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Dear Bureau of Land Management,

I plead with you from the very bottom of my heart to let the old-growth trees remain standing and our public streams and fish population remain clean and vital until the end of time; as a legacy to our children's children's children . . . , to maintain an adequate supply of oxygen for all of us - including you - and to keep absolutely stunningly beautiful our blessedly rich state of Oregon - for which we are all so very proud.

I sincerely pray that you will be divinely guided to have a change of heart and priority as to what really matters in the long run - cohorting with our despicable federal government and siding with the greedy, uncaring wishes of the timber industry or really managing and protecting the gorgeous, God-given land you've been entrusted with caring for for the benefit of all humankind.

Changing your mind and making a dramatic decision to save and protect the 2.6 million acres of Oregon's public forests and streams, I foresee you as an ethical body of land stewards going down in our history books as true heroes - who stood up to the money-hungry factions with courage and spiritual understanding - that you saw the light and decided to act righteously.

For this highly possible potential of actually happening, I thank you, in advance, and would love to personally shake each of your hands with utter admiration, pride and respect for a job superiorly well done.

With Unending Thanks!

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