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Oregon's mismanagement and abuse of our public lands needs to stop. As a long-time hiker and explorer of our state lands the ongoing and increasing degradation of our older forests has caused a cascading environmental collapse. Here's a thought: begin halting whole log exports and subsidizing new and upgraded local mills. Our state has too long been dominated by the timber industry which has no obligation to either timber towns or the general Oregon public.