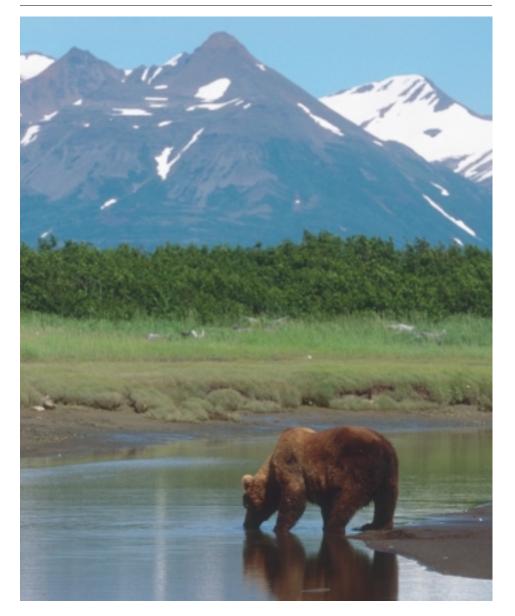
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uring the last great ice age, wooly mammoths, wild horses, musk oxen, caribou, and a host of other creatures migrated from Asia across the Bering Land Bridge to the place we now know as Alaska. Following this rich resource came nomadic hunters, among the first humans to inhabit the New World. The wildlife these people sought provided not only food, shelter, and clothing, but also a spiritual link with nature. Today, modern nomads—tourists—travel from every corner of the globe to enjoy Alaska's wildlife treasures. At the same time, Alaskans continue to depend on fish and wildlife for subsistence, commerce, and quality of life. Balancing the needs of people and wildlife in a fragile environment requires taking an ecosystem approach to resource management.



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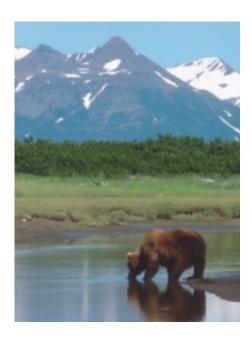
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