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I'm writing as a citizen in opposition to the plan by the US Forest Service (USFS) to open up the Telephone Gap area in Green Mountain National Forest to logging. This is one of the last old-growth stands of forest left in Vermont, and in my opinion we are long past the time when the USFS should be selling timber from our national forests at a loss to taxpayers--all to the benefit of logging companies.

Instead, we should re-direct the mission of the USFS to put more emphasis on recreational services and expanding USFS wilderness areas. We need old-growth forests for carbon sequestration and cleaner air.

Thank You, Byron Reed