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Comments: To whom it may concern,

I am commenting with great concern over the new proposed climbing restrictions. These measures would severely limit the ability for people to explore and enjoy these great wilderness areas. Many people, myself included, have gotten great enjoyment exploring these areas in a more in-depth way than can happen by just looking at them from a road or trail. Additionally, climbing in these areas teaches character, leadership, and how to be self-reliant.

Finally, and almost most importantly, these fixed implements are imperative to safety. If these measures pass, people will still get out and enjoy these areas, but will be put more into harm without fixed anchor gear.