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Comments: The importance of intact forests and ecosystems cannot be overstated. We have plenty of industrial alternatives to timber. Clear-cutting is short sighted greed and deficit long-term economic planning. As people, we are responsible for the care of our home planet. Ecology matters and the earth is not simple a resource extraction project, the earth is very much alive and the source of our health and life, as well. The necessity to honor and respect our planet, most especially the trees, is tantamount to safety and sanity. Trees provide us with oxygen and are integral to the health of our air. We literally cannot breathe without oxygen. Trees are the most accurate and ancient representation of life and we do best as a species to understand their importance, their right to life, their generosity and the pivotal role they play in planetary health, our health and the health of all living beings. Enough is enough. I oppose clear-cutting measures in our national forests and if the reason for that is not clear, I can only hope humanity will wake up to the consequences of destruction and choose life with me and other concerned global citizens.