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Dear BLM

Please take your WOPR and throw it into the garbage can of bad ideas, or better yet into the paper recycle bin.

NO ACTION is the only sensible, legal, + moral choice.

NO MORE CLEARCUT OLD GROWTH.

Your ~~hard~~ hard to manage tree plantations are everywhere; + require your immediate attention to protect us from fire + to supply sustainable timber production for our log mills.

Current riparian protection must not be taken away from the salmon. These forests exist only because of millions of years of salmon cycle fertilizer contributions. Salmon is great sport fishing + nutrition. Say thanks to the salmon and maintain the current necessary protection of streams.

Everyone here knows the 1987 Silver Fire in Josephine county was so terrible because of logging slash in tree plantations. NO MORE CLEARCUTS

The problem of global warming requires that all big trees Old Growth continue to sequester carbon. ~~WOPR~~ WOPR foolishly disregards this reality

I live next to BLM and an off road vehicle nut who has no respect for peace and quiet or BLM rules.

these vehicles are destructive to the land + are too noisy to make good neighbor fun, + do not belong anywhere near residential ~~land~~ areas as proposed in WOPR for the 2 Illinois Valley locations.

Please do not allow this.

Off highway vehicle owners rights do NOT trump my rights ~~to~~ to the peaceful quiet walks I frequently take on the beautiful BLM forests in my neighborhood.

Northwest Forest Plan, Endangered Species Act, the Clean Water Act are the Law of our Land. BLM must follow these laws: WOPR disregards them.

BLM, you are my next door neighbor. the law + common decency require you to follow existing environmental law and dump the WOPR.

NO MORE CLEAR CUT OLD GROWTH.

You have more ~~of~~ tree plantations now than you seem to have time or resources to manage. the timber companies are not your Boss. The public is!

Thank you.

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