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Comments: I would like you to reconsider your approach to sustainable outdoor climbing. I work in healthcare as a primary care provider and physician assistant. My job is stressful and demanding and I manage the stress by climbing, especially lead climbing outside. I have been climbing for over 20 years since I was 11 years old and outdoor safety infrastructure such as bolting and route establishment for climbing has made my ability to recreate outside possoble. This is vital safety infrastructure and it allows Americans to spend more time in our parks and more time being physically active. Please continue to allow fixed anchors and fixed equipment for our safety, health and mental health.