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Hello NH Representatives and Legislators,

With regards to installations of Wind Turbines being placed in the New Hampshire Lakes region, I urge you to vote in favor of HB580 - establishing moratoriums on wind turbine plants and electric transmission line projects and HB484 - requiring public approval prior to issuance of certain site evaluation certificates - 02/19/2013. We all chose to live in this state because of its beauty and pristine landscape. Transmission lines and wind turbines, when particularly placed along mountain ridgelines, will leave an irrevocable scar upon the face of our beautiful state. No energy project can possibly be worth destroying our views, habitat, and watersheds. There has to be an alternative. Time is needed to re-visit our energy plan. Don't let the permanent destruction of our landscape to be your legacy.

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