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As a citizen of the United States of America, I oppose the proposed Locatable Minerals rules change to allow a shift in "management" of the finding and extraction of these resources. We cannot ignore the immense value undisturbed wilderness holds for our current and future existence. As recreation hotspots, National Parks provide an integral and indisputable value for humanity. To be short-sighted enough to think that exploration and extraction are worth compromising the wildness of these locations is, simply, folly.

I encourage the USFS with every ounce of my energy to not ram this policy down a largely unaware populace's throats. Protect us, protect our futures, protect our forests, protect our wilderness. Industry is not worth it in the long-term. There are so few spaces deemed free and wild in our country. Let these federally protected areas remain just that.