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Comments: As a concerned resident of Vermont I and my wife ask that you not log or cut and wood in the telephone gap area of Vt.

We need every bit of forest we have to carbon capture now , not 50 to 100 years from now when a new grown forest could possibly replace what we have now .

Both NOAA and the IPPPC say that if we were to stop all carbon being put in the air now . Nothing would happen right now . In fact it would take at least 33 years for the effects of doing that ,would it start to help, and only then by 5% .

It's extremely likely that it would take 200-300 years for things to get back to so called normal.

Cutting forests down now and waiting more then 50 years for them to get back to the level that are presently at now capturing carbon is to long a time to help .

Thank-you for reading this and please act responsibly.