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Comments: Because forestry management developed principally from pure economic reasoning, it grew with very few restrictions. Now, more than ever, we need to change this orientation: to become more inclusive and encourage the ability to slow climate chaos now rapidly growing faster than expected. Because our forests are essential for sustaining life like nothing else, the remaining old growth forests, especially, must be protected for they are the pillars of sustainability.

Please don't treat this as just another problem. It just may be our last hope to stop the serious assault on life as we know it on planet Earth.

Thank you.