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Dear Acting Supervisor,

I am submitting comments in opposition to the North Trinity County Community Risk Reduction Project.

I am alarmed by the short-sightedness of the actions proposed in this project. I frequently visit these forests and regard this landscape as a sacred sanctuary-one of the few remaining places where wildlife, old-growth ecosystems, clean water, and people can coexist in a healthy and resilient environment. These public lands belong to all of us and should be managed for long-term ecological health and public benefit, not for commercial profit.

The scale of logging proposed across Northern Spotted Owl Critical Habitat, Late Successional Reserves, and Riparian Reserves would permanently alter the character and ecological function of one of the most significant forest ecosystems in the National Forest System. Reducing canopy cover, removing large trees, constructing temporary roads, and creating extensive disturbance across the landscape is inconsistent with true forest stewardship and resiliency.

I urge you to revise the Environmental Assessment and adopt a more targeted, enforceable, and scientifically grounded approach that protects this irreplaceable public resource for future generations.

Sincerely,

Maite Acedo