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Comments: Prohibiting permanent anchors in the wilderness goes against decades of precedent. Climbers are stewards of the wilderness. They have well organized institutions to protect the land and educate others to do the same. Permanent anchors are an essential safety feature for climbers and prohibiting them would do more to damage the wilderness than it would to protect it. When permanent anchors do not exist, people resort to using natural features like trees which can kill the trees. Please do not prohibit anchors or their future placement in the wilderness.