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Comments:

Allowing bolting for rock climbing in wilderness areas can enhance the overall climbing experience while promoting responsible and sustainable outdoor recreation. Bolting enables climbers to access and enjoy challenging routes that may otherwise be inaccessible or unsafe. This practice encourages a broader range of climbers to explore wilderness areas, fostering a sense of adventure and connection with nature. Well-placed bolts can also help minimize environmental impact by guiding climbers away from fragile ecosystems, reducing the need for traditional protection that may damage the rock or vegetation. Furthermore, controlled bolting can contribute to safety, preventing accidents and injuries by ensuring the stability of climbing routes.