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Comments: The purpose a wilderness designation is to preserve wilderness. Exceptions made in the past for existing situations to create easeful transitions for people must remain as exceptions - and should not be swept in as status quo and allowed to continue. Cabins don't belong in designated Wilderness.

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.