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Dear Willamette National Forest,

The nature of a date-specific system adversely impacts a small but important group of longtime recreational users, climbers, along with others like photographers with the need to have maximum flexibility due to weather conditions. Please strongly consider allowing flexibility to accommodate things like last-minute decisions and postponements. Over the decades I have both initiated and cancelled planned alpine climbs in these three wildernesses, and a system that either provided barriers to access or excessive costs for these prudent and longstanding practices should not be instated.

Thanks for your consideration.

Sincerely, Doug Adair