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Comments: I recently had a portion of my land in Orleans county machine logged per the advice of the forester. In addition 300+acres of neighboring land were logged for current use requirements. With climate change plus a shortage of hands-on loggers there is increasing dependence on machine logging, a process which evulses rather than cuts lumber with a huge amount of waste left behind.

Old growth forests are part of our returning heritage in Vermont since the time when most land was cleared centuries ago. They must be protected.