Data Submitted (UTC 11): 5/5/2022 10:21:09 AM First name: Cathy Last name: Joly Organization: Title:

Comments: Please reconsider your logging plans. And please research why we need old trees left standing: because they will pull carbon out of the air. New trees take decades before they draw in any reasonable amount of carbon, and we don't have that kind of time.

We need to look at live trees as part of the climate change solution. If you're worried about keeping the loggers in business, pay them for "managing trees to protect the climate". I'm sure there's enough inefficiency in the government to find the money to make these payments.

Please stop thinking climate change is a joke. I work with farmers across North America and they are losing crops left and right because of the crazy weather. That means our food supply is shrinking, and eventually us with it.

Thank you