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Comments: There are many, many concerns regarding SPVM #61599. To name only a few: there is no actual proof or study that indicates the need for this; there is no indication that the effect of this on BH water has been evaluated; the FS is not caring for areas that have already been logged (by tree thinking, burning piles, etc.;the BH is already stressed by climate change, mountain beetle incursions, too many vehicles allowed, etc. etc. Please do not approve continued spruce cutting in the BH. The need for it and its usefulness have not been proven, and the possibility of negative impacts with far-reaching consequences is present.