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Comments: Dear Policymakers.

I'm writing to express my opposition to the proposed development of the Telephone Gap in the Green Mountain Forest. It is an old growth forest which was accorded protection last year by President Biden. It provides clean headwaters benefitting wildlife, vegetation and people. The trees temper flooding downstream as well as keep excess nutrients out of our waters. They are a carbon sink and once gone can never be reclaimed. Please reconsider your decision, do not add this tract to the already accelerated logging taking place. Thank you for your consideration, Humbly submitted by Lorraine Kewer