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Comments: I join all those who oppose using chainsaws to clear trails in Wilderness.

The definition of wilderness requires that dead and dying trees be left alone.

Instead of chainsaws, the Forest Service should use crosscut saws to clear trails of only the minimum # of 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 chainsaw project, including any encroachment from activity on wilderness boundaries.