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"One planned harvest area is immediately adjacent to the Liberty and Brook Trails on Mt Chocorua and includes a large prescribed fire area. The plan does not include any forest buffer between the designated harvest area and the hiking trails. "

In all cases where forest harvesting occurs, aesthetic considerations must be given priority. The forests are spiritual resources for human beings. Cathedral renovations would have to take the parishioners and visitors into account-don't you agree? - Margaret Edwards. 8/30/23