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Dennis,

Good morning. I have a question and request for information to help formulate comments about the above NOI.

I'm following up on a voice message that I have left for you regarding the NOI for the forest plan amendments. The notice does not contain enough information to understand the magnitude of the forest plan amendment specifically regarding the maintenance and expansion of mature old growth forest, specifically those mature old growth areas inside the boundaries of Lassen County, California. It would be helpful to receive a map or some sort of visual of where those forest conditions exist (including a table or tabulation of the acreage of those stands). It would also be helpful to know how much of those stands have been impacted by recent wildfire events in the last ten years, such as the impacts of the Dixie Fire, Sheep Fire, Gold Fire, Hog Fire on those areas.

Could you provide me with this information to aid in considering developing comments in response to the NOI?

Thank you.

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