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Comments: The most incredible part of the climbing community is our ability to appreciate and love our wilderness areas in a way that people believe is quite crazy. As a member of this humble people I have been constantly impressed with the reverence to the rock and the wild. There is no one that knows the areas better than a climber, and rangers often refer to local climbers as a source of guidance with how to manage the climbing areas. If this bolt ban were to take effect it would doom the natural order that has been established over generations of American climbers. Instead the bureaucracy that plagues the American government would taint outdoor experience all over the country and inhibit world class climbers from assisting in the development and establishing of the USA as a international climbing destination. There are no real issues due to how things have been running, and problems would develop as a result of this legislation. Please do not mess it up.