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Comments: I support strong protections for our public lands, especially the forests of this country. Forests, especially mature forests, are vital for healthy habitats, climate stability, as well as clean air and water. Forests should be managed according to science based best practices in order to keep them healthy and wildfire resistant. In addition, indigenous knowledge and perspectives should be respected and included in any forest management plans. Our forests should be regarded with the utmost reverence, and any plan for our forests should begin with the consideration of how we, the public, can best serve our revered forests.