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Comments: As a young person in the United States, old growth forests are an escape from the busy world of everyday life. A place to find yourself. The importance of these old growth forests in sustaining wildlife populations is of great importance in a world with a changing climate. I have seen the patchwork private clearcut forests in the PNW with rows of monocrop Douglas firs that lack life under the canopy. We can't let our old growth forests have a similar fate. These forests are so unique and so much can be learned from them. I want to be able to share these great places with future generations.

Attached are photos taken on BLM land in NW Oregon. Hemlocks and Doug firs with CBH of 12ft were common. The fallen nurse log was as tall as myself

Attachment: P1128179.jpeg - is image of forest

Attachment: P1128282-2.jpeg - is image of forest

Attachment: P1128273.jpeg - is image of forest