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Council members,

What on earth is happening with the scorched-earth deforestation along the banks of the Clark Fork River? It looks appalling. Whose Idea is this? Why? Was this decision even put before the public for comment or feedback? Go take a stroll down Broadway and take a look around. Ask yourselves if you're doing a good job or if the city is any better off than it was 10 years ago. There's garbage everywhere, every bum in a 3 state radius is shooting up meth under the bridges, and now the biggest reason people live in Missoula, the beautiful nature at our city's heart has been destroyed. No more nesting birds singing, no animals to be seen, no shade on the banks of the river, an entire ecosystem destroyed. Evidently making the center of our city look like a Soviet block by chopping down the beautiful old growth trees because they were, "past their lifespan" wasn't enough. You are the worst stewards in this city's history.

Great job,
Zach