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Comments:

I oppose using chainsaws to clear trails in Wilderness areas. Dead and dying trees should be left alone in Wilderness areas. The Forest Service should use crosscut saws exclusively, not chainsaws, to clear trails of only the fallen trees that must be removed to keep the trails clear.

Wilderness visitors should be allowed to experience nature on its own terms, including any risks that entails. The Forest Service needs to exclude all Wilderness areas from this project (Project #60950), including any encroachment from activity on wilderness boundaries. Any work that is being done should be far enough from wilderness areas so as to not impinge on a wilderness experience of those using the wilderness.