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Comments: I am a very wealthy individual whose family immigrated to the United States and it is now six generations that have prospered as private landowners with timber holdings. I have been surrounded by the logging industry and modern timber management practices my whole life and have spent a lot of time on the private timberland to understand the impact of commercial timber production. With biodiversity in mind, we need to preserve and protect our remaining old growth and mature forests. Their greatest value is in preservation. Thank you.