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Comments: I write to express concern regarding and opposition to the proposal to ban fixed anchors in wilderness areas. Public lands should be accessible to and usable by climbers, who have a tradition for caring for the environment they love and enjoy. Fixed anchors are needed for safety reasons, and they do not harm the wilderness areas nor do they impede anyone else's ability to enjoy and make use of this immeasurably valuable public good. Please reconsider this proposal. Thank you.