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Comments: This proposed harvest of our area is deeply disturbing. This is an excessive project that will adversely impact wildlife, recreation, and local economies. This vast of a harvest within our National Forest will threaten sensitive ecosystems for 'regular' wildlife like deer, bear, cougars, and countless other species. The devastation will harm tourism in that popular trails will be impacted. Gorgeous vistas that now draw visitors to our forests will be gone for generations while we wait for the forest to grow back to its current glory. Visitors will go elsewhere which will undermine local economies that have already been stretched too thin by Covid 19. Our small communities are struggling. This 'project' will be a death sentence to lodging & restaurants in our area. That in turn will destroy the few jobs locals have here.

We strongly oppose this plan...it is ill-conceived and imprudent.