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I oppose using chainsaws to clear trails in Wilderness.

Dead and dying trees should be left alone in Wilderness.

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

If some trees need to be cut to clear trails of fallen trees, the Forest Service should use only crosscut saws, not chainsaws, to minimize noise and overcutting.

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