



THE WILDERNESS SOCIETY

Judy Reardon
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Dear Judy,

The Wilderness Society strongly supports the Friends of Sandwich Range proposal for additional Wilderness in the White Mountain National Forest. We believe that the proposed extensions will further protect the unique historical and wilderness values of the area. These extensions will provide additional protections for interior forest habitats, increase the connectivity between existing protected areas, and enhance primitive recreational opportunities within the White Mountain National Forest. Additionally, we also support the designation of Sandwich Notch Road as a special use historic management unit and recognize the importance of this area to the cultural heritage of the town of Sandwich.

The Friends of Sandwich Range's efforts towards increasing more wilderness within the White Mountains should be applauded. We are happy to assist you in any way we can.

Sincerely,

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