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Comments: To Whom It May Concern:

Thank you for taking the time to read my email.

I am a **STRONG** supporter of keeping our forests intact and standing especially as it pertains to old growth or mature trees. These trees are **ESSENTIAL** for our clean air - they are this planet's lungs. In order for our planet to offset our carbon, we need trees. And wildlife need these trees - they provide habitat for numerous species of animals, plants and fungi. This is their home too.

I live in Central Oregon and the forests are also essential to our economy as tourism is our top industry - people come here to bike and hike and camp - it is so important as these forests are our playgrounds - responsibly speaking. I love the feeling of being out in our forests amongst the trees and clean mountain air. I can't imagine what it would like if the trees we gone.

I am vehemently opposed to any proposed changes by the Trump administration to deforest our country all in the name of money and hate for something he doesn't understand or care about.

Thank you for reading...