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Comments: It is an undeniable fact that rock climbing has exploded in popularity in the past decade. What was once a fringe sport has become an Olympic sport and with that comes the need to make sure that the outdoor climbing areas keep up with the inevitable growth of the sport as more climbers take it outside. Restricting the establishment of new routes to "existing climbing opportunities" on non-Wilderness lands is unenforceable and not a proactive way to manage a sport that is sure to see continual growth.