Stand-replacing wildfires are my main concern. I believe that Alternative 4 best meets the purpose and need as

stated. I urge implementation. I also understand the need for and recommend the adoption of a site-specific nonsignificant

amendment of the Forest Plan to Forest-wide standard TEST15 to allow for more than 30% of lynx habitat

to be made unsuitable in the short term. The PFC strategy of management up to, but not over 30% of lynx habitat to

be made unsuitable may not keep the Forest out of court so why not implement an alternative that best meets the

need and defend the analysis. Lynx habitat would certainly be unsuitable if it burned up.

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