

Appendix 4. Nonclimate related changes observed by interview participants.

	Bus Driver n=8	Subsistence Participant n=39	Business Owners n=18	NPS Staff or Scientist n=18	TOTAL n=83	Example Quote
Air quality decline	0%	3%	17%	0%	5%	There aren't as clear of skies. I don't remember what year it was that we first noticed but we were told it was arctic haze. It may have been 20 years ago
Change in Park management and philosophy	38%	15%	22%	11%	18%	They have managers that come in and that are very skilled as managers but they don't have the long term picture of what's happening they just see, "Oh we need, this place is undeveloped. There are not enough services. We need more." But they aren't seeing the impact it's having on the overall experience.
Changes in wildlife	100%	92%	100%	78%	92%	I think the habitat change is important to all the wildlife. Most specifically I think it is effecting the caribou numbers.
Community changes (outside Denali)	38%	51%	28%	33%	41%	
<i>Less community cohesion</i>	0%	13%	11%	6%	10%	It feels pretty split. In those days everyone did things together and they used to have potlucks and picnics.
<i>More people and traffic outside the Park</i>	0%	23%	44%	11%	23%	There has been so much change here. Before the highway, it was different. The whole community was just based around the railroad and the section house.
<i>Loss of culture in next generation</i>	0%	36%	6%	0%	18%	There are few of the younger people who want to know our culture. The young people hardly speak the language and it isn't like it used to be. People are missing out. They might as well live in town.
Impacts of earthquakes and volcanos	0%	21%	6%	6%	12%	I think the 1964 earthquake must have lowered the land or flooded it. The land had totally changed in the interim and it was totally different than before.
Increase in technology	13%	56%	28%	28%	40%	Yeah, that really changed when the snow mobile came. Changed everything to vehicles for hunting. People were all over. You'd probably notice it too. Easier way to hunt, they have lots of money and lots of equipment. Long time ago we never had no money.
Local travel access	0%	15%	6%	0%	8%	I don't know if they, the Park Service, feels like they've shut us out but they've restricted enough that we feel like we've been shut out.
Park experience	100%	13%	72%	72%	47%	
<i>Change in quality</i>	38%	0%	17%	11%	10%	There has been a huge increase in overflights, and this has been a problem since the early 1980's. It changes the whole backcountry experience.
<i>More people in Park</i>	25%	5%	33%	61%	25%	You see many more hikers and backpackers out in the landscape then we ever used to and in the 1960's early 1970's.
<i>Pressure for increased Park access</i>	88%	5%	56%	44%	33%	I am so worried about the politics because of the way the tourist industry dictates what happens here you know...they just want more and more people in here.
<i>Types of Park visitors (e.g., less independent travellers)</i>	50%	0%	6%	17%	10%	Oh definitely, most people would say more industrial tourism. It used to be more independent tourists traveling on their own.