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Comments: I live east of the north central cascades in a fire prone area, with many devastating wildfires in the past several years. We have used prescribed burns as part of our fire management plan, but admittedly these human-caused fires do not always stay contained as planned and have resulted in wild, out-of-control fires, especially in hard to manage wilderness areas.

I believe that fire management should allow natural, lightning-caused fire to play its ecological role in the wilderness areas where I live AND in the special wild, beloved places in the wilderness of the Sequoia and Sierra National Forests. Please do not allow prescribed burns in these areas.