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Comments: I am writing to encourage the Forest Service to NOT allow logging at the Telephone Gap site. This plan is short sighted and based on outdated science. It is becoming very clear that to avoid catastrophic climate change we need forests and in particular old growth forests. This forest should be protected as a way to protect the environment that so many species depend on....us! By building logging roads the water quality will be adversely affected and more deleterious erosion will take place. These are public lands and should be treated that way- not just for the economic benefits of loggers. Please stop the destruction of this important habitat!