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Comments: The following are all unacceptable!:

500 acres of tree cutting and removal along streams

700 acres of tree cutting and removal along lakes

A temporary bridge for heavy equipment

Removal of three bridges, culverts, and roads in 50 places

Placing large woody debris in three stream stretches

Likely other work since there was no time to complete a survey before this final public comment period.

Cube Cove is healing from the damage caused by past logging, roads, and associated impacts, and the agency's massive "restoration" program using heavy equipment is inappropriate for Wilderness. The agency failed to even consider any wilderness-compatible solutions to restoring more natural conditions at Cube Cove, including allowing nature to continue to reclaim the area over time. Additionally, the FS has effectively shortened public comment opportunities by issuing a combined scoping document proposed action that is essentially the same pre-scoping information, leaving many unanswered questions, including what alternatives, if any, will be analyzed, and the legal and policy background of the lands in question.