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Comments: I am vehemently opposed to this planned burning of our public wilderness land. My opposition is not based on the esthetics of old-growth forests but on the climate crisis which is threatening the survival of human and non-human life. Science has shown that diverse, older forests sequester 70% more carbon than monoculture plantations. Research also reveals that the burning of trees, particularly older trees, releases the carbon that those trees have stored. That is just that this planned burn is a bad idea. Please listen to the people who taxes support the agency.