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Comments: Living in the pacific northwest, it is hard to find an actual old growth forest. We must protect these amazing wild places so that our children and grandchildren may also experience them. They sequester carbon,, are less likely to burn due to the way an old growth grows as opposed to a second or third growth and they are multi species which helps prevent damage from disease, fungus and insect damage