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Comments: I object to the logging of old growth timber. The science for it is outdated. We now know that the "grandfather" trees add to the health of the forest. Clear cutting, by what ever definition, is a bad practice even before the resiliency science dealing with global climate change.

It adds to biodiversity stress, flooding, removes corridors for species adaptive movement.

The scope and timeline for either proposal is ludicrous given the speed with which the science and the climate are changing. I suggest you get your data up to date, remove the private corporate pressure, and dump this project.

I have lived in a state that said that one wobbly tree for every 10 acres was not clearcutting. What a joke. I have seen the damage firsthand. Keep the roads out, keep the old growth growing.

Thank you for asking for comments.