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Comments: This project should include additional areas prescribed for late successional and old-growth management to ensure compliance with the National Old-Growth Amendment and strengthen protections for mature and old-growth trees. The Forest Service should ensure this project does not result in the loss of existing or potential old-growth and should retain a significant amount of the older overstory.

The Forest Service should update the 2004 Daniel Boone Forest Plan to comply with the National Old-Growth Amendment and to reflect the latest science, especially with regard to climate change and the positive role played by mature and old-growth forests. Thank you.