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To: Monroe, Pamela

**Subject:** Newington Seacoast Reliability Project

My name is Martha Lee St. Amand. I am a resident of the Town of Newington (11 Carters Lane) and I am **against** this project as proposed.

The poles will be at least twice as high and quite a bit larger in diameter and create a hissing sound as the current passes through the wires. These will affect wildlife and residents negatively.

This will have a negative impact on the beauty and assessed values of property in my town. It will have a huge impact on the Great Bay Estuary and the shorelines abutting Newington and Durham.

The Town Master Plan clearly does not allow for these transmission lines to be put in this corridor. The Town's Master Plan calls for it to be placed OUTSIDE the residential area and if this isn't possible then to be buried.

Please consider this from a long time resident of town. Please help us to retain our less than 1000 acres of residential land by voting no or requiring lines to be put underground.

Thank you for your consideration, Martha St. Amand