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Comments: The Telephone Gap Forestry Management plan appears regressive and ignorant of the best science on the value of old growth forest, for global and local environmental stewardship. It is a shame to miss the few opportunities to protect these last forests of this mature condition in central Vermont. Please reconsider the consequences of not actively working to protect these lands you have been entrusted with. Thank you.