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Dear Sirs/Madams,

I am writing to you to weigh in on U.S. Forest Service's plans for Wayne National Forest. I am a long time resident of the state of Ohio. About 90% of the land in our state was cleared by early settlers (including my forebears) for farming. I am an avid outdoors person and I know, first hand, that Wayne State forest is one of the few tracts of original forest land in our state. As such, I am asking that the land be used for recreation and conservation. It serves the important service of carbon sequestration and is home to many native plants and animals. Logging and fossil fuel development would destroy this precious resource. I am looking forward to one day soon showing my grandchild this important place and would be ashamed to tell future generations that it was spoiled for short term gain.

Sincerely,

Carol Boram-Hays