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Sweet Home Ranger Station:

The enclosed photos show what is daily happening on Corporate forest lands adjacent to Willamette NF- yes even those close to...and adjacent to the Sweet Home Ranger District.

I have traveled these roads since the 1960s...when I was a choker-setter. Then...the 60s- we were still harvest ALL old growth forest. We have lost so much in the last 60 years...

Please guide us through the "QMS" project so as to save intact as much of our beloved Willamette NF as possible. Help save our old growth- protect biodiversity- And help restore "our" forest from the often short-sited decisions of the past. We depend on you for leadership, your wise stewardship and your wisdom. Thank you!

In support of Alternative 4:

Continued destruction of the forest on the periphery of the Willamette National Forest should give us all the more reason to preserve...as best we can...the forest within the boundaries of that National Forest.

The attached photos taken in the last 12 months show corporate forest lands from the area just south of Cool Camp- then jumping over to the west of Canyon Creek- to Swamp Mtn Road area...especially Upper little Wiley Creek Rd. (It is steep slope clearcutting at its worst)

Finally, with global warming we need to be especially prudent in how we manage our forest- as it will be increasingly difficult to keep them healthy!