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Comments: Industrial and/or thinning of old growth forests does not make any sense in the 21st century. There are plenty of third growth forests to sustainably provide for the human race. These older forests are precious and cannot be regrown in our lifetime. Cutting them down is destroying the heritage of this nation and harms the planet and humans immeasurably. We have done ENOUGH HARM to the environment as it is - why not save these magnificent trees and their ecosystems? Why do government agencies tasked with MANAGEMENT of these priceless parcels want to KILL EVERYTHING that is wild and diverse? This is the time to DRAW A LINE IN THE SOIL - STOP KILLING THE OLD TREES NOW! They and the animals and water and soil and air they protect must be PROTECTED from greedy and soul-dead humans who seem to ENJOY killing them. No amount of money or doublespeak (fire suppression?) can justify destroying the last of these magical places. DO NOT KILL OLD FORESTS - PRESERVE THEM NOW. ELDER TREES DESERVE TO LIVE.