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Comments: I oppose the prospect of allowing fixed climbing anchors in any wilderness. The Wilderness Act specifically says "untrammeled by man." This means no permanent fixtures by humans are allowed in a designated wilderness. Allowing a case by case decision by an administrator opens the Forest Service to lawsuits that will be won by groups that support the 1964 Wilderness Act.