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Comments: It is a pleasure to comment on a proposed directive that would allow climbing on NFS lands. Having climbed in several different areas around the region, I have no doubt that such a directive will allow climbing to take place on NFS lands in a way that is in accord to the outer arching principles of the forest management. I was an ardent supporter of wild places before I was a climber. Crag trails and appreciating the natural world from cliffs with respectful people, is a highlight of my life. I am in full support of this directive.