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Comments: Please fine tune your plan. You may be trying to do too much and you are going to have opposition that you don't need at this time. I would ask you to not thin half the trees in Mesic forests. You really can't scientifically justify this. Choose alternative 3 to exclude land unsuitable for timber production. This makes good sense.

Please exclude Georgia's Mountain Treasures. Trees once cut down can't be replaced and these areas are irreplaceable. And last, please don't allow temporary roads for removing timber. The damage done by creating these roads lasts for decades. Cutting close to existing roads makes much more ecological sense. Please favor the forest, not the timber companies.