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Comments: I think that climbing should continue to be allowed in NFS lands and wilderness areas. However, I think the amount of permanent installations (anchors) should be restricted. The Wilderness Act states in Section 2, sub-section (c), "... An area of wilderness is further defined to mean in this Act an area of undeveloped Federal land retaining its primeval character and influence, without permanent improvements or human habitation, which is protected and managed so as to preserve its natural conditions and which (1) generally appears to have been affected primarily by the forces of nature, with the imprint of man's work substantially unnoticeable...". Thus, I think sport climbing routes (where many bolts are permanently placed for protection) are antithetical to wilderness, and should not be allowed in the wilderness. However, I think traditional climbing should be allowed (where the pieces placed for protection by climbers are removed by the following climber) as there is no imprint left. Some traditional climbing routes do have bolted anchors just for the belay stations. As long as these are limited and for the most part "unnoticeable", I think these anchors could be considered. Thank you.