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To Whom It May Concern:

This project includes cutting, logging, and removing thousands of "hazard" trees (living and dead trees that burned over past fire seasons) along roads, trails, and facilities in 10 National Forests.

The FS doesn't mention Wilderness anywhere in the project's scoping letter, and its maps are unclear regarding this issue. Potentially, the Marble Mountains, Trinity Alps, Kaiser, Ansel Adams, John Muir, Golden Trout, Monarch, Jennie Lakes, Domeland, Yolla Bolly Middle Eel, Snow Mountain, Yuki, and Bucks Lake Wildernesses could be harmed by logging and other clearing.

Allowing dead trees to fall naturally presents an outstanding educational opportunity to inform visitors of the benefits of Wilderness, and will allow natural processes to run their course.

Please exclude all Wilderness areas from this project, including any encroachment from activity on wilderness boundaries.

Thank you for your consideration on this matter.

Sincerely,