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Comments: Hello, I'm a resident in Whatcom County, WA and I'm extremely concerned about the precarious state of the natural world at this moment in time. USFS must respect the urgent need to help create conditions for the replenishment and regeneration of nature, by acting on its behalf and for the betterment of all living forms, including humans. I sincerely urge USFS to conduct an EIS and to say NO to the proposed Alternative 1, because it allows clearcutting.

Clearcutting is terrible in that it destroys trees that are necessary to hold soil in place, to help sequester carbon in the soil, to provide oxygen, and to help maintain the life cycle of thousands of life forms within its network. NO to any alternative that has clearcutting.

Thank you.