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To: Monroe, Pamela
Subject: RE: intervener application

Hello Ms. Monroe, Thank you for your response regarding my wish to become an intervenor for the Northern Pass project.

At this time, I am filing my request with this email to establish myself as an intervenor on the grounds of being an abutter to the proposed site that crosses Rte 145 in Clarksville, NH, and travels down County Road (Clarksville & Stewartstown). I own an early 1800's farmhouse @ #147 Rte 145, Clarksville that is used as a farm stand. The proposed transmission line will be on the property abutting me to the northwest. In fact, the line will pass between the 2 oldest structures in Clarksville, which I believe should be a historic violation.

As well, I am concerned about possible damage to the granite block foundation of my house from any earthmoving activities involved with the transmission line. I understand that at this location the line is to be buried; I am concerned about any pesticides that may be used to keep the area cleared (my organic gardens and honey bee hives are a stone's throw away from the proposed site.) The farm stand has become a bit of a tourist stop which I don't believe the existence of the transmission line will enhance.

My primary residence is on Creampoke Road in Stewartstown, 3 miles from the farm stand site, so I am assured that during construction of the line ALL the local roads I travel to reach my home, the farm stand and my travels to work at the hospital in Colebrook where I am a nurse and destinations throughout Coos and Grafton counties which I cover as a Medical Examiner, will be compromised.

Additionally, I have concerns of the environmental risks of the brooks/streams that lay in the path of the transmission. And for that matter, the protection of the Harrier hawk which as a species, is limited with the Creampoke area being one of its bigger areas of survival.

These are only my local concerns with the Northern Pass project, and as an intervenor I look forward to the opportunity to share my other reservations regarding the development of the transmission line. Thank you for your time, Sally A. Zankowski

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