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Comments: . I truly believe we need more active supervision of our Natural Forests such as the Potts Creek project. Anyone that spends much time in the NF now, and has past experience with how it used to be as far as new growth and wildlife habitat and wildlife numbers is sure to notice the decline we are experiencing today. The forests are getting past the mature stage and wildlife numbers and spottings are in decline. There are vast amounts of forest property that do not support the mast crops necessary to sustain wildlife that the majority of people enjoy watching and which also provides recreational activities. Even people only out for a brisk hike enjoy seeing the wildlife that our previous forests supported. I support much more responsible proactive management in our National Forests which include controlled burns and timber harvest as long as done reasonably and under supervision. I support the wildlife clearings, I think there needs to be more clearings to promote new growth in our forests, these are the areas that provide the most new mast crops of both soft and hard mast plus areas for wildlife to raise their young. It is very obvious that a lot of planning and consideration has gone into the Potts Mountain project and the VBHA and myself personally strongly support this project. Thank you for allowing our participation and comments in this participation.