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Dear Administrator Timothy W. Drew

I would like to request your support for a moratorium on wind turbine projects in New Hampshire, particularly the Wild Meadows Wind project, proposed for Alexandria, Danbury and Grafton. I understand there is consideration of a moratorium on new energy projects, triggered by HB648 and the Northern Pass project.

It is concerning to me that this substantial development is being considered with minimal notice to the people in these towns, as well as to others in the surrounding communities who are certainly going to be impacted.

I am requesting this moratorium be considered as I have concerns related to the negative impact this will have on our local economy and public health of our community, as well as impact to the Newfound watershed and wildlife environment. Newfound Lake is considered one of the cleanest lakes in the world. It is fed by 8 natural springs and described as "pristine". It is accessible to all New Hampshire citizens through Wellington Beach and State Park and Paradise Point Nature Center. The State of New Hampshire cannot allow the industrialization of one of our finest assets. Wind turbines must be placed responsibly where they do not negatively affect people, a community's economy, or the existing natural environment. The negative consequences of these industrial wind turbines on the Newfound Lake Region far outweigh the benefits.

Sincerely,

Stephanie Bednaz