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Comments: I am 71 years old, and have seen many changes. In 1971, I read Rachel Carson's Silent Spring. I have been afraid of the future ever since. Trees of all sizes contribute to SAFE, clean air, help cool the earth and its atmosphere, and add beauty. Old growth is especially important to our future and the future of our grandchildren and those who will (hopefully) come after them.

PLEASE don't allow any more clear cutting of forests on public land! It belongs to the public, not the lumber industry! It is imperative that you hear our voices.