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Comments: This is absolutely ludicrous, whoever is trying to ban fixed anchors clearly has never been Climbing or Been out on a limb in the mountains, big and small . I myself and friends alike have stories of near death experiences because of old bolts or poorly maintained climbing areas or just climbing areas with lack of fixed anchors. In order to descend safely at times you need to leave expensive climbing gear, which is going to prevent people with no money or lower income people from making safe decisions, asked me how I know. Maybe requiring a permit or governing body to place anchors, makes more sense, but to enact something like this is just unsafe.