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Comments: The Green Mountain National Forest (GMNF) does not need to log another 11,000 acres of old growth forests. These old growth forests are a rarity in today's world, especially in Vermont and the rest of New England, and needs to be protected for the wildlife and to continue to remove carbon dioxide out of the atmosphere. Forests, in general, especially old growth forest protect the local habitats from erosion, to removing pollution from entering the water cycle, and helps to lessen the chance and severity of floods on the local areas. All of these are very good and important reasons not to remove any more trees from the GMNF.