

## Sen. John Coghill

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**From:** Chuck Bickley <sassy1@mtaonline.net>  
**Sent:** Saturday, March 11, 2017 11:33 AM  
**To:** Sen. John Coghill; Sen. Mia Costello; Sen. Kevin Meyer; Pete Kelly; Sen. Bill Wielechowski; Self  
**Subject:** Attorney General Appointment

Dear Chairman Coghill and members of the Judiciary Committee:

I am protesting the appointment of Acting Attorney General Lindemuth to the position of Attorney General. She has shown by her actions in negotiations with Ahtna Corporation, regarding the State's historic right-of-way to the Klutina Lake fishing and recreation area, that she is not representing the every day Alaskan user of that area but rather has the interests of Ahtna at heart.

The Walker Administration has already given away to many of our rights in that area and this will just give much more control to Ahtna, who already controls much of the Copper River Basin. I have been harassed many times by Ahtna representatives while on State land along the Copper River. Many of those times I had no recourse to do anything but heed them and leave. As Alaskan residents we should not have to be subjected to these actions and giving Ahtna more control over the Klutina road will just exacerbate the problem not reduce it.

It appears much of the State court system has gone soft and found it easier to find a way to plea bargain an issue and not fight for the rights and laws of the State, which I believe they are being well paid to do. They need to start, as Sen. Mia Costello was quoted, to "take a stand, fight and risk failure".

I recommend that Ms. Lindemuth's appointment be rejected!

Thank you for consideration of my comments.

Sincerely, Chuck Bickley Wasilla