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Comments: It is unreasonable to take away an activity enjoyed by thousands, if not millions, all over the world and expect it to be a safe space or place after these new proposed policies.

Those who go out and climb are relying on each other for safety, including the replacements of bolts and chains by volunteers. Making it difficult to upkeep the one thing that keeps climbers safe is a death sentence.

If America is actually serious about improving mental health then it should be looking at opportunities to expand on activities, such as being outdoors and active (both great for our health) rather than taking it away, or making it unsafe.

Please reconsider the barriers you're creating and work with us climbers on our requests.