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Comments: Please do not remove old and mature trees from Telephone Gap area. I realize there's a plan to replant for new growth, but I feel this is not as wise at this time. We need to preserve the life of older trees because they store more Carbon than younger trees..... and we're at a tipping point.

The Public Forest is for the people, not for profit. Please look to making arrangements with private land owners for taking smaller trees. I realize that may not be as financially feasible to meet the Forest Service's intended timber harvest goals. But that is an outdated plan and goal. Today's priority should be to preserve old and mature trees as a Carbon sink to help slow the heating of the planet.

The large machinery on the soil will also have a destructive effect.

Please do the right thing for the earth, the public, climate resilience and the reservoir area. Thank you.

Respectfully, Sally