Data Submitted (UTC 11): 12/20/2023 4:42:17 PM First name: Paul Last name: Koubek Organization: Title: Comments: Fixed anchors are essential to the enjoyment of congressionally protected wilderness areas, and do not impact the quality of said wilderness in any sort of way whatsoever.

Additionally, I am a lifelong professional guide who uses fixed anchors in my work. A fixed anchor ban in wilderness would impact my employment - a fixed anchor ban would be anti-industry.

Respectfully, Paul Koubek