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Comments: I am AGAINST the removal of fixed anchors and bolts on climbing routes within National Forest areas.

As a climber, I care about our environment and the impact people have on it. Allowing the use of fixed anchors is a means to keep the environment cleaner. Climbers tend to adhere to the "Leave no trace" ethos, and fixed anchors facilitates that. If climbers did not have fixed anchors, not only would escaping a route be more dangerous, but they would have to leave behind pieces of equipment and material. These would build up and be difficult to remove, and take away from the beauty of the environment. Who wants to look at a bunch of old webbing stuck in a couple of rocks?

Please DO NOT remove the fixed anchors, and bolts on climbing routes! These are important fixtures that promote safe climbing and a clean environment.

Thank you for your time and attention.