

California Air Resources Board's proposed AB32 Cap-and-Trade Forestry Protocol allows clearcutting as carbon offsets for smokestack emissions

To oppose this destructive standard:

**Join us at the December 16 Air Resources Board meeting in Sacramento
and/or**

Have a group you support sign the attached letter

Don't let this become the face of California's effort to fight global warming:



Typical clearcut that would be allowed under the rules in California, across the United States, and potentially internationally.

These must not become “green” carbon credits



As is happening in the Sierra Nevada, the Protocol allows adjacent forests to be clearcut after five years

The cap and trade proposed rule: <http://www.arb.ca.gov/regact/2010/capandtrade10/capandtrade10.htm>

The forest protocol section: <http://www.arb.ca.gov/regact/2010/capandtrade10/cappt5.pdf>

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