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Comments: I first experienced canyoneering, and rock climbing in Logan Canyon in Northern Utah, both of which were only possible to me as a beginner through fixed bolted anchors. I have since had several opportunities to canyoneer in Capitol Reef, Zions, and some of the surrounding areas. All of these rappels and routes were made possible because of the fixed bolts and anchors in each of those locations. While some canyons can still be accessed without traditional bolts, the barrier to entry for others becomes nearly impossible, and substantially more dangerous. If anything as stewards of the great outdoors, it should be your duty to assist in providing safer access through additional bolts, as well as bolt upkeep. It would be mismanagement of the government resources you are receiving from the American taxpayer by limiting our access to the great lands we love.