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Comments: Thank you for the opportunity to comment on this project. As a frequent user of national forest and national parklands within the Greater Yellowstone Ecosystem, I would like to voice my strong opposition to this logging project.

I recall a few years ago hiking in through the Targhee National Forest to reach the Boundary Creek trail in Yellowstone. It was like walking through an ugly moonscape all the way to the west boundary, at which point I encountered a beautiful, diverse lodgepole forest. The moonscape consisted of logged out wastelands with huge slash piles. This proposed project is not economically justifiable nor it is necessary for reducing fires. I would like to think you have hiked through the Maple Fire in Yellowstone that burned in 2014 I believe. That fire burned through a very young forest, because it was so hot and dry. The fuel load was nothing but a young lodgepole forest, yet it still burned.

The most important consideration in my opinion is for the wildlife and your proposed logging project will be extremely harmful. Please abandon this boondoggle and manage our public lands in a responsible manner. Thank you for the opportunity to comment.