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Comments: We must listen to science and common sense regarding tree management post-wildfire. If trees are in a wilderness area, they should be allowed to remain as part of nature; they provide habitat and eventually resolve themselves.

However, in the eventuality that fallen trees block paths, crosscut saws could be used to clear the way. Chainsaws have no place in nature! We go to natural settings to be renewed and relaxed, not to be annoyed by noise.

If it is a liability for damaged trees to remain upright, warnings could be posted. But many people who go to areas that have been damaged if to see what happened. We don't want the historical evidence of the current climate events to be white-washed and groomed, park-like.

Please EXCLUDE all wilderness areas from this project and do not encroash on wilderness boundaries. Give them a wide berth for a more natural transition.

Thank you for protecting our forests as they help protect us from the current climate chaos.