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Comments: What draws a climber to the climb is the challenge itself like most outdoor pursuits. To permanently deface and compromise a cliff face for a novice who may or may not ever attempt the climb anyway makes no sense to me. Mother Nature is not a commodity but a source of beauty, sustenance, solace and survival. Humans in all their arrogance and greed has determined that it holds no value but the money that can be made from it. This way of thinking has brought this world of our to the brink of destruction. To entertain something as trivial at permanent hooks for people who have no reason to use them seems a misuse of funds that could actually promote a healthier world. Our world would benefit more from less logging, less grazing on public lands, less slaughter of predators, designating more protected areas and wildlife preserves and so many other more positive steps to ease the crucial issues that wildlife and wilderness itself face daily.