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Comments: Dear Project Official,

Our old-growth forests need protection. It's not just a tree that would be cut down, it's also the home to birds, owls, squirrels, and a host of other wildlife. Please do not allow logging in these beautiful forests! The damage that would be done will last for decades. We cannot keep clearing land - we need the forests for our air, water and to hold the ground together.

Hiking in the forests is a special experience. My children loved going through the woods and seeing all the different plant life, birds, and other fascinating things only the forest can offer.

Where will the children hike if logging is allowed?

Please - protect our forests!

Regards,

Barbara Phillips Michel