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There are a host of specific reasons why this proposed project should be significantly modified. I feel sure you've heard about these from my neighbors in Sandwich and Tamworth. I wish to make a statement different from the specifics issues concerning this project.

When the Forest Service proposes management, as you know, you are proposing management of the lives within the proposed project and those of the residents who live adjacent to these areas. This is not to mention the many others who come to our area to hike and recreate, and who, like us, enjoy the peace, quiet, and beauty of the area.

The proposed project seems to me to be very intrusive to the interests mentioned above and I wish to call your attention to this kind of impact. My primary concern is ecological--as I'm left somewhat in doubt about euphemisms like "forest management" and making correlations between that and practices of native, indigenous people. The proposed project seems far in excess of anything that "needs" to happen. A secondary concern is economic as this project will have an economic impact on our little villages that depend on folks who come here for the peace, quiet, and beauty mentioned above.