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Comments: Restricting the establishment of new routes to "existing climbing opportunities" on non-Wilderness lands is unenforceable. It will create confusion amongst land managers and climbers. Non-Wilderness climbing management policy should maintain opportunities for new anchors unless and until individual analyses determine climbing should be restricted to protect specific cultural or natural resources.

Many of these policies have been employed at other locations. They have stifled exploration and progression in the climbing community. Bolts and anchors to rust away have and will cause safety issues.