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Comments: An important goal needs to be to link as many federal old growth and mature forests together as possible to provide migratory corridors for animals. Creating contiguous pathways for animals to travel should be a priority. If that includes land swaps and other avenues to do so, that should be considered.

Fencing along with highway overpasses and underpasses are needed along crucial migratory pathways. Animals need to be able to safely move between historic ranges without causing the thousands of annual motor vehicle collisions that occur.

Salvage logging or better management of second and third growth forests are better options than to log healthy mature forests and old growth areas that we should avoid logging at all costs. Wood is needed and logging should be planned as to minimize the impact to these few remaining areas that deserve our protection.