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Comments: Our national forests must be protected!

We are losing ground in the fight against climate change. To fight global warming, we need to leave old-growth forests intact. These are vital carbon sinks that draw gigatons of CO₂ from the atmosphere in the next few decades. Preserving and restoring our forests is critical to this effort.

Specifically, I am calling on the Forest Service to ban logging in the following areas: Black Hills National Forest in Wyoming and South Dakota (180,000 acres); Chequamegon-Nicolet National Forest in Wisconsin (12,000 acres); Willamette National Forest in Oregon (2,000 acres); Green Mountain National Forest in Vermont (15,000 acres); Klamath National Forest in California (2,500 acres).

We have only one planet and the clock is ticking on our time to preserve it.