

Data Submitted (UTC 11): 12/5/2022 5:56:07 PM

First name: Cade

Last name: Kirschman

Organization:

Title:

Comments: I am deeply concerned about the ecological integrity of the project. Both methods of vegetation management outlined in the plan are forms of clear cutting, and there is ample evidence to suggest that any form of clear cutting could lead to destructive flooding and soil runoff. As there is already evidence that aquatic habitats in the area are in fragile states, flooding as a result of clear cutting would be devastating to the local aquatic habitats in addition to being a threat to local homeowners in the area. As such, I would suggest a more sustainable logging practice that would involve selectively logging tree species deemed the most expendable.