

World Heritage Site Examples

- Wrangell St. Elias NP is listed as World Heritage Site – In 1993 ENGOS referenced the designation as a reason to block the Icy Bay Timber Harvest on Chugach Alaska Corporation private lands.
- Yellowstone NP is listed as World Heritage Site – In mid-90s used to generate international pressure to stop the New World Mine in Montana [several miles outside the park, on a drainage flowing away from the park, in an historic mining district, mine would have cleaned up the historic workings].
- Volcanoes of Kamchatka World Heritage Site – listed 12/18/1996. That day Environmental Defense Fund, Pacific Environment & Resource Center and Sierra Club sent letters and press releases demanding that the Overseas Private Investment Corporation (OPIC) not provide political risk and finance insurance for the adjacent Aginskoye Gold Mine.
- Kakadu NP (Australia) is listed – used in attempt to block the Jubilukla uranium project (located adjacent to the 20-year old Ranger Uranium Mine).
- Beringia – not listed yet! So what is Beringia?