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Comments: Fixed anchors are an essential piece of safety equipment for rock climbers. Without fixed anchors the risk of injury and death is higher, and it would limit the areas rock climbers could climb. Climbing drives a sustainable and healthy amount of tourism to these beautiful areas, and with the removal of fixed anchors the amount of climber driven tourism would plummet.

Just as some people have hobbies of running, or biking or watching sports, taking away fixed anchors would DRASTICALLY diminish our access to climbing. Taking away an activity that gives it's users so much joy. Climbing has given my life purpose adn fulfillment, please please please do not take this away from us in some of the richest legacy climbing areas in the world.

Thank you.