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Comments: The ANILCA cabins were unauthorized, a trespass on some of our most wild and precious public lands. They are analogous to the user created roads the Forest Service is closing nationwide. When ANILCA designated the largest block of wilderness in the United States, the forest service generously allowed the trespassers to stay for limited time and conditions. Honor the policies embedded in the passage of ANILCA. To change these policies is to gift a handful of people; transferring great wealth at the expense of wilderness values engrained in the Wilderness Act, degrading habitat and harming wildlife already challenged by climate change, and stealing from the American people. Do your job. Serve the public interest not a handful of people. Honor the existing policy. Leave the existing policy unchanged. Phase out ANILCA cabins, as intended. Protect wilderness and the Wilderness Act!