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Dear Assembly Members, City Manager, and Mayor Olerud,

Lingít x'éináx Skweit yóo xat duwasáakw. Yéil naax satí áyá xat. Lukaax.ádix xat sitee. Daḵl'aweidí yadix xat sitee. Lkóot kwáan áyá xát. Geisán Hit yeedax.

My Tlingit name is Skweit. I am Raven Sockeye from Lkóot kwáan aaní on Lingít aaní. I am a child of the Eagle Killerwhale clan. I belong to the Geisán House.

I am speaking for only myself. I have lived in Haines for most of my life although I have been away pursuing my education and employment opportunities in Áak'w kwáan aaní. Being Lingít and Gwich'in Athabaskan, I know families can trace their roots to this place for thousands of years. We think about those who came before us and those who have to live with the decisions we make today. That is why I believe it is necessary to listen to the community of Haines and oppose phase III of the Lutak Dock project.

There are families and future generations that want to come together to share dreams and co-create a vision for our community. We are not ready to hand our future over to dirty ore.

Gunalchéesh, mahsii cho,
Jessie Morgan