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Comments: , there has been a 2.51-million-acre

net decline of mature forests, with about a tenth of this

becoming old growth (a 0.28-million-acre net increase in

old growth). This is totally unacceptable. The service must stop allowing commercial logging of these trees. They are vitally important to numerous endangered species and in many areas to native people as well. Our children and grandchildren must have the opportunity to hike in these glorious areas. Protect the forests from commercial inappropriate uses. Cattle also do not belong on these lands.