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Comments: The old growth ecosystems in national forests sequester an immense and vital amount of carbon and also provide habitat for many creatures, plants and fungi that may prove to be vital to human health and our future survival. Old growth and mature forests are a priceless and irreplaceable resource. Please protect them permanently and do not allow harvesting. Once they're gone, they're gone. Don't let commercial interests do that. The Siuslaw National Forest and other Pacific Northwest mature forests are a national resource for us all and our future. Let's keep them intact for future generations! Thank you.