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Comments: I support Alternative C, the Wilderness Exclusion Alternative.

The Forest Service should exclude all designated and recommended Wildernesses from its proposed cutting and burning plans for the Sequoia and Sierra National Forests in order to comply with the Wilderness Act.

The Forest Service should also add the Moses Mountain Recommended Wilderness to Alternative C.

The agency should instead allow natural, lightning-caused fire to play its ecological role in designated and recommended Wilderness on the Sequoia and Sierra National Forests.

I was a member of the Save Kaiser Ridge Committee, and testified in the US House of Representatives and the US Senate in 1974 and 1976, to establish the Kaiser Wilderness.

Thank you for your consideration.