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Comments: Designated Wilderness is precisely that: wilderness. It is not that place for edging civilization and society disguised as rugged homes, lodges, or cabins. 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 remain in designated Wilderness, and to change this policy would undermine ANILCA and the Wilderness Act. Any additional alterations to the law, land or environmental preservations would be a tremendous step backwards we can no longer afford in our ecology. Thank you.