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Comments: Dear Regional Foresters Buchanan and Eberlien,

What is the "C" word you are embracing as you develop the latest Northwest Forest Plan?

Is It "Citizens"?

As in the people of the United States that will benefit will benefit from a mature forest 150 years from now? You know the same age as the trees you want to clear cut...

Is it "Conservation"?

As in the previous standard of preserving what little forest remains; for citizens, for animals for stream and salmon and our drinking water? You know, saving the remaining tiny patches of forest in the region of Oregon you are responsible for.

Is it "Corporations"?

As in soulless entities that only care for profits at the cost of an old growth forest for our great-great grandchildren? You know short sighted looters who will create their destruction and be gone in five years.

Is greed seeping into the Forest Service so thick that you deliberately move on the few remaining stands of old growth forest in the National Forest? And for what? To send wood chips overseas to come back as press board furniture? Is the loss of Future Value that spectacular?

What A Miserable Game being pressed upon you by short sighted bureaucrats - who have never explored beyond their board room and into the parking lot of a National Forest.

Shame on them and shame on you to even consider taking the last of our natural resources and turning it into clearcut and strip mines. What next? Shoot the bear or mountain lion rattling trashcans for food - searching in the same valley that was once his parents' wilderness home. Turn away the tourist economy because there are no salmon runs?

Shame on you.

There are enough private forests owned by private corporations to make 2x4's for new homes.

Please - Do Not Mess with the National Forests as well. Your great grandchildren will thank you. I will thank you. The forest and her creatures will thank you.

Hands Off... Please.

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