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To whom it may concern,

I am writing to express my opposition to the proposed ban on fixed anchors in wilderness areas. I believe climbing is a legitimate use of this Nation's public lands and fixed anchors are essential for the safety of this user group. Our public lands are a treasure that should be protected however, banning fixed anchors only serves to limit access to this resource without expanding or improving the experience of other user groups. Further, restricting new routes to "existing climbing opportunities" on non-wilderness lands would cause confusion and potentially frustration on the part of both climbers and land managers, without making any improvement in experience or Sustainability for any group.

Thank You,

David Reiman