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Comments: When I came home this evening and read of the US Forest Service's plan to log the Telephone Gap area of the Green Mountain National Forest, I was appalled. As a young man who has grown up in Vermont, the Green Mountain National Forest is an incredibly important place for me, especially areas surrounding Chittenden Reservoir. I have made many formative memories among the forested shores of the reservoir, as well as the surrounding peaks -- be it camping with friends, hiking with family, or falling in love with a girl underneath the trees. These forests are sacred, not just to me and other residents of this area, but to animals, our ecosystems, and our already threatened climate.

As such, I implore you not to log these trees.