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Comments: Consider Not Designating Fixed Anchors As Installations.

Bolts are used in radically different ways, and a "one size fits all" approach such as designating fixed anchors as installations is an inappropriate solution. The distinction between bolts to help a person ascend (ie, bolt ladders and bolted routes which use hundreds of bolts) and bolted anchors (which allow a person to safely descend without damaging the environment).

Like a trail, bolted anchors ensure people are able to descend a route with minimal impact on the environment. As such, the idea of designating anchors as installations will greatly harm our wilderness areas.

As such, please consider NOT designating fixed anchors as installations.