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Comments: I have just learned that the ANILCA cabin restrictions are now being considered for removal, including the number of times a permit for an ANILCA cabin may be reissued or who may be listed on that permit. These changes could mean generations upon generations of a persisting structure. These cabins were never meant to persist in Wilderness, and to change this policy would undermine ANILCA and the Wilderness Act.

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.

Thank you, Caroline Metzler