



WE'RE LOVING THE HIGH PEAKS WILDERNESS TO DEATH.



Main photo: A crowded day on Cascade Mt. Photo © Dan Plumley.
Inset photo: Overcrowded Rt 73 in the High Peaks Region. Photo ©Ken Rimany.

The NYS Department of Environmental Conservation's foremost and legally required goal must be the protection of the wilderness resource. That resource is fragile. We are not making more of it.

This is one shared, stressed ecosystem. In 2022 that ecosystem needs more forest rangers, better outreach and education, public safety, patience, restraint, and a limited entry or permit reservation system. Why? In order to preserve the High Peaks Wilderness and the experience as a visitor.

So, another big thank you to the Adirondack Mountain Reserve/Ausable Club, NYS Department of Environmental Conservation, Town of Keene and other collaborators for continuing a reservation system at the AMR's St. Hubert's trailheads this summer.

This wilderness resource is limited, so we all must fairly manage our daily use of it from this location. Let's evaluate this project after Year 2.

For reservation information, go to: www.hikeamr.org

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