

# TOWN OF HOLDERNESS

NEW HAMPSHIRE

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RE: Rulemaking Docket 2014-04

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Dear Mr. Wiesner,

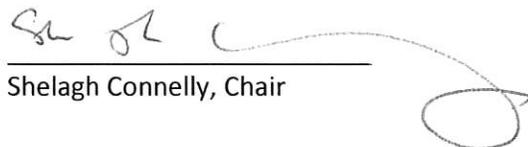
Please post the following on the NH SEC web page Rulemaking Docket No 2014-04

When considering projects that will expand the use of existing power line rights of way including adding or increasing power line carrying capacity, the number or heights of poles or the addition of steel towers or structures, the Site Evaluation Committee shall take into consideration the change in the environment, population and community development from the date when the rights of way were originally created.

In Holderness, the existing power line right of way was created over 60 years ago and ran mostly over farm and forest land with minimal impact to the environment, population and residential neighborhoods. Today there are 173 more homes within 2000' east and west of the existing right of way in Holderness than in 1954.

Respectfully submitted,

Holderness Select Board

  
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Shelagh Connelly, Chair