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Comments: Please protect the forests that are a pride of the Pacific Northwest. Firstly, the way we treat our forests should be with a deep respect of elders; of the land, water and trees. We need the Northwest Forest Plan to carefully protect our public lands from harmful commercial logging practices that disregard the value of standing trees, the wildlife habitat and water systems whose health are intricately connected. Clean air and water are vital to everyone. And we can't trust logging companies or our forest service to do what is best without the guidance of the NWFP. I am ashamed of how we disrespect our land and believe that we failed when we took advantage of and overlooked the wisdom and guidance of our native ancestors. Our children deserve a future they can look forward to and proudly managed forests with mature trees.