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Comments: I want to voice my strong disagreement to a bolting prohibition on public land. Existing recreational users rely on bolted anchors for safe ascent and descent in the outdoors. Eliminating anchors will cause an increase in search and rescue efforts, and potentially fatalities, from difficult exits out of highly technical terrain - this puts both users and SAR personnel in greater danger. If public agencies are looking to reduce the impact of overuse, vehicles in remote areas on fragile terrain, campsites in appropriate areas, trash and litter, illegal wood collecting are all areas where effort could be concentrated for better results.

As a frequent visitor to public lands, I'm highly disturbed that something like removal of safety equipment in the outdoors is where resources are being spent.

If there are any questions, I'd be happy to connect and discuss at my provided email.

Thank you,
-Matt Speth