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The desire to facilitate or enhance a particular form of recreation or create developed recreational activities in Wilderness is counter to the Wilderness Act. Your primary duty is to protect Wilderness in its natural, untrammeled state, not to cater to destructive human activity. The Wilderness is for nature, NOT for humans. Humans are only visitors and have NO right to alter it for their selfish activities.

Wilderness is an endangered landscape. Less than 3 percent of land in the Lower 48 is protected as Wilderness, and it is under threat, including from rapidly escalating recreation pressures. Do not let short-sighted idiots destroy it in the name of "fun".