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Comments: It scares me to imagine so much land being wiped out. So much life being killed. And the beauty and integrity of the Vermont landscape destroyed. Life that has been here long before you or I have been here, and has the right to continue long after we are gone. We all know the Earth is not able to sustain us as we live now. We all know that climate change is killing vast amounts of life, human and non-human. It isn't fair, and we should not continue in this process. Please, please don't destroy my home. Our home. The forest is our water, our air, our happiness. For us and future generations, let us protect the forest instead of destroy it.