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Comments: I have been climbing since 1987 all over the world. I grew up in SLC and understand the need to protect our national parks and wilderness areas. In places where anchors can be placed and removed I believe they should be used. However, anchors provide a necessary and low impact way to interact with places that are otherwise inaccessible .

The climbs that will be affected by a bolting ban are historic to climbers all around the world. Implementing a ban on maintaining anchors would essentially erase nearly a century of climbing history by turning them into relics to only look at safely from a distance.