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The DEIS incorrectly justifies logging and thinning in mature west-side moist forests as a means of reducing fire risk, despite current scientific evidence contradicting this claim. The most effective approach to minimizing fire risk and enhancing climate resilience is to allow these forests to mature and achieve full canopy closure.