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Comments: I am opposed to any more logging in mature or old growth forests. I am also opposed to "thinning " forests as research has shown, do not lessen the loss of trees due to forest fires. It is a disguise for continuing tree logging. These forests provide wildlife habitat and clean drinking water for our communities. Old growth and mature trees are increasingly threatened by any logging as well as wildfires, drought, insects and disease. THE ENVIRONMENT CANNOT AFFORD TO LOSE ANY MORE OLD GROWTH OR MATURE TREES TO LOGGING. "THINNING" IS A DISGUISE FOR CONTINUED LOGGING. Respectfully. Lawrence J Drummond, 01/11/2024