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Comments: I would like to express my concern about the impacts of logging on the soil in this project. Soil sequesters carbon, and disturbing it by pulling felled trees out of the forest reduces carbon storage and disturbs the mycorrhizae that live in the soil. Further, insects, birds and their predators will appreciate our burned trees and snags for their food chain.

I also think that the logging should be minimal and not extend a full 200', nor include living trees. I think it is possible to create a safe corridor without squandering carbon, depleting the forest and wildlife of food sources and ruining the soil.

Thank you for considering my input.