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Comments: I am a citizen of Kentucky who is very concerned about the health of our National Forests and I urge you to immediately stop cutting old-growth in the Daniel Boone National Forest.

As currently proposed, the NOGA draft it would still allow logging of old-growth, and it does nothing to protect mature forests and trees - the old-growth of the future - from logging.

Old growth and mature forests serve a valuable function in storing carbon, not just in their wood, but in the soil held by their root systems.

I am especially alarmed by the possibility of clear cutting areas in the DBNF on steep slopes. This will significantly increase the risk of catastrophic flooding for those who live in the area.