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**Subject:** high-voltage transmission line between Madbury and Portsmouth

Hello, I'm a resident of Durham and a current candidate for State Represent. I mention this only because I have been door stumping and in contact with many locals with opinions on every subject. I find it more difficult to converse today than in the past on major projects. The Madbury Portsmouth line to me is less than major. People want uninterrupted power but seem to think it will always be available without sacrifice or equipment upgrades. Indeed a significant number of our local green minded citizens would be hard pressed to allow anything now in use built over the last 75 years. No turnpikes, business, jobs or progress are welcome to too many of these folks. You will never satisfy them unless we go back to 1600's agrarian lifestyle and pay rent to the local Indian tribes.

My suggestion is simple. Evaluate the power demands and vulnerability today and post project. Is it needed? If yes then approve it.

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