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Comments: The embargo on fixed anchors will result in the death of numerous climbers in the future. The responsibility of those deaths will be a direct reflection of your actions and therefore the blood will be on your hands. An approval process may be warranted but with that process being handled by any government agency, that process will most likely be slow and costly to taxpayers and not be agile enough to serve the community at large. This will further result in unsafe temporary anchors being used, amplifying the danger that climbers would face. This danger is needless.