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Comments: I am a PNW resident, backpacker, mountaineer, mushroom forager, and owner of recreational residence cabin in the Willamette National Forest. I use the national forests in Oregon nearly every week in some capacity.

I DO NOT support any increases in logging within our national forests. I do support close involvement of local tribes, use of preventative fire, and the utmost care and consideration for wildlife and water quality.

Our forests have so much more long-term value as recreational areas and as carbon sinks than they do a short-term logging opportunities. I urge you to look passed the immediate financial gain of lumber and deeply and fully consider ALL the benefits that come from a rich and complex ecosystem. We are at a tipping point for humanity. Please vow to do the least harm and the most good when crafting this plan.

Here's a photo of some gorgeous chanterelles from the Willamette National Forest. They provided part of my Thanksgiving dinner this year and were shared with both family and friends.

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