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Comments: We had to move away from the town in Northern California where we were born and raised partly because of the bad management st the USFS. At 64 years old, we fled our homeland and moved away from California and the fires. We had a grazing permit, and the King Fire all but put us out of the cow business. For the next few years, it was very obvious which plots belonged to private vs public lands - the government ground was a messy disaster, while the timber company land was cleaned up and replanted.

We understand that that there's a fundamental problem: if/when the Forest Service tries to do anything, the environmental lobby puts litigation out there to stop it. As a result, the FS personnel are disinclined to try very hard, and the forests suffer. This has to be fixed!

This whole situation almost seems unfixable to us - until the US gets back to "common sense" we don't see much help for our forests. What a terrible shame[hellip]