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Comments: I grew up visiting my grandparents in Hancock. The mature forests in that part of the state are truly special, really some of the last old growth we have left in the state. This land is more valuable to Vermonters as forest - for recreation, carbon sinks and wildlife habitat than it is for logging. Don't open this area up for timber harvesting - the stakes are too high and the lumber is not worth it.