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Comments: Realize that pulling fixed anchors on many of these areas will completely close them off to humans. What is the point of a national park if it's not to have humans enjoy it?

Another salient point, many of these fixed anchors are there only to protect the natural rocks from developing rope grooves or other unsightly, permanent side effects of human descent. One neutrally colored fixed anchor is much better for the environment and the aesthetics than 55 6-in rope grooves.

I do think fixed anchor should be used judiciously but there are many, many places that need them for safe descent.

It's also silly to enact a policy that is unenforceable. Bolt kits are cheap and some unscrupulous climbers will use them whether permitted or not. Better to be proactive and provide safe options for safe descent and ascent of these areas in as environmentally friendly way possible.