



Forest Service  
U.S. DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE

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# PLEASE DON'T WOUND TREES

Severely damaged trees must be **removed.**

**Don't damage trees** with tools or nails or leave ropes tied to trees.

The bark protects the thin rind of **living layers** underneath.

Damaging trees on National Forest System land is a **fineable offense.**

THANK YOU FOR PROTECTING A HEALTHY FOREST FOR ALL TO ENJOY!