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Comments: I am a new resident of Vermont and after moving here have felt that I now live in a very climate and ecologically aware state. Then I start paying attention and saw the proposal of cutting the forest in the Chittenden area of the Green mountains. When I first read about the plan to cut thousands of acres of our nearby forest, I was stunned that it was in the National Forest plan and am strongly opposed to losing any of our forest. Aren't we already aware of what the trees provide for the humans that live under them. Who will benefit from cutting these living giants - the lumber industry? Who will lose out when these trees are cut down - all of us who have hope to continue to live on this planet. Please register my opposition to cutting in the Telephone Gap area around the Chittenden Reservoir and keep me informed as to future chances to see that this does not happen. Thank you.