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Comments: I understand the structural instability of the shelter. Why not tear down the shelter and build a new one?? The Stan Murray Shelter can only accomodate 6 personnel.....and there's no privy at that shelter.

There are a ton of shelters within a two miles of a road - so the ATC policy perogatives don't hold water in this example - it's BS. Is the 501 shelter in PA going to be torn down because it's within .4 of a road and folks can order pizzas from it??

Do not rip down this shelter and not replace it. That's myopic, ill concieved and not in line with the intent of supporting hikers.

If the Forest Service and the ATC decide to rip down this shelter and not replace it, all you're doing is looking out for your own priorities and ignoring those of hikers.