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Comments: Hi,

As a retired Soil Scientist and GIS Specialist for NRCS, I know the value of old-growth and late-succession ecosystems in our forests, and fully support your efforts to protect these dwindling ecosystem resources. Please choose an option that offers the best protections for these beautiful trees, so we can continue to learn about their characteristics for future management.