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Comments: Logging old growth is impossible to justify scientifically. There is no evidence that logged areas do better in fires. They do grow far more undergrowth, which is hotter and drier in drought summers. Sadly the most likely motivation for logging old growth is money. We will follow the money and figure out who benefits from this sale, and who pays. The public, the watershed, the ecosystem, the atmosphere, the climate will all pay dearly, for the benefit of a handful of timber execs.

I do not believe the claims of science made to support this timber sale. I wrote an economics thesis on this issue.