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Comments: It is not entirely clear how the Forest Service intends to proceed on this project within wildetness boundaries. I submit here my urgent hope and plea that no chainsaws be used within wilderness boundaries. Wilderness areas need to be managed as wilderness without exception. Otherwise they are sacrificed and the incredibly significant importance of wilderness is lost. Those who enter wilderness accept that they are entering rare places where natural processes are allowed to unfold without managed intervention. In this case that includes the prospect of falling trees. Please do not erode wilderness areas by employing chain saws. Thank you for your consideration of these comments.