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Comments: The more I think about this Spruce Restoration project the more concerned I am. I have a friend in the Northern Hills that has a stand of big, beautiful Aspen that are being crowded out by Spruce. She would love to thin out the Spruce and let the Aspen thrive. I assume that this is the situation in part of the Spruce project area. Thinning those areas seems to be a good idea but I would be very concerned if commercial thinning was used to get the job done. The equipment used to log trees is so destructive to the area being thinned leaving invasives a chance to move in and destroying habitats. Please have some public meetings so we can understand what exactly is being planned to be done. The Spruce are a very special species here. Thank you.