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Comments: I am writing to speak out to save forests and wildlife of the South Plateau that directly borders Yellowstone National Park. Countless numbers of people visit Yellowstone National Park and the surrounding areas specifically to view animals and enjoy the scenery. These people spend vast amounts of money to do so. It is the single most important influx of money that all of the communities depend on for their livelihoods . When you endanger wildlife by cutting down the forests, building roads, and changing the ecosystem, these monies will be forever impacted negatively. Frankly, I believe that this proposal is cheating the animals and the environment out of a meaningful existence. This plan is cheating people the same way. Say -NO- to logging and clear cutting these 14,500 plus acres. Say -NO- to building roads. Say -NO- to this total disruption of this ecosystem. This area is a wildlife migration corridor that is the utmost importance to the animals and must be protected and remain intact. I have visited these areas many times. I come from New Mexico to enjoy and have positive experiences in the great outdoors. Please consider the above comment and do the right thing. No logging, no clear cutting, no roads, no destruction of wildlife and their habitats.

Thank you for your consideration,

A concerned New Mexican