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Comments: To the Forest Service -

I'm writing in reference to the Sequoia and Sierra National Forests Prescribed Fire Project #65081 proposal. I do not agree with human-driven manipulation of Wilderness. This is inconsistent with the letter and spirit of the 1964 Wilderness Act, and burns forests because of human wants and wishes, rather than allowing nature to take its course with fire caused by lightning. From a wilderness perspective, it is far better to allow natural fires to occur.

Please comply with the Wilderness Act and exclude all of the designated Wildernesses from your proposed burning plans for the Sequoia and Sierra National Forests. Some of America's most loved Wilderness areas are at stake! Please allow natural, lightning-caused fire to play its ecological role in Wilderness on the Sequoia and Sierra National Forests.

Thank you in advance -

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