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Comments:

Restricting the establishment of new routes to "existing climbing opportunities" on non-Wilderness lands is unenforceable. It will create confusion amongst land managers and climbers. Non-Wilderness climbing management policy should maintain opportunities for new anchors unless and until analyses determine climbing should be restricted to protect cultural and natural resources.

Many of these policies have been employed at other locations. They have stifled exploration and progression, leaving many anchors to rust away causing safety issues.