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Comments: Question: Why reconstruct a useless, dilapidated, sheet metal Quonset hut in the Mount Timpanogos

Wilderness in northern Utah?

Answer: Yes, it was damaged by snow during the winter of 2021-2022, but It doesn't make sense for the agency to invade the Wilderness with helicopters, jackhammers, cement mixers, and other motorized equipment.

Absurdly the Forest Service claims that rebuilding the structure would improve the area's wilderness character. Structures should be removed if that can be done in a manner consistent with wilderness principles and if the impact from removing the structure is less than the impact from leaving the structure.

As always with man/nature contacts, less is more, i.e., NO helicopters, jackhammers blah blah blah to "improve the wilderness" quality of this location. Just allow for a minimalist approach to preserve the area. This IS your mandate, right?