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I am vehemently opposed to any and ALL clear cutting of trees and forests.

Our trees are sustaining life and our very existence depends upon them.

Here in Louisville we are experiencing a crisis of excessive urban heat due to human activity which includes clear cutting trees. This is happening on a global scale. Management of forests by clear cutting is ecoligically damaging. How has this even become an option? It is not conscientious forestry tree management. It may be economical to clear cut and provide lumber to "someone". How has this become an option? Making money off of trees and in the process contributing to global warming is no different here legally by you than in the Amazon. We are fast reaching the tipping point of no return.