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Comments: The Alaska National Interest Lands Conservation Act (ANILCA) was intended to preserve and protect nationally significant public land in Alaska for present and future generations. By the time it was passed, unauthorized cabins had been constructed on federal lands, inside and outside areas ANILCA subsequently designated as Wilderness.

Cabins don't belong in designated Wilderness, paticularly since they were unauthorized at the time they were built. The U.S. Forest Service must leave its policy unchanged and phase out ANILCA cabins, as was the original intent. These cabins were never meant to persist in Wilderness, and to change this policy would undermine ANILCA and the Wilderness Act.