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Comments: It has come to my attention lately that since we are in the wake of a global pandemic and widespread protests against systemic racism, adverse action that hurts our progress on other important issues has been taken by the current administration. I just want to say that the world is still watching, and we are capable of fighting for progress on many fronts simultaneously. I am writing this today to push for the preservation of our natural parks and forests. These are important habitats for wildlife, as well as buffers that are helping to slow down the snowballing effects of climate change. As a young person, I don't want to grow old in a world decimated by people who had more interest in profit than the protection of the planet that sustains us.