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Comments: Dear USFS

I am a resident of Whatcom County and live on the intersection of the Nooksack's middle and north forks, just south of the proposed North Fork Nooksack Vegetation Management Project. In fact, Canyon Creek exits into the Nooksack directly across the river from us on our 5 acre piece on the north side. I strongly OPPOSE Alternative 1 and support an EIS. Clear cuts are a dated, inefficient practice that has no place in modern forest management. It threatens salmon runs, destabilizes forest soil and creates problems that future generations then have to live with. Enough! Proceed with the EIS please and abandon clear cuts when selective logging better maintains the health of a forest.

Leaf Schumann