Data Submitted (UTC 11): 1/9/2024 8:17:42 PM First name: Adam Last name: Decker Organization: Title: Comments: I do not support the directives as written in regards to the following:

Limitations placed on installations of fixed anchors inside wilderness areas subject to a Minimum Requirements Analysis. This will introduce a barrier to any fixed anchor installation or replacement unless FS resources are prioritized to conduct the necessary analysis.

Language permitting removal of existing fixed anchors no longer deemed: "the minimum necessary to facilitate primitive or unconfined recreation or otherwise preserve wilderness character." Existing routes should not be subject to retroactive analysis by the non climbing community.

Language restricting new fixed anchors to established "climbing opportunities". This will significantly hamper the development of new routes and areas and impact the safety of climbers establishing these routes.