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Comments: I think the proposed policy changes to allow the Forest Service to continue authorizing the renewal or reissuance of special use permits for ANILCA cabins would repeat outdated provisions. Provisions that are now antithetical to preservation of precious public land and species of plants and animals currently living there. We have to stop this shortsided thinking and actions if we are to clamp down, and hopefully reverse, the ongoing climate catastrophe before it's too late. And, tic-toc, time to act is rapidly shrinking.

We can no longer embrace exceptions to preservation policies for the gain of a few people and companies. That "not in my backyard" attitude that pervades the climate concerns we profess.

Please step back and consider what this penny-wise/pound foolish kind of trade-off would be.