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Rivers are ecosystems, and humankind is only alive, safe and has oxygen and water because of wild, natural ecosystems, alone. Only wild and natural ecosystems generate and flow every single life line mankind requires for life itself. Slicing and dicing ecosystems into smaller portions with man's ecological destruction, like skinning Earth to make trails for human entertainment is scientifically, "fragmentation", a top agent of the extinctions of biological diversity and bio means, "life". Only all wild and native species are biological diversity [bio means life!]; the National Academy of Sciences state, the extinctions of the strands in the web of all life are as safe for Earth and mankind as global, thermonuclear, BIOLOGICAL DIVERSITY ALONE, IS THE STRANDS IN THE WEB OF ALL LIFE.

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