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Comments: To the U.S. Forest Service: I have recently become aware of the project known as Cube Cove Restoration #55913, which would involve 1200 acres of tree cutting along stream and lake borders, piling woody debris along stream banks, the use of heavy equipment including trucks and helicopters, and the conversion of roads previously used for logging operations to trails. All these aspects of the project seem incompatible with the Wilderness designation of Cube Cove. Since the area has begun to recover on its own, it makes more sense to me to let the natural restoration process continue, and to let some of the roads revert to wooded land. Please do not let this project proceed without allowing more time for public comment and modifications which would allow the land to return to its previous (before logging) wilderness state.