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Comments: Hello, I have participated in invasives removal in old growth stands in the Gifford Pinchot National Forest as a volunteer with Cascade Forest Conservancy. I understand how difficult it is to eradicate these plants from the environment. I learned a lot about what invasives do to the ecology and how their spread can be enabled by people. This education was invaluable for me to be able to do my part to limit my contribution to that spread. It is my sincere hope that we work towards solutions that do not involve chemicals that harm other life and contaminate soils and waterways. Please do absolutely everything possible to refrain from using chemical herbicides to kill invasive.