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Comments: Protect our beloved Wilderness areas! To comply with the Wilderness Act, the Forest Service must exclude designated Wildernesses like Ansel Adams, John Muir, and Golden Trout from its burning plans in the Sequoia and Sierra National Forests. These natural wonders, including Dinkey Lakes, Kaiser, Kiavah, Monarch, South Sierra, Dome Land, and Jennie Lakes, deserve preservation.

Let's prioritize the ecological balance. Instead of planned burns, embrace the role of natural, lightning-caused fires in Wilderness areas. Our goal is harmony with nature, ensuring the well-being of these cherished landscapes. Join the call to safeguard the Sequoia and Sierra National Forests, advocating for a thoughtful approach that nurtures our environment.

It's time to act for the sake of Ansel Adams, John Muir, and all the Wilderness areas that define the beauty of our nation. Let your voice be heard in preserving these natural treasures for generations to come.