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Comments: Simply put, my opinion based on living on the Twisp River in the Methow Valley for more than 40 years is that this project is overkill.

Much of the area to be logged has experienced wildfire in the last twenty years. I know because I've lived through them all. I have hiked this valley a lot -- have walked through most, if not all, the burned areas. I have also wandered through the unburnt, unlogged (in my time here) areas.

While some judicious thinning might help some areas, this logging project is too extreme. Beyond the fact that I don't believe the USFS can truly monitor and control what the loggers will actually do.

Scrap this project!