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Comments: Hello, I am writing to voice my concern regarding the anchor recommendations. I feel that climbers should continue to have the ability to freely maintain or install climbing anchors that facilitate the adventure and wilderness experience for rock climbers. A permitting system will only complicate things and make it harder for people to go out and experience the wild wilderness! Some have spoken of the worry that sport routes will show up in wildernesses. This is far from a likelihood. Hand drilling prohibition already makes this unlikely. My experience with climbing in wilderness areas is old, rusty bolts that are spread out. Very scary and a real adventure! I've never heard of a sport crag in the wilderness and highly doubt I ever will. The community simply wouldn't allow it, even if someone was crazy enough to do it. The red tape will only hurt the do-gooders.