Dear Team:

Thank you for the opportunity to comment on the proposed Blue Mountain Forest Resiliency Project.

1. Temporary roads. Please reassess your road building proposals.

"Temporary roads" are anything but temporary. During the 1980's, road mileage doubled in the WWNF from about 4,500 miles to over 9,000. Declaring roads "closed" is insufficient. They need to be decommissioned and the Forest Service has not had, and likely will not have, sufficient funding to decommission new roads.

Most importantly, please do not build any roads, "temporary" or otherwise, in Inventoried Roadless Areas.

2. Large trees. Large trees are fire resistant. Please leave them be.

Sincerely,
Pete Sandrock