Amendment to H.R. 361 Offered by Mr. Hastings of Washington

Page 2, line 6, strike "22,173" and insert "21,493".

Page 2, beginning on line 8, strike "Proposed Alpine Lakes Wilderness Additions' and dated December 3, 2009" and insert "HR 361, Alpine Lakes Wilderness Additions and Pratt and Middle Fork Snoqualmie Rivers Protection Act, 2013' and dated October 25, 2013".

Page 2, line 21, insert ", and in accordance with section 4 of this Act" before the period.

Page 2, after line 21, insert the following:

- "(2) MILITARY OVERFLIGHTS.—Nothing in this section restricts or precludes—
- "(A) low-level overflights of military aircraft over the area designated as wilderness under this section, including military overflights that can be seen or heard within any wilderness area;
 - "(B) flight testing and evaluation; or
- "(C) the designation or creation of new units of special use airspace, or the establishment of military flight training routes over the wilderness area.
- "(3) PREVENTION OF WILDFIRES.—The designation of wilderness under this section shall not be construed to interfere with the authority of the Secretary of Agriculture to authorize mechanical thinning of trees or underbrush to prevent or control the spread of wildfires, or conditions creating the risk of wildfire that threaten areas outside the boundary of the wilderness, or the use of mechanized equipment for wildfire pre-suppression and suppression.".

Page 2, line 22, strike "(2)" and insert "(4)".

Page 3, beginning on line 18, strike the text through page 4, line 2.

Page 4, line 8, strike "The" and insert instead "Subject to subparagraph (C), the".

Page 4, after line 23, insert the following:

"(C) The Secretary of Agriculture may not acquire by condemnation any land or interest in land within the boundaries of the Wild and Scenic River segments designated by this paragraph. Private or non-Federal public property shall not be included within the boundaries of the Wild and Scenic River segments designated by this paragraph unless the owner of such property has consented in writing to having that property included in such boundaries.".

Page 5, line 3, insert the following before the closed quotation marks: "The Secretary of Agriculture may not acquire by condemnation any land or interest in land within the boundaries of the Wild and Scenic River segments designated by this paragraph. Private or non-Federal public property shall not be included within the boundaries of the Wild and Scenic River segments designated by this paragraph

unless the owner of such property has consented in writing to having that property included in such boundaries.".

Page 5, after line 3, insert the following new section:

"SEC. 4. ADJACENT LAND MANAGEMENT.

- "(a) ADJACENT MANAGEMENT.—Nothing in this Act—
- "(1) establishes or authorizes the establishment of a protective perimeter or buffer zone around the boundaries of the Wild and Scenic River segments or wilderness designated by this Act; or
- "(2) precludes, limits, or restricts an activity from being conducted outside such boundaries, including an activity that can be seen or heard from within such boundaries.".