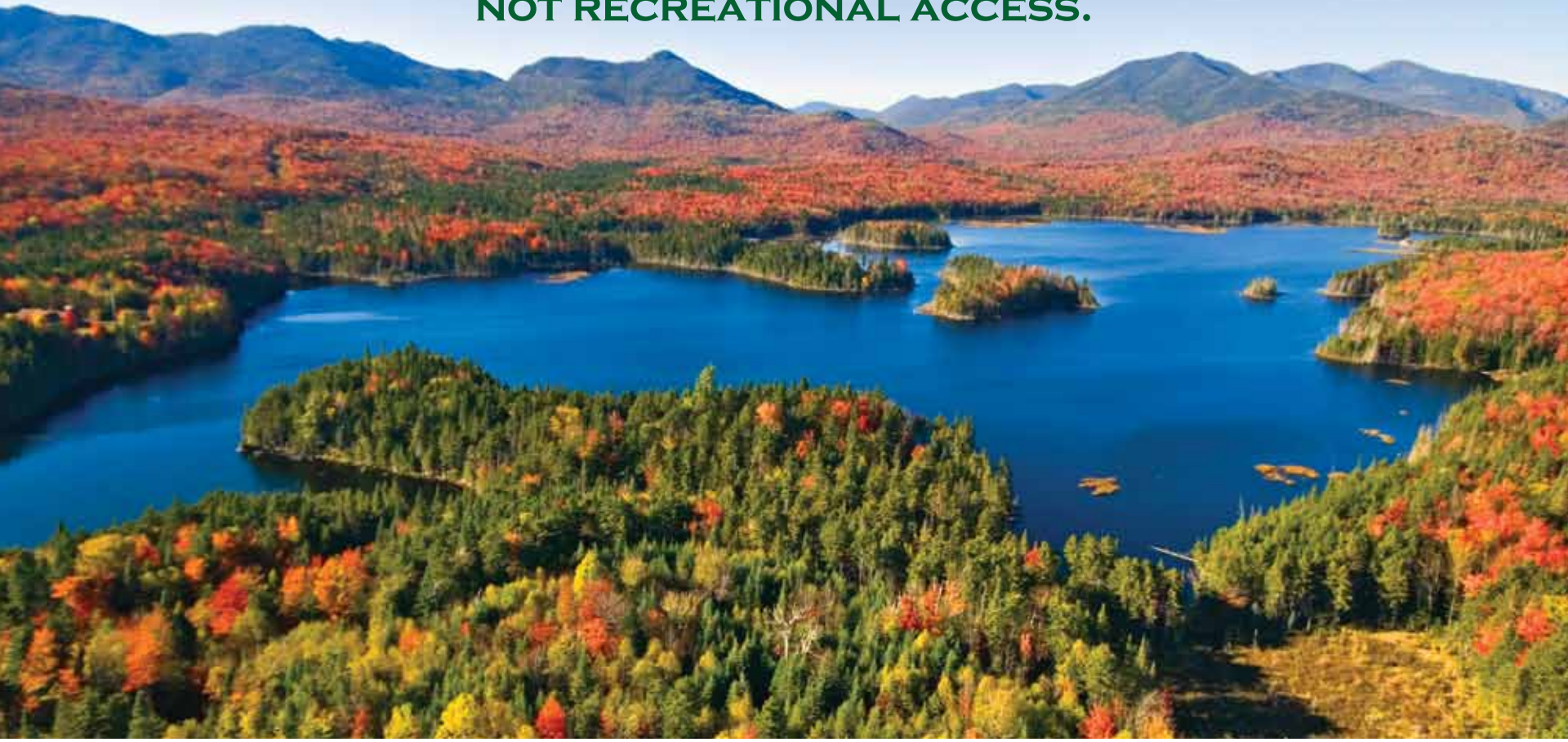


SPEAK UP FOR WILDERNESS AT BOREAS PONDS! DEC'S No. 1 PRIORITY SHOULD BE ENVIRONMENTAL CONSERVATION, NOT RECREATIONAL ACCESS.



Boreas Ponds by Carl Heilman II

Biological information is critical to good land-use planning. Adirondack scientists have documented important ecological and wilderness values at Boreas Ponds. Yet, so far our NYS DEC has not incorporated science-based information in its Interim Access Plan.

Under laws governing our Forest Preserve, recreation is very important — but secondary — to natural resource protection.

Stand with us for the wild. Support adding Boreas Ponds to the High Peaks Wilderness at 7 public hearings around New York State. Hearings begin on November 9th. To find the hearing nearest you and for more information about what's at stake, visit www.adirondackwild.org.

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