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Comments: Greetings! I am writing to request that you do a full Environmental assessment before logging the 5000 acres near the Sheltowee Trail. That trail is beloved by Kentuckians and is becoming more widely used so to destroy the forests near that trail would be devastating to the tourist industry. More important is preserving valuable forest for wildlife and for the health of our state.

Somehow the Forest Service needs to find ways to raise money other than logging unless it is to make the forest healthier and then with clear plans to do work in an environmentally thoughtful way....not for profit. If they do it that way, they do not need to take short cuts to avoid scrutiny. In too many corporations money seems to be the motivation rather than what is best for our world. I hate to see the Forest Service acting in the same way.