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Comments: Do not allow use of permanent fixed climbing anchors in Wilderness areas. This would destroy the very purpose of the wilderness designation- maintenance of pristine wilderness with their rare plant & amp; animal life. There are plenty of spaces for climbing with embedded fixtures outside of the Wilderness area that climbers can use & amp; climbers can use non- permanent objects such as ropes & amp; slings within Wilderness, so that Wilderness does not need to be defaced & amp; potentially opened up to greater encroachment by humans on the last areas of unspoiled nature. Wilderness is important to us all! Please continue to protect it- no to permanent fixtures in Wilderness rock faces!