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Kirk Girard / Planning Commission  
Humboldt County Planning Commission  
3015 H St.  
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Dear Planning Commissioners,

I have been resident & home owner of Freshwater since 1995. I have seen firsthand the damages to the watershed attributable to the overly aggressive logging practices of Pacific Lumber. We are still living with the destructive effects.

I am interested in the Planning Commission influencing the General Plan so as to insure the ongoing improving health of our local watersheds. Rules to protect salmon habitat, forests, wildlife, and humans must be adopted so that our current degraded watershed will improve during my lifetime.

Please consider the following:

- ① strict limitations on conversion of timber lands to residential use
- ② county rules for industrial timber lands/logging.
- ③ in general, I support Option A.

Respectfully,



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