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Comments: The purpose and need or proposed action does not mention Albert's squirrel and their habitat. As Alberts squirrels are the indicator for ponderosa pine forest, it seems that the project should be design to enhance and maintain habitat by providing clumps and openings and maintaining larger nest trees. The project also does not discuss how the project enhances forest resiliency in the face of climate change or what the carbon cost of this project is. Please analyze these important issues and design the project for forest restoration and climate resiliency while providing habitat for key indicator species.