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Comments: Dear Forest Service Officials,

Please do not use chain saws in Wilderness areas. I and others go there to experience the quiet serenity that is absent from our regular daily lives. Chain saws destroy that experience.

Dead and dying trees should be left alone in Wilderness. They are an essential part of the ecosystem.

Please only use crosscut saws, not chainsaws, to clear trails of only the 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 project, including any encroachment from activity on wilderness boundaries.

Thank you for the opportunity to comment.