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Comments: I am against the new draft policies in regards to classifying fixed anchors as "prohibited installations". Fixed anchors are essential for the safety of climbers. Imposing unnecessary obstacles to the maintenance of the fixed anchors is overturning over half a century of precedent. Restricting the establishment of new routes to "existing climbing opportunities" on non-Wilderness lands is unenforceable and will create confusion amongst land managers and climbers.

These policies are in direct opposition to the Protecting America's Rock Climbing Act (H.R. 1380) which has wide bipartisan support.