<b>Received:</b>	Nov,12,2011 03:15:34				
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<b>Name:</b>	Reyes Evans, Alma				
<b>Outside Organization:</b>	National Parks Conservation Association Unaffiliated Individual				
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<b>Name:</b>	Albert, Shan				
<b>Outside Organization:</b>	National Parks Conservation Association Unaffiliated Individual				
<b>Received:</b>	Nov,12,2011 03:15:44				
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**Name:** Tilling, Elizabeth  
**Outside Organization:** National Parks Conservation Association Unaffiliated Individual  
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**Name:** Wright, Ann  
**Outside Organization:** National Parks Conservation Association Unaffiliated Individual  
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**Name:** Brown, Warren  
**Outside Organization:** National Parks Conservation Association Unaffiliated Individual  
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<b>Name:</b>	Kay, Daniel R.				
<b>Outside Organization:</b>	National Parks Conservation Association Unaffiliated Individual				
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<b>Name:</b>	Markus, Pat				
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<b>Name:</b>	Stanley, Edh				
<b>Outside Organization:</b>	National Parks Conservation Association Unaffiliated Individual				
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**Name:** Videtich, Barbara  
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**Name:** Ratner, Viktoria  
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**Name:** Bruce, Donald  
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**Name:** Satie, Stephanie  
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<b>Name:</b>	Fleming, Gary				
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<b>Name:</b>	Anderholm, Jon				
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<b>Name:</b>	Rasmussen, Richard				
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<b>Name:</b>	Sercombe, Sarah				
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<b>Name:</b>	Palmer, Marilyn				
<b>Outside Organization:</b>	National Parks Conservation Association Unaffiliated Individual				
<b>Received:</b>	Nov,12,2011 03:18:11				
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<b>Name:</b>	Berke-Jenkins, Lale				
<b>Outside Organization:</b>	National Parks Conservation Association Unaffiliated Individual				
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<b>Name:</b>	Jeckell, Joyce				
<b>Outside Organization:</b>	National Parks Conservation Association Unaffiliated Individual				
<b>Received:</b>	Nov,12,2011 03:18:21				
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<b>Name:</b>	Myers, Robert				
<b>Outside Organization:</b>	National Parks Conservation Association Unaffiliated Individual				
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<b>Name:</b>	Cornforth, Linda				
<b>Outside Organization:</b>	National Parks Conservation Association Unaffiliated Individual				
<b>Received:</b>	Nov,12,2011 03:18:28				
<b>Correspondence Type:</b>	Web Form				
<b>Correspondence:</b>	Please do all you can to save our wild places for future generations to use and cherish. I urge you to protect Drakes Estero wilderness next year, as long intended. It is in the public interest to create the West Coast's only marine wilderness for the enjoyment of all. The public has waited nearly four decades for these protections to be implemented, which is an immense compromise in itself. Drakes Estero is a rare wildlife refuge where migrating birds stop over, harbor seals give birth, and fish take shelter in eelgrass. As someone who enjoys our nation's national parks and their wildlife, I urge you to uphold the longstanding plan to convert this very special resource to wilderness.				

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<b>Name:</b>	Dingman, Amy				
<b>Outside Organization:</b>	National Parks Conservation Association Unaffiliated Individual				
<b>Received:</b>	Nov,12,2011 03:18:38				
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**Name:** Salmon, Linda  
**Outside Organization:** National Parks Conservation Association Unaffiliated Individual  
**Received:** Nov,12,2011 00:00:00  
**Correspondence Type:** Web Form  
**Correspondence:** Although I support the Drakes Estero wilderness plan, I'm not at all happy with the so-called maintenance and restoration over the last 40 years -- I think the folks managing it have not done a good job and I do not blame it on the local oyster harvesting. While it is in the public interest to create this West Coast marine wilderness for the enjoyment of all, as a Bay Area native, I do believe that we should find a way to make it work for everyone, and that includes those of us who enjoy the oysters -- always a favorite part of my visit to Pt. Reyes... It's not fair for the NPS to continue to hold the full implementation of wilderness protections hostage, as they have for nearly four decades. They happily gut the endangered species act with their Habitat Conservation Plans, but have no ability to incorporate a long time existing and fairly harmonious "commercial" use, the revenue of which could be used to fund restoration and preservation projects? Drakes Estero is a rare wildlife refuge where migrating birds stop over, harbor seals give birth, and fish take shelter in eelgrass. As someone who enjoys our nation's national parks and their wildlife, I urge you to uphold the longstanding plan to convert this very special resource to wilderness while maintaining our local oyster farms under the strictest regulations to continue to conserve the habitat.

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**Name:** Youngkin, P  
**Outside Organization:** National Parks Conservation Association Unaffiliated Individual  
**Received:** Nov,12,2011 03:18:44  
**Correspondence Type:** Web Form  
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**Name:** Franck, Matthew  
**Outside Organization:** National Parks Conservation Association Unaffiliated Individual  
**Received:** Nov,12,2011 03:18:55  
**Correspondence Type:** Web Form  
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<b>Name:</b>	Bark, Jane				
<b>Outside Organization:</b>	National Parks Conservation Association Unaffiliated Individual				
<b>Received:</b>	Nov,12,2011 03:18:59				
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<b>Name:</b>	Pena, Michael				
<b>Outside Organization:</b>	National Parks Conservation Association Unaffiliated Individual				
<b>Received:</b>	Nov,12,2011 00:00:00				
<b>Correspondence Type:</b>	Web Form				
<b>Correspondence:</b>	As a former resident of Sonoma County and having spent much time in Point Reyes, I urge you to protect Drakes Estero wilderness next year, as long intended. It is in the public interest to create the West Coast's only marine wilderness for the enjoyment of all. The public has waited nearly four decades for these protections to be implemented, which is an immense compromise in itself. Drakes Estero is a beautiful and rare wildlife refuge where migrating birds stop over, harbor seals give birth, and fish take shelter in eelgrass. I understand- and agree with- the need for commercial use of some of our natural resources. In this case however, the original negotiations for use were met and it is now time for the long term preservation of Drakes Estero.				

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<b>Name:</b>	Shulman, Rose				
<b>Outside Organization:</b>	National Parks Conservation Association Unaffiliated Individual				
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<b>Name:</b>	Polsgrove, Leigh				
<b>Outside Organization:</b>	National Parks Conservation Association Unaffiliated Individual				
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<b>Name:</b>	Hatleberg, Earl				
<b>Outside Organization:</b>	National Parks Conservation Association Unaffiliated Individual				
<b>Received:</b>	Nov,12,2011 03:19:45				
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<b>Name:</b>	Leffler, Scott				
<b>Outside Organization:</b>	National Parks Conservation Association Unaffiliated Individual				
<b>Received:</b>	Nov,12,2011 03:19:50				
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<b>Name:</b>	Molina, Norma				
<b>Outside Organization:</b>	National Parks Conservation Association Unaffiliated Individual				
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<b>Name:</b>	Adams, Barbara				
<b>Outside Organization:</b>	National Parks Conservation Association Unaffiliated Individual				
<b>Received:</b>	Nov,12,2011 03:20:01				
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<b>Name:</b>	Cardone, Bethany				
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<b>Name:</b>	Cheers, Mary				
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<b>Name:</b>	C, Anders				
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<b>Name:</b>	Davis, Donald				
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<b>Name:</b>	Burnett, Deborah				
<b>Outside Organization:</b>	National Parks Conservation Association Unaffiliated Individual				
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<b>Name:</b>	Mindar, Richard				
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<b>Name:</b>	Kushner, Carol				
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<b>Name:</b>	Bloom, Diane				
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**Name:** Knapp, William  
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**Name:** Mcconkey, Kimberly  
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**Name:** Eckstrand, Tatyana  
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**Name:** Keenan, Thomas  
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**Correspondence:** One only has to spend a short amount of time in this area to realize what a magnificent treasure and astoundingly beautiful place

it is. Not only have we visited, but we have family living no too far away who always take visitors (including us), to this area and other nearby special places. The planet is running out of options for preservation and escape, and therefore it makes it all the more imperative that jewels like this are faithfully protected and coveted by those who are responsible for their continued existence and care. Therefore I urge you to protect Drakes Estero wilderness next year, as long intended. It is in the public interest to create the West Coast's only marine wilderness for the enjoyment of all. The public has waited nearly four decades for these protections to be implemented, which is an immense compromise in itself. Drakes Estero is a rare wildlife refuge where migrating birds stop over, harbor seals give birth, and fish take shelter in eelgrass. As someone who enjoys our nation's national parks and their wildlife, I urge you to uphold the longstanding plan to convert this very special resource to wilderness.

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**Outside Organization:** National Parks Conservation Association Unaffiliated Individual  
**Received:** Nov,12,2011 03:25:36  
**Correspondence Type:** Web Form  
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**Name:** Christensen, Gebhardo  
**Outside Organization:** NRDC Unaffiliated Individual  
**Received:** Nov,12,2011 03:55:48  
**Correspondence Type:** Web Form  
**Correspondence:** Drakes Estero is a national ecological treasure and should become a protected wilderness area. It has outstanding natural resources, including one of California's largest harbor seal colonies and tens of thousands of shorebirds, waterfowl, native fish and endangered species that use its wetlands, mudflats and eelgrass beds.

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<b>Name:</b>	Vagher, Carolyn				
<b>Outside Organization:</b>	NRDC Unaffiliated Individual				
<b>Received:</b>	Nov,12,2011 03:56:27				
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<b>Name:</b>	Peter, Jonathan				
<b>Outside Organization:</b>	NRDC Unaffiliated Individual				
<b>Received:</b>	Nov,12,2011 04:24:46				
<b>Correspondence Type:</b>	Web Form				
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<b>Name:</b>	Colebank, Darryl				
<b>Outside Organization:</b>	NRDC Unaffiliated Individual				
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<b>Name:</b>	Rau, Ron				
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<b>Name:</b>	Garrison, Melissa				
<b>Outside Organization:</b>	National Parks Conservation Association Unaffiliated Individual				
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<b>Name:</b>	Lai, Carla				
<b>Outside Organization:</b>	National Parks Conservation Association Unaffiliated Individual				
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<b>Name:</b>	Schefter, Ken				
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<b>Name:</b>	Patton, Carol				
<b>Outside Organization:</b>	National Parks Conservation Association Unaffiliated Individual				
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<b>Name:</b>	Donohue, Sharon				
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<b>Name:</b>	Hartman, Lynn				
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<b>Name:</b>	Scheer, August				
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<b>Name:</b>	Gibson, Maureen				
<b>Outside Organization:</b>	National Parks Conservation Association Unaffiliated Individual				
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<b>Name:</b>	Lewis, Tina				
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I live on Buzzards Bay, Cape Cod, MA. We have oyster cultivation. It is discrete and doing well. I am sure that there are other areas to open up to oyster management other than within a beautiful and unique part of our national ecology heritage. Now is the opportunity to look forward for the nation and to if necessary help this oyster group find alternative areas for their livelihood. The big picture is essential.

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<b>Name:</b>	Shaw, Marilyn				
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<b>Name:</b>	Mauney, Harry Ford				
<b>Outside Organization:</b>	National Parks Conservation Association Unaffiliated Individual				
<b>Received:</b>	Nov,12,2011 04:31:49				
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<b>Name:</b>	Roldan, Kalyani				
<b>Outside Organization:</b>	National Parks Conservation Association Unaffiliated Individual				
<b>Received:</b>	Nov,12,2011 00:00:00				
<b>Correspondence Type:</b>	Web Form				
<b>Correspondence:</b>	Our country has long operated on the premise that money is more important than the value of our natural resources and how they are humanity's guide for living. We are greatly paying the price for these mixed values and unconscious choices. The world is calling for us to make changes now.				

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<b>Name:</b>	Lebow, Jeanne				
<b>Outside Organization:</b>	National Parks Conservation Association Unaffiliated Individual				
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<b>Name:</b>	Leclair, Margaret				
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**Name:** Morris, Ray  
**Outside Organization:** National Parks Conservation Association Unaffiliated Individual  
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**Name:** Giese, Robert  
**Outside Organization:** National Parks Conservation Association Unaffiliated Individual  
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**Name:** Hunter, John  
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<b>Name:</b>	Marshall, Sally				
<b>Outside Organization:</b>	National Parks Conservation Association Unaffiliated Individual				
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<b>Name:</b>	Whetstine, Linda				
<b>Outside Organization:</b>	National Parks Conservation Association Unaffiliated Individual				
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<b>Name:</b>	Henry, Lillian				
<b>Outside Organization:</b>	National Parks Conservation Association Unaffiliated Individual				
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**Name:** Madson, Erin  
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**Name:** Conley, Kathleen  
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**Name:** Cox, Christy  
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**Name:** Adams, Virginia  
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**Name:** Bussell, Barbara  
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**Name:** Sage, Melissa  
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<b>Name:</b>	Grobman, Bruce				
<b>Outside Organization:</b>	National Parks Conservation Association Unaffiliated Individual				
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**Name:** Corrales, Ricardo  
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<b>Name:</b>	Jakopak, Peggy				
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<b>Name:</b>	Brunell, Wendy				
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**Name:** Zimmerman, Richard  
**Outside Organization:** National Parks Conservation Association Unaffiliated Individual  
**Received:** Nov,12,2011 00:00:00  
**Correspondence Type:** Web Form  
**Correspondence:** I've spent many hours at the Point Reyes National Seashore. Drakes Estero is a precious resource, central to the Seashore. It would be a tragedy to allow it to become a commercial resource. I urge you to protect Drakes Estero wilderness next year, as long intended. This is the West Coast's only marine wilderness and it's very much in the public interest to preserve and protect it for the enjoyment of all. The Estero is a rare wildlife refuge where migrating birds stop over, harbor seals give birth, and fish take shelter in eelgrass. As someone who enjoys our nation's national parks and their wildlife, I urge you to uphold the longstanding plan to convert this very special resource to wilderness.

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**Name:** Barron, Ellen  
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**Name:** Peavy, Jerry  
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<b>Name:</b>	Nguyen, Emily				
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<b>Name:</b>	Iacovitti, Rosalinda				
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<b>Name:</b>	Salamon, Mark				
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<b>Name:</b>	Elson, Maya				
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<b>Name:</b>	Davis, Lete				
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<b>Name:</b>	MARTINELL, HOLLY				
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<b>Name:</b>	Hirsch, Daryl				
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<b>Name:</b>	Balboa, Alex				
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<b>Name:</b>	Wald, Gilbert				
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**Name:** Hilton Kenneally, Sue  
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**Correspondence ID:** 22400    **Project:** 33043    **Document:** 43390  
**Name:** Danford, Jeannie  
**Outside Organization:** National Parks Conservation Association Unaffiliated Individual  
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<b>Name:</b>	Kestler, Ronald				
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<b>Name:</b>	Vacin, Ruth				
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<b>Name:</b>	Pather, Ragubathe				
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<b>Name:</b>	Vollmer, Alexander				
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<b>Received:</b>	Nov,12,2011 04:43:01				
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<b>Correspondence:</b>	As a frequent visitor to the Point Reyes peneinsula, I urge you to protect Drakes Estero wilderness next year, as long intended. It is in the public interest to create the West Coast's only marine wilderness for the enjoyment of all. The public has waited nearly four decades for these protections to be implemented, which is an immense compromise in itself. Drakes Estero is a rare wildlife refuge where migrating birds stop over, harbor seals give birth, and fish take shelter in eelgrass. As someone who enjoys our nation's national parks and their wildlife, I urge you to uphold the longstanding plan to convert this very special resource to wilderness.				

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<b>Name:</b>	Miller, Carole				
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<b>Name:</b>	Dodson, Thomas				
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<b>Name:</b>	Abrahamson, Sasha				
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<b>Name:</b>	Shields, Sundae				
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<b>Name:</b>	Anderson, Steven				
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<b>Name:</b>	Hale, Angela				
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**Name:** Settlemyre, Kevin  
**Outside Organization:** NRDC Unaffiliated Individual  
**Received:** Nov,12,2011 04:55:27  
**Correspondence Type:** Web Form  
**Correspondence:** Drakes Estero is a national ecological treasure and should become a protected wilderness area. It has outstanding natural resources, including one of California's largest harbor seal colonies and tens of thousands of shorebirds, waterfowl, native fish and endangered species that use its wetlands, mudflats and eelgrass beds.

In the 1976 Point Reyes Wilderness Act, Congress recognized Drakes Estero as a unique recreational and biological resource and promised that this irreplaceable resource would formally become a wilderness area when non-conforming uses were eliminated. Your agency permitted a commercial oyster company to grow non-native oysters and clams on 1,050 acres in Drakes Estero for 40 years, or until 2012.

Your own draft environmental impact statement reveals the extensive damage that the existing operation has caused to Drakes Estero and Point Reyes National Seashore's beaches. As you know, commercial operations of any kind are not permitted in designated wilderness areas because of such damage. Further, the Park Service's Organic Act mandates protection of park resources and values and strictly limits commercial operations.

Your approval of the proposal to extend the oyster company's permit would be contrary to the Point Reyes Wilderness Act and would establish a dangerous precedent at a time when America's public lands and environmental laws are already under widespread attacks in Congress and elsewhere.

We've been waiting long enough. It is time to allow that permit to expire and to honor Congress' commitment. We want our bay back.

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**Correspondence ID:** 22418    **Project:** 33043    **Document:** 43390  
**Name:** Braun, Beth  
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**Name:** Fournier, Elaine  
**Outside Organization:** National Parks Conservation Association Unaffiliated Individual  
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**Name:** Walczak, Colette  
**Outside Organization:** National Parks Conservation Association Unaffiliated Individual  
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**Name:** Whittier, Duane  
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**Name:** Chi, Frank  
**Outside Organization:** National Parks Conservation Association Unaffiliated Individual  
**Received:** Nov,12,2011 05:02:15  
**Correspondence Type:** Web Form  
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<b>Name:</b>	O'Connell, Ann				
<b>Outside Organization:</b>	National Parks Conservation Association Unaffiliated Individual				
<b>Received:</b>	Nov,12,2011 00:00:00				
<b>Correspondence Type:</b>	Web Form				
<b>Correspondence:</b>	Please, keep the purity of Drakes Estero. We commercialise so many precious natural resources and this is so important to the health of the coast. I urge you to protect Drakes Estero wilderness next year, as long intended. It is in the public interest to create the West Coast's only marine wilderness for the enjoyment of all. The public has waited nearly four decades for these protections to be implemented, which is an immense compromise in itself. Drakes Estero is a rare wildlife refuge where migrating birds stop over, harbor seals give birth, and fish take shelter in eelgrass. As someone who enjoys our nation's national parks and their wildlife, I urge you to uphold the longstanding plan to convert this very special resource to wilderness.				

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<b>Name:</b>	Nafziger, Nikki				
<b>Outside Organization:</b>	National Parks Conservation Association Unaffiliated Individual				
<b>Received:</b>	Nov,12,2011 05:02:33				
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<b>Name:</b>	Pitt, Terry				
<b>Outside Organization:</b>	National Parks Conservation Association Unaffiliated Individual				
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<b>Name:</b>	Strickland, Tracy				
<b>Outside Organization:</b>	National Parks Conservation Association Unaffiliated Individual				
<b>Received:</b>	Nov,12,2011 05:02:54				
<b>Correspondence Type:</b>	Web Form				
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<b>Name:</b>	Maley, Sherri				
<b>Outside Organization:</b>	National Parks Conservation Association Unaffiliated Individual				
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<b>Name:</b>	Wilson, Angela				
<b>Outside Organization:</b>	National Parks Conservation Association Unaffiliated Individual				
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<b>Name:</b>	Fogel, Nancy				
<b>Outside Organization:</b>	National Parks Conservation Association Unaffiliated Individual				
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This should not even be up for discussion. Never let private companies take over any public lands. These lands have been set aside the thrive ecologically on their own. Letting this private oyster company continue their harvesting would ultimately tip the balance of this fragile ecosystem leading to its ultimate demise.

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<b>Name:</b>	Baker, Pat				
<b>Outside Organization:</b>	National Parks Conservation Association Unaffiliated Individual				
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<b>Name:</b>	Hayslip, Margaret				
<b>Outside Organization:</b>	National Parks Conservation Association Unaffiliated Individual				
<b>Received:</b>	Nov,12,2011 05:03:02				
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<b>Name:</b>	Hitt, Teri				
<b>Outside Organization:</b>	National Parks Conservation Association Unaffiliated Individual				
<b>Received:</b>	Nov,12,2011 05:03:03				
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This is your duty to protect these lands. Please do it. Thank you.

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<b>Name:</b>	Carr, M.D., Donna				
<b>Outside Organization:</b>	National Parks Conservation Association Unaffiliated Individual				
<b>Received:</b>	Nov,12,2011 05:03:10				
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<b>Name:</b>	Roberts, Jeannie				
<b>Outside Organization:</b>	National Parks Conservation Association Unaffiliated Individual				
<b>Received:</b>	Nov,12,2011 05:03:10				
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<b>Name:</b>	Fonseca, Vincent				
<b>Outside Organization:</b>	National Parks Conservation Association Unaffiliated Individual				
<b>Received:</b>	Nov,12,2011 05:03:16				
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<b>Name:</b>	Lovelace, Ralph				
<b>Outside Organization:</b>	Sierra Club Unaffiliated Individual				
<b>Received:</b>	Nov,12,2011 05:21:26				
<b>Correspondence Type:</b>	Web Form				
<b>Correspondence:</b>	I am writing to urge the National Park Service to protect Drakes Estero wilderness next year as long-intended. The American public deserves to have the West Coast's only marine wilderness protected for future generations to enjoy. Drakes Estero is a rare wildlife refuge where migrating birds stop over, harbor seals give birth, and fish spawn. It deserves the highest level of protection as Congress long-intended. As someone who enjoys our nation's spectacular national parks, I urge you to not undermine protections at Drakes Estero and succumb to special interests seeking to commercialize these special places.				

I urge the National Park Service and the Department of the Interior to select alternative "A", which protects marine wilderness and is the environmentally preferred alternative. The NPS is mandated to provide maximum protection to the natural resources, as stated in the Seashore's legislation, and selecting this alternative is the most consistent with the laws and policies affecting this park. Our national parks are for the people and wildlife protection, not commercial exploitation. The environmental review shows that alternative "A" best protects harbor seals, fish, birds and other wildlife and plants. Drakes Estero is our only marine wilderness on the West Coast, and it is irreplaceable, while oysters can be grown elsewhere.

National Parks and wilderness areas are treasured by the majority of Americans and are for the public interest, not for private commercial exploitation. By protecting wilderness, the National Park Service will set a positive policy example while commercializing it will set a negative example and help others seek their special exemptions from national park laws.

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<b>Correspondence ID:</b>	22455	<b>Project:</b>	33043	<b>Document:</b>	43390
<b>Name:</b>	Mahrley, Jacqueline				
<b>Outside Organization:</b>	Sierra Club Unaffiliated Individual				
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<b>Name:</b>	Cervinka, Vashek				
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<b>Name:</b>	Ware, Christopher				
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<b>Name:</b>	Strege, Frances				
<b>Outside Organization:</b>	NRDC Unaffiliated Individual				
<b>Received:</b>	Nov,12,2011 05:25:06				
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<b>Name:</b>	Christl, Laura				
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**Name:** Weisinger, Isabel  
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**Name:** Harris, Barry  
**Outside Organization:** National Parks Conservation Association Unaffiliated Individual  
**Received:** Nov,12,2011 00:00:00  
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**Correspondence:**

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**Name:** Kemple, Jason  
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<b>Name:</b>	Pedroncelli, Larisa				
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<b>Name:</b>	Chan, Sonja				
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<b>Name:</b>	Morgan, Tracy				
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<b>Name:</b>	Meyer, Caitlin				
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<b>Name:</b>	Shroyer, Bronwyn				
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<b>Name:</b>	Clair, Derlin Gerard				
<b>Outside Organization:</b>	National Parks Conservation Association Unaffiliated Individual				
<b>Received:</b>	Nov,12,2011 00:00:00				
<b>Correspondence Type:</b>	Web Form				
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<b>Name:</b>	Russell, Linda				
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<b>Name:</b>	Gray, Michelle				
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<b>Name:</b>	Stefanko, Darlynnne				
<b>Outside Organization:</b>	National Parks Conservation Association Unaffiliated Individual				
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<b>Name:</b>	Smucker, Anna				
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**Name:** Holsinger, Martin  
**Outside Organization:** National Parks Conservation Association Unaffiliated Individual  
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**Correspondence:** As someone who spent some of the best hours of his life at Point Reyes when I lived in California, I urge you to protect Drakes Estero wilderness next year, as long intended. It is in the public interest to create the West Coast's only marine wilderness for the enjoyment of all. The public has waited nearly four decades for these protections to be implemented, which is an immense compromise in itself. Drakes Estero is a rare wildlife refuge where migrating birds stop over, harbor seals give birth, and fish take shelter in eelgrass. As someone who enjoys our nation's national parks and their wildlife, I urge you to uphold the longstanding plan to convert this very special resource to wilderness.

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<b>Name:</b>	Tetenbaum, Larry				
<b>Outside Organization:</b>	National Parks Conservation Association Unaffiliated Individual				
<b>Received:</b>	Nov,12,2011 05:50:42				
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<b>Name:</b>	Bryceland, Suzan				
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<b>Name:</b>	Miller-Davidson, Molly				
<b>Outside Organization:</b>	National Parks Conservation Association Unaffiliated Individual				
<b>Received:</b>	Nov,12,2011 05:50:50				
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<b>Correspondence:</b>	This is a "no-brainer":				

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<b>Name:</b>	Burres, Kenneth				
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<b>Name:</b>	Hardin, Lillian M.				
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<b>Name:</b>	Round, Pauline				
<b>Outside Organization:</b>	National Parks Conservation Association Unaffiliated Individual				
<b>Received:</b>	Nov,12,2011 05:51:15				
<b>Correspondence Type:</b>	Web Form				
<b>Correspondence:</b>	We can live without oysters in our diet, but not without habitat for our natural wildlife.				

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<b>Name:</b>	Graham, Guy				
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<b>Name:</b>	Godsey, Ruth				
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<b>Name:</b>	Christianson, Patricia				
<b>Outside Organization:</b>	National Parks Conservation Association Unaffiliated Individual				
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<b>Name:</b>	Sychra, Marilyn				
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**Name:** Watkins, Jim  
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**Name:** Slack, Debbie  
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<b>Name:</b>	Smart, Bobbi-Lee				
<b>Outside Organization:</b>	National Parks Conservation Association Unaffiliated Individual				
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<b>Name:</b>	Couvrette, Sharon				
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<b>Name:</b>	Barton, Marjorie L				
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<b>Name:</b>	Davenport, Chris				
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<b>Name:</b>	Fudacz, Ruthann				
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<b>Name:</b>	Paschke, Vera				
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<b>Name:</b>	Ananthakrishnan, Revathi				
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<b>Name:</b>	Hamilton, Frederick				
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**Outside Organization:** NRDC Unaffiliated Individual  
**Received:** Nov,12,2011 05:58:59  
**Correspondence Type:** Web Form  
**Correspondence:** Drakes Estero is a national ecological treasure and should become a protected wilderness area. It has outstanding natural resources, including one of California's largest harbor seal colonies and tens of thousands of shorebirds, waterfowl, native fish and endangered species that use its wetlands, mudflats and eelgrass beds.

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<b>Name:</b>	Inge, Diann Byrd				
<b>Outside Organization:</b>	National Parks Conservation Association Unaffiliated Individual				
<b>Received:</b>	Nov,12,2011 00:00:00				
<b>Correspondence Type:</b>	Web Form				
<b>Correspondence:</b>	<p>Please protect the Drakes Estuary. I used to live in that are of CA and it was always a pleasure to go to Pt Reyes.It would be a crime to let it be exploited for commercial purposes.</p> <p>I urge you to select alternative "A", which protects marine wilderness next year and is the Environmentally Preferred Alternative. The National Park Service is mandated to provide maximum protection to the natural resources at Drakes Estero and selecting this alternative is the most consistent with the laws and policies affecting this park. Our national parks are set aside for the public and for wildlife protection, and after waiting nearly 40 years for private commercial use rights to expire, it's time to give the estuary the protection it needs. The environmental review shows that alternative "A" is best for public policy, and best protects harbor seals, fish, birds and other natural resources. Drakes Estero is our only marine wilderness on the West Coast, and is irreplaceable, while oysters can be commercially grown elsewhere.</p> <p>Please honor the promise made for a protected marine wilderness at Drakes Estero. In doing so, you will set a good policy example and reward the public with an enduring legacy feat found nowhere else on the West Coast.</p>				
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<b>Name:</b>	Bahn, Ted				
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<b>Name:</b>	Ruthroff, Katharine				
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<b>Name:</b>	Abraham, Jane				
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<b>Name:</b>	Purdy, Patrick				
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<b>Name:</b>	Miller, Howard				
<b>Outside Organization:</b>	National Parks Conservation Association Unaffiliated Individual				
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**Name:** Blunk, Ellen  
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<b>Name:</b>	Thorpe, Bill				
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<b>Name:</b>	Spain, Steve				
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<b>Name:</b>	Dean, Cindi				
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<b>Name:</b>	Sklar, Michael				
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<b>Name:</b>	Fleming, Eleanor				
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**Name:** Elliott, Judith  
**Outside Organization:** National Parks Conservation Association Unaffiliated Individual  
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**Correspondence Type:** Web Form  
**Correspondence:** Several years ago my late husband and I had visited the Point Reyes area, and found it to be absolutely beautiful.

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<b>Name:</b>	Lozada, Sergio				
<b>Outside Organization:</b>	National Parks Conservation Association Unaffiliated Individual				
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<b>Name:</b>	Von Uht, Kenneth				
<b>Outside Organization:</b>	National Parks Conservation Association Unaffiliated Individual				
<b>Received:</b>	Nov,12,2011 06:05:49				
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<b>Name:</b>	Reynolds, Thomas				
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**Name:** Edelen, Byron  
**Outside Organization:** National Parks Conservation Association Unaffiliated Individual  
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**Name:** Adsit, Roy  
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**Name:** lawry, james  
**Outside Organization:** National Parks Conservation Association Unaffiliated Individual  
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**Correspondence Type:** Web Form  
**Correspondence:** I urge you to protect Drakes Estero wilderness next year, as intended by law. It is in everyone's interest to create and maintain the West Coast's only marine wilderness as a preserve. We need very strict limitations of use implemented because any commercial activity in any one park is a legal foot in the door and can be easily cookiecuttered to others. . Drakes Estero is a rare wildlife refuge where migrating birds stop over, harbor seals give birth, and fish shelter in eel grass. You should uphold the longstanding plan to convert this very special estuary to wilderness and keep commercial operations from wilderness areas.

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**Name:** Krause, Doug  
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**Outside Organization:** National Parks Conservation Association Unaffiliated Individual  
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**Name:** Monroe, Dana  
**Outside Organization:** National Parks Conservation Association Unaffiliated Individual  
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**Name:** Adler, Ingrid  
**Outside Organization:** National Parks Conservation Association Unaffiliated Individual  
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One oyster company, whose permit is due to expire in 2012, is a wedge to minimize this area as a refuge. Please support wildlife and our place within it by keeping this place as the only marine wilderness on the West coast. Let the oyster company's licensing expire. Men can find alternative oyster farming beds, if that is their desire. Wildlife, on the other hand, does not have this evolutionary flex. Let us enjoy the refuge and protect its life forms.

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**Name:** Kravis, Eugene  
**Outside Organization:** National Parks Conservation Association Unaffiliated Individual  
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**Name:** Rosen, Andrea  
**Outside Organization:** National Parks Conservation Association Unaffiliated Individual  
**Received:** Nov,12,2011 00:00:00  
**Correspondence Type:** Web Form  
**Correspondence:** I still treasure the visit I made to Point Reyes from what was then my home in NYC back in 1976; the spectacular beauty of that place is seared into my mind's eye forever. I can't imagine why there can be any justification for despoiling it for visitors such as myself or the creatures who make their home there.

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<b>Name:</b>	Hamel, Lisa				
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<b>Name:</b>	Mulligan, Joan				
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<b>Name:</b>	Coy, Buzz				
<b>Outside Organization:</b>	National Parks Conservation Association Unaffiliated Individual				
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**Name:** Seeley, Marsha  
**Outside Organization:** National Parks Conservation Association Unaffiliated Individual  
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**Outside Organization:** National Parks Conservation Association Unaffiliated Individual  
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**Correspondence ID:** 22658      **Project:** 33043      **Document:** 43390  
**Name:** Lindhard, Lori  
**Outside Organization:** National Parks Conservation Association Unaffiliated Individual  
**Received:** Nov,12,2011 06:07:47  
**Correspondence Type:** Web Form  
**Correspondence:** At this critical time when the assault on public resources threatens our democracy, I urge you to protect Drakes Estero wilderness next year, as long intended. It is in the public interest to create the West Coast's only marine wilderness for the enjoyment and of all. The public has waited nearly four decades for these protections to be implemented, which is an immense compromise in itself. Drakes Estero is a rare wildlife refuge where migrating birds stop over, harbor seals give birth, and fish take shelter in eelgrass. As someone who enjoys our nation's national parks and their wildlife, I urge you to uphold the longstanding plan to convert this very special resource to wilderness.

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**Name:** Arnett, Catherine  
**Outside Organization:** National Parks Conservation Association Unaffiliated Individual  
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**Outside Organization:** National Parks Conservation Association Unaffiliated Individual  
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<b>Name:</b>	Collon, Lisa				
<b>Outside Organization:</b>	National Parks Conservation Association Unaffiliated Individual				
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<b>Name:</b>	Respass, Jen				
<b>Outside Organization:</b>	National Parks Conservation Association Unaffiliated Individual				
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<b>Correspondence ID:</b>	22663	<b>Project:</b>	33043	<b>Document:</b>	43390
<b>Name:</b>	Ormiston, Carole				
<b>Outside Organization:</b>	National Parks Conservation Association Unaffiliated Individual				
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**Name:** Mylius, Jerry  
**Outside Organization:** National Parks Conservation Association Unaffiliated Individual  
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**Name:** Shermock, Margaret  
**Outside Organization:** National Parks Conservation Association Unaffiliated Individual  
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**Correspondence ID:** 22666      **Project:** 33043      **Document:** 43390  
**Name:** Slavin, Peter  
**Outside Organization:** National Parks Conservation Association Unaffiliated Individual  
**Received:** Nov,12,2011 00:00:00  
**Correspondence Type:** Web Form  
**Correspondence:** Years ago I was lucky enough to visit the Point Reyes National Seashore, the only maine wilderness on the West Coast. I urge you to protect Drakes Estero wilderness next year, as long intended. It is in the public interest to create the West Coast's only marine wilderness for the enjoyment of all. The public has waited nearly four decades for these protections to be implemented, which is an immense compromise in itself. Drakes Estero is a rare wildlife refuge where migrating birds stop over, harbor seals give birth, and fish take shelter in eelgrass. As someone who enjoys our nation's national parks and their wildlife, I urge you to uphold the longstanding plan to convert this very special resource to wilderness.

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**Correspondence ID:** 22667      **Project:** 33043      **Document:** 43390  
**Name:** Hoerlein, Robert  
**Outside Organization:** National Parks Conservation Association Unaffiliated Individual



**Received:** Nov,12,2011 06:09:10  
**Correspondence Type:** Web Form  
**Correspondence:** I urge you to protect Drakes Estero wilderness next year, as long intended. I spent a lot of time there years ago, and of all places on the CA coast, this should get full wilderness protection.

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**Name:** Bone, Patrick  
**Outside Organization:** National Parks Conservation Association Unaffiliated Individual  
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**Name:** Tank, Susan  
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**Name:** McGreal, Patrick  
**Outside Organization:** National Parks Conservation Association Unaffiliated Individual  
**Received:** Nov,12,2011 00:00:00  
**Correspondence Type:** Web Form  
**Correspondence:** I have been in love with Tomales Bay, Point Reyes, and the Drakes Estero wilderness since the mid 1970's. I wish to add my voice to those who believe that it is in the public interest to create the West Coast's only marine wilderness for the enjoyment of all. I have waited as long as I have been familiar with the area for protections to be implemented to protect this unique part of

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<b>Name:</b>	Morgan, Wm				
<b>Outside Organization:</b>	National Parks Conservation Association Unaffiliated Individual				
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<b>Name:</b>	Mitchell, Michelle				
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<b>Name:</b>	Wang, Hope				
<b>Outside Organization:</b>	National Parks Conservation Association Unaffiliated Individual				
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<b>Name:</b>	Morley, Julaine				
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<b>Name:</b>	Adler, Betsy				
<b>Outside Organization:</b>	National Parks Conservation Association Unaffiliated Individual				
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<b>Name:</b>	Ellis, Valerie				
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**Name:** Simatupang, Maureen  
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<b>Name:</b>	Clayton, Deborah				
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<b>Name:</b>	Howes, Abigail				
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<b>Name:</b>	Levine, Sandy				
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<b>Name:</b>	Hendershot, Scott				
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<b>Name:</b>	Janow, Susan				
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<b>Name:</b>	Rhea, Lydia				
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<b>Name:</b>	Ray, Kristy				
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<b>Name:</b>	Nemecz, Attila				
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<b>Name:</b>	Leone, John Anthony				
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**Name:** Phelps, Harriette  
**Outside Organization:** National Parks Conservation Association Unaffiliated Individual  
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**Correspondence Type:** Web Form  
**Correspondence:** As a marine biologist and an oyster lover I urge you to protect Drakes Estero wilderness next year, as long intended. It is in the public interest to create the West Coast's only marine wilderness for the enjoyment of all. The public has waited nearly four decades for these protections to be implemented, which is an immense compromise in itself. Drakes Estero is a rare wildlife refuge where migrating birds stop over, harbor seals give birth, and fish take shelter in eelgrass. As someone who enjoys our nation's national parks and their wildlife, I urge you to uphold the longstanding plan to convert this very special resource to wilderness.

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**Name:** Weiler, Peter  
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**Name:** Newton, Carole  
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**Name:** Cawthon, Liz  
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**Name:** Widowski, Doug  
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<b>Name:</b>	Leone, John Anthony				
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<b>Name:</b>	Hufnagel, Glenn				
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<b>Name:</b>	Karpel, Yevett				
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<b>Name:</b>	Robinson, Marcia				
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<b>Name:</b>	Kerber, Craig				
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<b>Name:</b>	Searing, Ann				
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<b>Name:</b>	Makel, Martha				
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<b>Name:</b>	Anderson, Stephen				
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<b>Name:</b>	Knittel, Brian				
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<b>Correspondence Type:</b>	Web Form				
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**Name:** Ouradnik, Luke  
**Outside Organization:** National Parks Conservation Association Unaffiliated Individual  
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**Name:** Mambi, Nancy  
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<b>Name:</b>	Turner, Debbie				
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<b>Name:</b>	Brooks, Penny				
<b>Outside Organization:</b>	National Parks Conservation Association Unaffiliated Individual				
<b>Received:</b>	Nov,12,2011 06:20:35				
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<b>Name:</b>	Whybrew, Michael				
<b>Outside Organization:</b>	National Parks Conservation Association Unaffiliated Individual				
<b>Received:</b>	Nov,12,2011 06:20:48				
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<b>Name:</b>	Saretsky, Richard				
<b>Outside Organization:</b>	National Parks Conservation Association Unaffiliated Individual				
<b>Received:</b>	Nov,12,2011 00:00:00				
<b>Correspondence Type:</b>	Web Form				
<b>Correspondence:</b>	I support wilderness designation for Drakes Estero. This will be our only marine wilderness in California for all to enjoy.				

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<b>Name:</b>	Ramotowski, Thaddeus				
<b>Outside Organization:</b>	National Parks Conservation Association Unaffiliated Individual				
<b>Received:</b>	Nov,12,2011 06:21:01				
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<b>Name:</b>	Scholl, Barbara				
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<b>Received:</b>	Nov,12,2011 06:21:02				
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**Name:** Emme, Steve  
**Outside Organization:** National Parks Conservation Association Unaffiliated Individual  
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**Name:** Leaird, Yolanda  
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<b>Name:</b>	Sweet, Timothy				
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<b>Name:</b>	Niebling, William				
<b>Outside Organization:</b>	National Parks Conservation Association Unaffiliated Individual				
<b>Received:</b>	Nov,12,2011 00:00:00				
<b>Correspondence Type:</b>	Web Form				
<b>Correspondence:</b>	As a former Senate staffer and native Northern Californian, I feel strongly that Point Reyes is an important part of what makes California special, and I know Members of Congress do too. That's why I urge you to protect Drakes Estero wilderness next year, as long intended. It is in the public interest to create the West Coast's only marine wilderness for the enjoyment of all. The public has waited nearly four decades for these protections to be implemented, which is an immense compromise in itself. Drakes Estero is a rare wildlife refuge where migrating birds stop over, harbor seals give birth, and fish take shelter in eelgrass. As someone who enjoys our nation's national parks and their wildlife, I urge you to uphold the longstanding plan to convert this very special resource to wilderness.				

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<b>Name:</b>	Ludington, Byron				
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<b>Name:</b>	Schuck, Erika				
<b>Outside Organization:</b>	National Parks Conservation Association Unaffiliated Individual				
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<b>Name:</b>	Cramer, Joan				
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<b>Name:</b>	Endicott, Barb				
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**Name:** Landa, Marty  
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I was fortunate to visit this area for the first time this past spring. I was overwhelmed by its unique beauty and thrilled at its accessibility. Drakes Estero wilderness is truly a precious resource that must be protected so that future generations can enjoy it. It is absolutely vital that this wilderness receive the full protection that has for so long been intended.

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**Correspondence ID:** 22809      **Project:** 33043      **Document:** 43390  
**Name:** Sgambelluri, Jutta  
**Outside Organization:** National Parks Conservation Association Unaffiliated Individual  
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**Name:** Mcnaught, Anna

**Outside Organization:** National Parks Conservation Association Unaffiliated Individual

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It is by law that the wilderness is to be protected by the National Park Service. To allow the Oyster Company to invade the beautiful wetlands would be to break the law.

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It's time to step up and do what needs to be done. The protection of Drakes Estero wilderness is now at hand.

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**Name:** ELKMAN, Robin K.  
**Outside Organization:** NRDC Unaffiliated Individual  
**Received:** Nov,12,2011 06:29:33  
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Sincerely, Robin K. Elkman 468 12th St. B'klyn, NY 11215

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**Correspondence ID:** 22816    **Project:** 33043    **Document:** 43390  
**Name:** Kasabian, Elizabeth  
**Outside Organization:** NRDC Unaffiliated Individual  
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**Name:** Musser, Lancen  
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**Name:** Larstein, Francine  
**Outside Organization:** Sierra Club Unaffiliated Individual  
**Received:** Nov,12,2011 06:59:21  
**Correspondence Type:** Web Form  
**Correspondence:** I am writing to urge the National Park Service to protect Drakes Estero wilderness next year as long-intended. The American public deserves to have the West Coast's only marine wilderness protected for future generations to enjoy. Drakes Estero is a rare wildlife refuge where migrating birds stop over, harbor seals give birth, and fish spawn. It deserves the highest level of protection as Congress long-intended. As someone who enjoys our nation's spectacular national parks, I urge you to not undermine protections at Drakes Estero and succumb to special interests seeking to commercialize these special places.

I urge the National Park Service and the Department of the Interior to select alternative "A", which protects marine wilderness and is the environmentally preferred alternative. The NPS is mandated to provide maximum protection to the natural resources, as stated in the Seashore's legislation, and selecting this alternative is the most consistent with the laws and policies affecting this park. Our national parks are for the people and wildlife protection, not commercial exploitation. The environmental review shows that alternative "A" best protects harbor seals, fish, birds and other wildlife and plants. Drakes Estero is our only marine wilderness on the West Coast, and it is irreplaceable, while oysters can be grown elsewhere.

National Parks and wilderness areas are treasured by the majority of Americans and are for the public interest, not for private commercial exploitation. By protecting wilderness, the National Park Service will set a positive policy example while commercializing it will set a negative example and help others seek their special exemptions from national park laws.

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<b>Name:</b>	Langas, Randi				
<b>Outside Organization:</b>	NRDC Unaffiliated Individual				
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<b>Name:</b>	Palmer, Mary				
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<b>Name:</b>	Naake, Gary				
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<b>Name:</b>	Lundquist, Judy				
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<b>Name:</b>	Kervahn, Ray				
<b>Outside Organization:</b>	National Parks Conservation Association Unaffiliated Individual				
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**Name:** Josephson, Cliff  
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**Name:** Sweeney, Leslie  
**Outside Organization:** National Parks Conservation Association Unaffiliated Individual  
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<b>Correspondence ID:</b>	22842	<b>Project:</b>	33043	<b>Document:</b>	43390
<b>Name:</b>	Macdowell, Kathleen				
<b>Outside Organization:</b>	National Parks Conservation Association Unaffiliated Individual				
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<b>Name:</b>	Park, Phyllis				
<b>Outside Organization:</b>	National Parks Conservation Association Unaffiliated Individual				
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<b>Name:</b>	O'Rafferty, Eric
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<b>Correspondence ID:</b>	22845	<b>Project:</b>	33043	<b>Document:</b>	43390
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<b>Name:</b>	Mckee, Sarah
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<b>Correspondence:</b>	I urge you to protect Drakes Estero wilderness next year with the Environmentally Preferred Alternative, as long intended.
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<b>Name:</b>	Banks, Michele
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**Name:** Johnson, Milene  
**Outside Organization:** National Parks Conservation Association Unaffiliated Individual  
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**Name:** Cassinelli, Robert  
**Outside Organization:** National Parks Conservation Association Unaffiliated Individual  
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**Name:** Lough, Sandy  
**Outside Organization:** National Parks Conservation Association Unaffiliated Individual  
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**Correspondence Type:** Web Form  
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<b>Name:</b>	Ellyn, Maura				
<b>Outside Organization:</b>	National Parks Conservation Association Unaffiliated Individual				
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<b>Name:</b>	Riggle, Judy				
<b>Outside Organization:</b>	National Parks Conservation Association Unaffiliated Individual				
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<b>Name:</b>	Dearstyne, William				
<b>Outside Organization:</b>	National Parks Conservation Association Unaffiliated Individual				
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<b>Name:</b>	Maresca, Suzanne				
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<b>Name:</b>	Philips, Stu				
<b>Outside Organization:</b>	National Parks Conservation Association Unaffiliated Individual				
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<b>Name:</b>	Santanna, Cristine				
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<b>Name:</b>	Sakai, Harvey				
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<b>Name:</b>	Nieves, Maria				
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<b>Name:</b>	Morales, Laurie				
<b>Outside Organization:</b>	National Parks Conservation Association Unaffiliated Individual				
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<b>Name:</b>	Keenan, Joann				
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<b>Name:</b>	Kramer, Stafford				
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**Name:** Turner, Jeris  
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The law is the law. This decision was made long ago.

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JUST LEAVE IT ALONE FOR GOD'S SAKE!! PEOPLE DON'T NEED TO BE EVERYPLACE! LET THE WILDLIFE LIVE IN PEACE!!

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**Name:** Vanecken, Angela  
**Outside Organization:** National Parks Conservation Association Unaffiliated Individual  
**Received:** Nov,12,2011 00:00:00  
**Correspondence Type:** Web Form  
**Correspondence:** When you allow public land to be used for private profit it no longer is truly everybody's. It's value becomes the property of, in this case, the oyster company. We need wilderness for the sake of wilderness where all wildlife has respite from growing human pressure. There is so very little set aside for the future. Here is an opportunity.

I urge you to uphold the longstanding plan to convert this very special resource to wilderness for the future of our children and grandchildren.

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<b>Name:</b>	Smith, Gwyneth				
<b>Outside Organization:</b>	National Parks Conservation Association Unaffiliated Individual				
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The National Parks were set aside for the enjoyment of the public, NOT for commercial use!

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<b>Name:</b>	Slade, Kenneth				
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<b>Name:</b>	Boone, James				
<b>Outside Organization:</b>	National Parks Conservation Association Unaffiliated Individual				
<b>Received:</b>	Nov,12,2011 00:00:00				
<b>Correspondence Type:</b>	Web Form				
<b>Correspondence:</b>	Drakes Estero is a refuge for wildlife, where harbor seals give birth and migratory birds rest and feed during long journeys.				



Visitors should be able to enjoy it in its full glory instead of continued commercial oyster operations that include thousands of motorized boat trips each year.

The National Park Service should not continue commercial oyster operations in Drake's Estero. A deadline was set for 2012 for ending commercial activities in this established marine wilderness, and that agreement should be honored. A deal is a deal.

The public has waited nearly four decades for these protections to be implemented, which is an immense compromise in itself.

I started going to Point Reyes in the 1960's and for forty years I was told that commercial operation's there would end next year. I think the time has come to see just that.

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<b>Name:</b>	Broughman, Debra				
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<b>Name:</b>	Wilson, Daiel				
<b>Outside Organization:</b>	National Parks Conservation Association Unaffiliated Individual				
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**Name:** Decker, Patrick  
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**Name:** Maurer, Timothy  
**Outside Organization:** Sierra Club Unaffiliated Individual  
**Received:** Nov,12,2011 07:29:49  
**Correspondence Type:** Web Form  
**Correspondence:** I am writing to urge the National Park Service to protect Drakes Estero wilderness next year as long-intended. The American public deserves to have the West Coast's only marine wilderness protected for future generations to enjoy. Drakes Estero is a

rare wildlife refuge where migrating birds stop over, harbor seals give birth, and fish spawn. It deserves the highest level of protection as Congress long-intended. As someone who enjoys our nation's spectacular national parks, I urge you to not undermine protections at Drakes Estero and succumb to special interests seeking to commercialize these special places.

I urge the National Park Service and the Department of the Interior to select alternative "A", which protects marine wilderness and is the environmentally preferred alternative. The NPS is mandated to provide maximum protection to the natural resources, as stated in the Seashore's legislation, and selecting this alternative is the most consistent with the laws and policies affecting this park. Our national parks are for the people and wildlife protection, not commercial exploitation. The environmental review shows that alternative "A" best protects harbor seals, fish, birds and other wildlife and plants. Drakes Estero is our only marine wilderness on the West Coast, and it is irreplaceable, while oysters can be grown elsewhere.

National Parks and wilderness areas are treasured by the majority of Americans and are for the public interest, not for private commercial exploitation. By protecting wilderness, the National Park Service will set a positive policy example while commercializing it will set a negative example and help others seek their special exemptions from national park laws.

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<b>Name:</b>	Dawson-Rhodes, Juanita				
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<b>Name:</b>	Lewis, Bob				
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<b>Name:</b>	Meza, Joel				
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<b>Name:</b>	Depue, Douglas				
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<b>Name:</b>	Brown, Marygrace				
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<b>Name:</b>	Howard, Kristin				
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<b>Name:</b>	Hayes, Jennifer				
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<b>Name:</b>	Weisenfeld, Jody				
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<b>Name:</b>	Elliott, Charles				
<b>Outside Organization:</b>	National Parks Conservation Association Unaffiliated Individual				
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**Name:** Jackson, Jan  
**Outside Organization:** National Parks Conservation Association Unaffiliated Individual  
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**Name:** Schmit, Annette  
**Outside Organization:** National Parks Conservation Association Unaffiliated Individual  
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**Correspondence ID:** 22895    **Project:** 33043    **Document:** 43390  
**Name:** Evans, Bart  
**Outside Organization:** National Parks Conservation Association Unaffiliated Individual  
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**Name:** Ballentine, Wanda  
**Outside Organization:** National Parks Conservation Association Unaffiliated Individual  
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**Correspondence:** Spent the best years of my life in Marin and strongly urge you to protect this wilderness.

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I submit this reluctantly because I like oysters and the fact that having hiked and kayaked this area, that local ranching and fishing adds to the community economics. Local small businesses should be encouraged. Just do not think Drakes is the right place for oyster farming. Is there a plan for relocating the oyster farm, maybe to Tomalpas Bay?

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**Name:** Alex, Sheela  
**Outside Organization:** National Parks Conservation Association Unaffiliated Individual  
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**Correspondence Type:** Web Form  
**Correspondence:** Will you please allow the protection Drakes Estero wilderness next year as it has been planned?

Please make sure to protect the West Coast's only marine wilderness. Implementing these protections have been in the works for 4 decades, and it's time now to make it happen.

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<b>Correspondence ID:</b>	22915	<b>Project:</b>	33043	<b>Document:</b>	43390
<b>Name:</b>	Citron, Vicky				
<b>Outside Organization:</b>	National Parks Conservation Association Unaffiliated Individual				
<b>Received:</b>	Nov,12,2011 00:00:00				
<b>Correspondence Type:</b>	Web Form				
<b>Correspondence:</b>	<p>I live in Boston, but make regular visits to Point Reyes because it is so special. Please preserve it's wild beauty and prohibit commercial use of this national park.</p> <p>I urge you to select alternative "A", which protects marine wilderness next year and is the Environmentally Preferred Alternative. The National Park Service is mandated to provide maximum protection to the natural resources at Drakes Estero and selecting this alternative is the most consistent with the laws and policies affecting this park. Our national parks are set aside for the public and for wildlife protection, and after waiting nearly 40 years for private commercial use rights to expire, it's time to give the estuary the protection it needs. The environmental review shows that alternative "A" is best for public policy, and best protects harbor seals, fish, birds and other natural resources. Drakes Estero is our only marine wilderness on the West Coast, and is irreplaceable, while oysters can be commercially grown elsewhere.</p> <p>Please honor the promise made for a protected marine wilderness at Drakes Estero. In doing so, you will set a good policy example and reward the public with an enduring legacy feat found nowhere else on the West Coast.</p>				
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<b>Name:</b>	Pauler, Donna				
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**Name:** Herten, Margaret  
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**Name:** Maker, Janet  
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**Name:** Johnson, Paula  
**Outside Organization:** National Parks Conservation Association Unaffiliated Individual  
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<b>Name:</b>	Patrick, Beverley				
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<b>Name:</b>	Pero, Elva				
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<b>Name:</b>	Aden, Elizabeth				
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<b>Name:</b>	King, Ginny				
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<b>Name:</b>	Randall, Debbie				
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<b>Name:</b>	Lank, Tim				
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<b>Name:</b>	HERBELIN, Margaret				
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<b>Name:</b>	Vogel, Valerie				
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<b>Name:</b>	Haruch, Gerald				
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<b>Name:</b>	Geiling, Sabrina				
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**Name:** Myers, Jeffrey  
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<b>Name:</b>	Ng, Yorkey				
<b>Outside Organization:</b>	National Parks Conservation Association Unaffiliated Individual				
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<b>Name:</b>	Eggleson, Gary				
<b>Outside Organization:</b>	National Parks Conservation Association Unaffiliated Individual				
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<b>Name:</b>	Lilly, Jan				
<b>Outside Organization:</b>	National Parks Conservation Association Unaffiliated Individual				
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<b>Name:</b>	Slawson, Bob				
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<b>Name:</b>	Cranmer, Julia				
<b>Outside Organization:</b>	National Parks Conservation Association Unaffiliated Individual				
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<b>Name:</b>	Lyon, Robert				
<b>Outside Organization:</b>	NRDC Unaffiliated Individual				
<b>Received:</b>	Nov,12,2011 07:39:24				
<b>Correspondence Type:</b>	Web Form				
<b>Correspondence:</b>	Drakes Estero is a national ecological treasure and should become a protected wilderness area. It has outstanding natural resources, including one of California's largest harbor seal colonies and tens of thousands of shorebirds, waterfowl, native fish and endangered species that use its wetlands, mudflats and eelgrass beds.				

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<b>Name:</b>	Weilage, Krystal				
<b>Outside Organization:</b>	National Parks Conservation Association Unaffiliated Individual				
<b>Received:</b>	Nov,12,2011 07:40:25				
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<b>Name:</b>	Haas, Lonnie				
<b>Outside Organization:</b>	National Parks Conservation Association Unaffiliated Individual				
<b>Received:</b>	Nov,12,2011 00:00:00				
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<b>Name:</b>	Sandler, Julie				
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<b>Name:</b>	Crosson, Colleen				
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<b>Name:</b>	Rodriguez, Abraham				
<b>Outside Organization:</b>	National Parks Conservation Association Unaffiliated Individual				
<b>Received:</b>	Nov,12,2011 07:40:25				
<b>Correspondence Type:</b>	Web Form				
<b>Correspondence:</b>	My name is Abraham Hafiz Rodriguez, and I am a third year medical student at the University of Illinois College of Medicine.				

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<b>Name:</b>	Jernigan, Liz				
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<b>Name:</b>	Ackerman, Caitlin				
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<b>Name:</b>	Marsh, P				
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<b>Name:</b>	Clarke, Jerry				
<b>Outside Organization:</b>	NRDC Unaffiliated Individual				
<b>Received:</b>	Nov,12,2011 07:41:48				
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<b>Name:</b>	Thompson, Ronald				
<b>Outside Organization:</b>	National Parks Conservation Association Unaffiliated Individual				
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<b>Name:</b>	Stewart, Nancy				
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<b>Name:</b>	Kuehner, Steve				
<b>Outside Organization:</b>	National Parks Conservation Association Unaffiliated Individual				
<b>Received:</b>	Nov,12,2011 07:41:53				
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<b>Name:</b>	Anderson, Judith				
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<b>Name:</b>	Levit, Evelyn				
<b>Outside Organization:</b>	National Parks Conservation Association Unaffiliated Individual				
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<b>Name:</b>	Kelsheimer, Elise				
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<b>Name:</b>	Guilfoyle, Maureen				
<b>Outside Organization:</b>	National Parks Conservation Association Unaffiliated Individual				
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<b>Name:</b>	kral, mary belle				
<b>Outside Organization:</b>	NRDC Unaffiliated Individual				
<b>Received:</b>	Nov,12,2011 07:42:29				
<b>Correspondence Type:</b>	Web Form				
<b>Correspondence:</b>	Drakes Estero is a national ecological treasure and should become a protected wilderness area. It has outstanding natural resources, including one of California's largest harbor seal colonies and tens of thousands of shorebirds, waterfowl, native fish and endangered species that use its wetlands, mudflats and eelgrass beds.				

In the 1976 Point Reyes Wilderness Act, Congress recognized Drakes Estero as a unique recreational and biological resource and promised that this irreplaceable resource would formally become a wilderness area when non-conforming uses were eliminated. Your agency permitted a commercial oyster company to grow non-native oysters and clams on 1,050 acres in Drakes Estero for 40 years, or until 2012.

Your own draft environmental impact statement reveals the extensive damage that the existing operation has caused to Drakes Estero and Point Reyes National Seashore's beaches. As you know, commercial operations of any kind are not permitted in designated wilderness areas because of such damage. Further, the Park Service's Organic Act mandates protection of park resources and values and strictly limits commercial operations.

Your approval of the proposal to extend the oyster company's permit would be contrary to the Point Reyes Wilderness Act and would establish a dangerous precedent at a time when America's public lands and environmental laws are already under widespread attacks in Congress and elsewhere.

We've been waiting long enough. It is time to allow that permit to expire and to honor Congress' commitment. We want our bay back.

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<b>Name:</b>	Hartmann, Julie				
<b>Outside Organization:</b>	National Parks Conservation Association Unaffiliated Individual				
<b>Received:</b>	Nov,12,2011 07:42:42				
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<b>Name:</b>	Curtis, Barbara				
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<b>Name:</b>	Alsafi, Catherine				
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<b>Name:</b>	M, William				
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<b>Name:</b>	Lima, Christopher				
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<b>Name:</b>	Lorigo, Joe				
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<b>Name:</b>	Zander, Rosamund				
<b>Outside Organization:</b>	National Parks Conservation Association Unaffiliated Individual				
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<b>Name:</b>	Vaughn, James				
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<b>Name:</b>	Taylor, Linda				
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<b>Name:</b>	Lemmert, Ronald				
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