Data Submitted (UTC 11): 10/23/2023 5:12:13 PM First name: Rachel Last name: Reilly Organization: Title:

Comments: This project should immediately be placed on hold until the white mountain management plan can be updated to reflect current environmental knowledge. Humans are destroying this planet at a record rate - and old growth forests are becoming rare - and clearly are not easy to recover. Organizations frequently have patterns of behavior that can be difficult to stop, pause or reconsider- but for the love of Earth, please stop cutting down mature forests just to keep with outdated management plans.