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Comments: Please drop the proposed Forest Plan amendment for the White Mountain National Forest as it considers how to address wilderness trail management. Amending the Forest Plan to allow trail relocation throughout Wilderness could weaken protections for currently trailless areas, which help protect plants and wildlife, keep wilderness from being overrun by humans, and offer a truly primitive experience or those who venture into these areas.

The Forest Service should instead conduct site-specific NEPA analysis for all trail relocations proposed outside established trail corridors in wilderness, looking on an individual basis allows for better analysis of impacts. Further, every effort should be made to relocate trails in wilderness within established trail corridors.

Key point, - all trail relocation work in wilderness should be completed using traditional skills and tools, - NO motorized and mechanized equipment!