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Comments: I oppose the proposed logging of our beautiful Jellico Mountains. Stop destroying the natural landscape God so generously entrusted to us. Biodiversity loss is a concern. Logging our ancient mountains only disrupts and destroys native plant and animal life. Wildlife will loose their shelter, food sources, migration routes, and are more vulnerable to hunting and poaching as logging roads make once undisturbed forest areas more easly accessible to human activity. Not to mention the risk of erosion and the damage that it could easily entail when heavy rain seasons occur. I stand in unison with many others whom oppose destroying something that should be left for future generations to enjoy.