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Comments: As a resident of Okanogan County, former wildland firefighter and current farmer, I support the Midnight Project. Thank you for your proactive plan to conduct landscape-scale forest treatment. I support commercial and non-commercial forest thinning in the project area. I think it will be especially important to retain and promote large trees, snags and logs; restore variable tree clump and gap patterns; and return fire to the landscape through prescribed burns and pile burning.