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The Honorable Frank Church Senate Office Building Washington, D.C. 20510

Dear Senator Church:

It has been brought to the attention of the Idaho Chapter of the Wildlife Society that the Senate Committee on Energy and Natural Resources, of which you are a member, is presently considering a bill (S.2560) concerning an addition of 800 acres to the Indiana Dunes National Lakeshore.

This area is necessary to ensure the sanctity of the past acquisitions and to preserve additional wildlife and fish habitats so scarce in this area.

The Idaho Chapter of the Wildlife Society representing professional wildlife biologists throughout the State of Idaho wishes to go on record as supporting S.2560 in order to preserve and enhance the wildlife values in this for the people of the United States.

Thank you for your strong consideration in this matter.

Sincerely,

W. Dean Carrier, President Idaho Chapter TWS