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Comments: Do not allow further old growth deforestation anywhere in the country. Our old growth forests have been decimated by centuries of thoughtless expansion and drive for profits, snd this has done irreparable harm to hundreds of fragile environments. We have many newer growth areas and tree farms that should be utilized instead, keeping lumber jobs in the country and preserving what little we have left of the old growth so it can heal and expand back into its old territories. This will improve land and air quality in those regions immensely. While we are at it, allow Indigenous communities who have knowledge of the areas that require it to practice controlled burns to preserve forest health.