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Comments: Dear Sir or Madam:

I am writing to object to the plan to use helicopters and other motorized equipment to reconstruct the Emerald Lake Shelter in the Mount Timpanogos Wilderness. It is my understanding that the shelter was originally constructed without the use of motorized equipment, and the use of such equipment is a clear violation of both the intent and word of the Wilderness Act.

In my opinion, the shelter itself is an intrusion on the wilderness and its wreckage should be packed out, not reconstructed!

Sincerely,

William K. Steele