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In the preceding article the USDA reveals that over 90% of public water is derived from surface water on national forests. Monsanto/Bayer has settled over 165,000 lawsuits attributed to the use of glyphosate, worth approximately \$11 billion with 54,000 suits still pending.

Knowing the above facts why does the USFS believe it is safe to utilize any herbicides, particularly glyphosate, as a method of invasive plant control? For the sake of public, plant, soil and wildlife health I strongly encourage the USFS to stop using herbicides on any and all national forests including the Siuslaw.