

Data Submitted (UTC 11): 8/6/2024 4:42:18 PM

First name: Susan

Last name: Bean

Organization:

Title:

Comments: I request that the Forest Service provide more information and complete more analysis before approving the GAP Project. Including:

- state a duration for the GAP Project to help clarify its environmental impacts
 - identify cove forests in the project area and exclude them from logging activities
 - make a distinction based on whether or not trees will be removed from the site - this will help avoid future confusion over which management activities are allowed in a particular site
- and
- amend the project so as to not allow commercial timber harvest or road construction along the Appalachian Trail, in Backcountry Management Areas, or in Special Interest Areas

Thank you.