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Comments: Dear Forest Service Administrators,

My name is Dr. Jeremy Mandelkern. I am writing you to URGE FOR RECONSIDERATION regarding this intended logging plan surrounding Lake Tarleton, in Piermont, NH.

It is NOT TOO LATE to change the course of action/cancel this logging plan.

Given the detriment that logging will cause to the pristine environment surrounding Lake Tarleton, I hope that you can hear these sincere words of mine and acknowledge too the many voices of others, like me, who wish to see the preservation of this special place for generations to come - DEVOID of logging.

In my youth, I spent many Summers as a camper (and then later as a counselor) at Kingswood Camp on the shores of this incredibly beautiful lake. For me, what set Lake Tarleton apart from other lakes, was the pristine and mostly undeveloped forest environment surrounding the lake. It is home to a host of animals and rare birds like the loon, which calls out on this lake in the morning time of Summer. Logging Lake Tarleton WILL HAVE A DETRIMENTAL EFFECT on local wildlife and rare birds that Summer here. Moreover, tens of thousands of young boys have attended Summer camps on this lake, each with their own formative memories of sitting at the campfire and looking past the shoreline to the dense forest across the lake. It would be a disservice to the tens of thousands of young boys to come to log the forest surrounding this lake and spoil the untouched and pristine beauty of Lake Tarleton.

Sincerely,
Dr. Jeremy Mandelkern
Taipei, Taiwan
April,19, 2022