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Comments: I feel very strongly that the federal government should do everything possible to protect old growth forests. Not only do old trees store huge amounts of carbon, they have thick bark and are better adapted than second growth to withstand wildfire. Old growth forests are also a very special recreational treasure for this and all future generations.