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Comments: I think the forest service has lost its way with regard to supporting biodiversity and using our national forests as a carbon sink to help climate change. Why should mature trees up to 24 inches be cut? These are holding lot of carbon, and burning them is releasing that carbon into the air, it makes no sense. And wildlife needs cover to survive- why scalp the small plants and shrubs that wildlife depends on? You say it is to reduce the risk of fire but it sounds like the science is that way less acreage of natural fire has occurred in NM compared to the number of acres burned by fires set by the Forest Service. These are aggressive proposals that seem to have no regard for the wildlife that lives in these tracts of land. I oppose the "restoration plan" as outlined above.