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Comments: I've been visiting the Black Ram old growth area since I was in college at the University of Montana, over 35 years ago. My family and their kids are now recreating in the area and this is a natural treasure that deserves protection. In an era of droughts and climate change this is more important then ever to conserve and protect this last vestige of old growth forest in NW Montana. What's at stake is the right of every young person to enjoy and benefit from our natural old growth forests and cutting these landmark trees down is not the solution. The short term gains by the logging companies is the loss for a future generation of kids that have the right to experience these marvels of nature.

I beg you to stop the harvest of these gentle giants and save them for future generations. Once these old growth forests are cut science proves that re-growing them in today's world of climate change is an impossible task.

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