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Old-growth forests and trees are invaluable in terms of cultural and biodiversity values. They also play a crucial role in capturing and storing significant amounts of carbon. These forests also provide clean drinking water, support diverse plant and animal life, offer cultural resources for Tribes, and contribute to recreational activities that promote overall well-being.