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Comments: I personally, and also with the Virginia Bear Hunters Association's backing, ask you to initiate this management project to restore the health of America's federally-owned forests in this strategic area. It will reduce the threat of catastrophic wildfire, insect infestation and disease, and protect municipal watersheds. I think it is extremely important that forest management that has been ignored for years be put back on track to restore the health of the forests we have been blessed with. Thank you for the opportunity to participate, and best of luck with this extremely worthwhile project.

Respectfully,

Richard Sprinkle,

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