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Comments: I am writing to oppose clearcutting in this area and request an expedited Environmental Impact Statement. Clearcutting not only affects animal habitat but it also adversely affects our watershed, making water that we need flow out faster at times when we need it. It affects salmon habitat with the silt etc. it has a direct affect on reducing available trees for carbon processing. Selective harvesting, both to reduce forest fires and encourage healthy tree diversity is based on the latest science the Forest Service should be using. By now we know that clearcutting can have many negative impacts that in the end cost more money as it adversely affects humans and animals. Witness the problems with the canyon creek watershed. These clearcuts encourage vast swaths of areas that dry out faster, raising fire susceptibility, affecting soil degradation & reducing biodiversity that humans need to survive. Thank you.