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Comments: Hello:

Please take into consideration that I -

- \*Oppose using chainsaws to clear trails in Wilderness.

- \*Dead and dying trees should be left alone in Wilderness.

- \*The Forest Service should use crosscut saws, not chainsaws, to clear trails of only the fallen trees that must be removed.

- \*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, including any encroachment from activity on wilderness boundaries.

It's to everyone's benefit that we preserve as much as possible the natural environment within this fine country.

If we can learn to live within our means and reduce consumption, the next generation won't have it so tough.

Thank you.