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Subject: Makah Whaling Rights
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Dear NOAA,

I am a resident of Mill Creek, WA, and a student at the UW. My opinion is that the Makah should be allowed to have their traditional whaling rights. I feel that enough has been taken from all American Indians over the past several centuries, and this is the least we could do for them. If there are concerns about preserving the whaling species, then perhaps a certain limit can be set each year for how many can be hunted. However, I don't feel we have the right to take this tradition away from the Makah.

Thank you,

Loretta Fisher