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Comments:

Climbing has been incredibly important to me throughout my life, ever since I graduated from trees to rock as a kid. I recognize the incredible importance of protecting the nations natural landscapes and that rock faces are part of that. I also believe that rock climbing has a long and rich history in the United States and it's history is inextricably connected to public land. The move to outlaw fixed placements will threaten the continuation of this legacy and climber Saftey. I suggested the the bills be edited to follow the typical American climbing ethic that no climb that can use trad protection safely will be bolted but bolting in any area requiring them for saftey is acceptable.