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Comments:

The fact that the documents do not specify if these areas are wilderness is concerning. I feel that any trails cleared should be done by cross-cut saw - not chainsaws and fallen trees removed only on physical trails. In Wilderness areas dead & dying trees are used by native birds and wildlife - they should be left alone. Frankly, any visitors to Wilderness should expect to experience nature on nature's own terms.

Wilderness visitors should be allowed to experience nature on its own terms, including any risks that entails. Nature and Wilderness are not risk-free! In my opinion, the Forest Service should exclude ALL Wilderness areas from this project, including any encroachment from activity on Wilderness boundaries.