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Comments: I oppose allowing increased logging in the Daniel Boone National Forest. This proposed amendment is bad policy that threatens to weaken protections for everyone who utilizes this important resource, including several endangered species. Amending the 2004 Forest Plan to permit increased logging means nearly tripling the amount of timber cut in Daniel Boone National Forest. Even the U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service has been critical of the proposal, stating in their early comments that "If the action is carried out as proposed, an increase in adverse effects on federally-listed species is anticipated." This proposed amendment to the 2004 Forest Plan is simply an attempt to see more timber cut on more acres, which is a problem.