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Comments: As part of the NEPA process, it's essential to highlight my opposition to the Forest Service's indiscriminate cutting of older forests driven by volume-based timber targets. Older forests are vital for biodiversity, carbon sequestration, and habitat preservation. Linking forest cutting to performance reviews is absurd! Putting a 40 year plan in ace is ridiculous and ongoing review is needed. Clear cutting and sheltering in an old growth forest is never the answer and immoral. Stop this money grab of a plan. The forest service needs to protect and manage not destroy for money!