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Comments: I am a native Oregonian. I have lived in Central Oregon almost all my life!

There has always been a conflict on how our forests should be managed and unfortunately that is Determined by what politicians are in office! I would like to see commonsense policy used! We need to instruct the Forrest Sevice and BLM to do more thinning and logging areas to sustain the growth of thick under brush! Employment of more crews to do this maintenance ! Yes this is expensive but I'm sure this is way more than the cost of fighting fires plus the lose of our beautiful trees and thousands of dollars in lose of homes and animals!

I'm 82 years old and I would love to see this constant issue solved for my grandkids future. Thank you, Harold Still