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Comments: The Forest Service needs to exclude all Wilderness areas from this project, including any encroachment from activity on adjacent wilderness boundaries.

Dead or dying trees should be left alone in the Wilderness, to die and decompose according to natural processes.

The Forest Service should use crosscut saws, not chainsaws, to clear trails only of any fallen trees that must be removed. Chainsaws and other mechanized equipment should never be used in wilderness areas.

Wilderness visitors should be allowed to experience nature on its own terms, including any risks that entails.