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Pamela G. Monroe, Administrator
New Hampshire Site Evaluation Committee
21 South Fruit Street, Suite 10
Concord, NH 03301

RE: Petition to Intervene
New Hampshire Site Evaluation Committee
Docket No. 2015-06 Northern Pass

Dear Ms. Monroe,

We respectfully request to intervene in the SEC's proceedings under Docket No. 2015-06 relating to the proposed Northern Pass transmission line and terminus substation in Deerfield NH. Per the SEC's regulations, we are sending this request to you, with copies to the SEC's distribution list for this proceeding as noted in the "cc" list below.

Our property at 140 Nottingham Road in Deerfield abuts the Public Service Company substation property on Cate Road. We have resided here since 1977 when we built our home. We were notified October 16, 2015 as an abutter by certified mail of the Wetlands Permit Application filed with the State Department of Environmental Services. Our search through the 700+ pages of the Wetlands Permit Application discovered a plan (attached) showing the area of disturbance for placement of a new substation. The area appears larger than our lot of four acres. The area of disturbance is within 750+/- feet of our back porch. Further review on the Northern Pass web site we discover plans for this new substation and discover that the hill will be completely cleared, 14 feet of earth will be removed and 21 feet of fill will be placed to flatten an area approximately six acres in size.

Our particular rights, duties, privileges, immunities or other substantial interests that may be affected by the SEC's Northern Pass proceedings include the following:

1. Peace and tranquility (we enjoy the solitude of our property sharing a common bound with the 100 acre Deerfield Douse-Cate Town Forest)

2. Property Value (rural agricultural zone affected by the proximity of a massive industrial facility visible from Nottingham Road)
3. Reasonable expectation to enjoy our home and property (gardening, landscaping)
4. Noise (construction of this magnitude, transportation of equipment and materials)
5. Wildlife and the environment (we have experienced deer, bear, fox, coyote, fisher cat, raccoon, possum, turkey, porcupine and innumerable bird population)
6. Health and safety (concerns for the increase of high voltage closer to our property)
7. Invasive lighting (the facility lighting throughout the night emits a glow in the sky)

We strongly feel that no other individual, agency, or organization could articulate or represent our specific interests and concerns in the proceedings as well as we can.

Thank you for your consideration of this petition.

Sincerely,

Philip H. Bilodeau

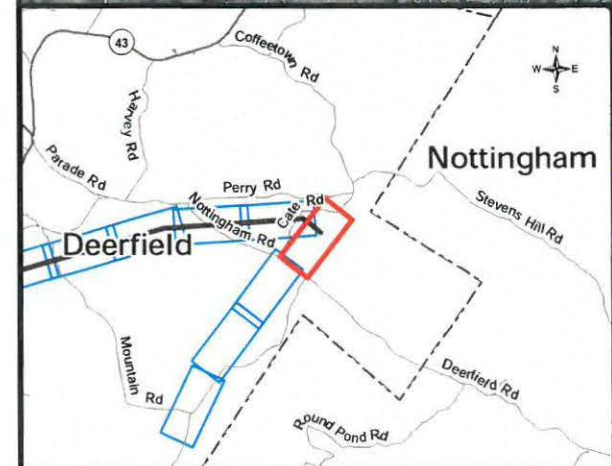
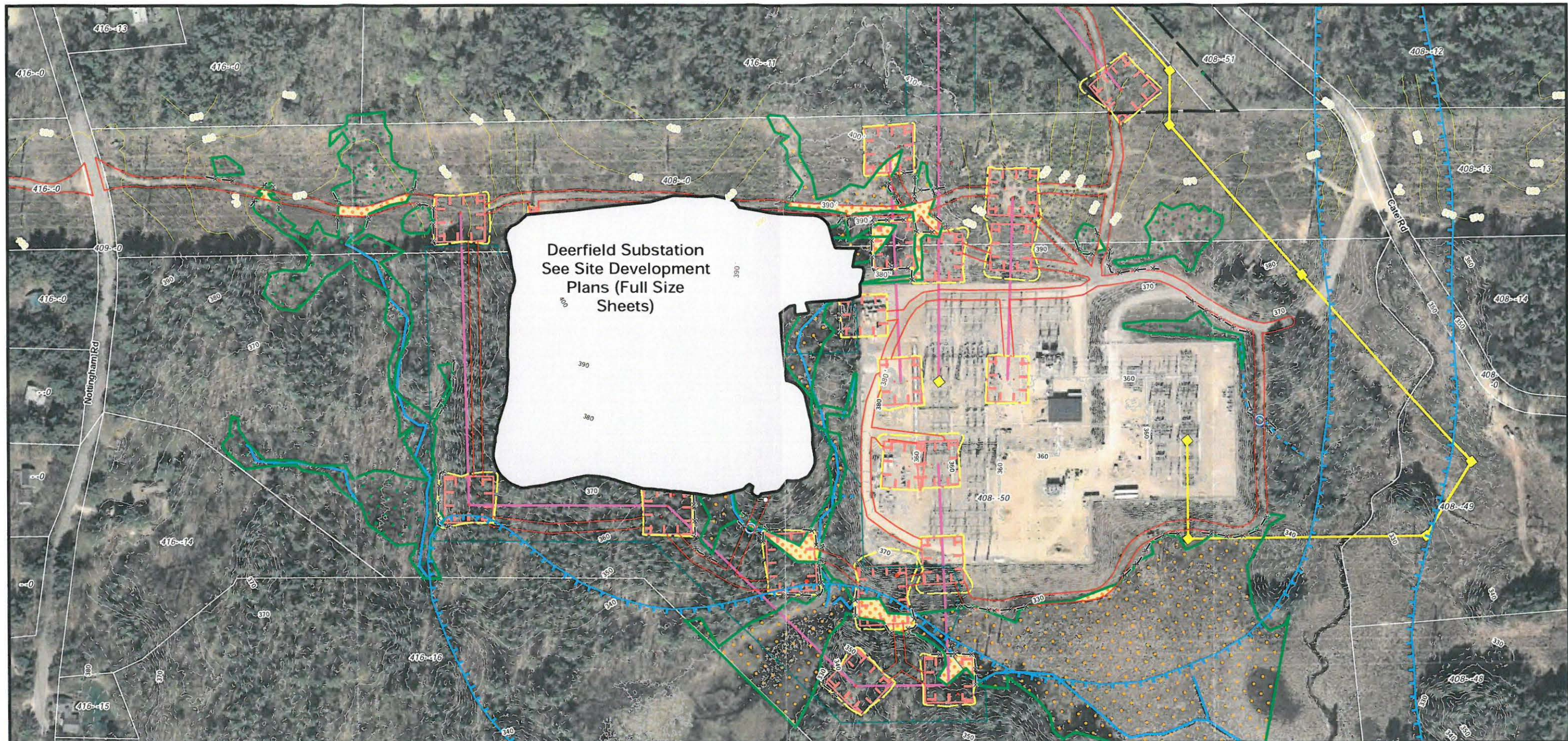
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Cc: SEC distribution list (as of the date of this email) for the Docket No. 2015-06. Copies sent by email.
Attachment: sheet 343 Northern Pass application plans



Existing Conditions		Stream Centerlines		Proposed Conditions	
Existing Structure	LiDAR 10' Contour	Perennial	Temporary Construction Pad	Proposed New Right of Way	Trenched UG
Existing Structure to be Removed	LiDAR 2' Contour	Intermittent	Proposed Access Route	Temporary Work Pad Disturbance Area	Trenchless UG
Existing Transmission Line	USGS 10' Contour	Ephemeral	Temporary Wetlands Matting (16' x 16')	Erosion and Sedimentation Control BMPs	UG Splice Vault
Existing Transmission Line to be Removed	USGS 2' Contour	Proposed Structure - No Permanent Impact	Erosion and Sedimentation Control BMPs (Steep Slope)	UG Sending/Receiving Pit	UG Sending/Receiving Pit
Existing Right of Way	100-year Floodzone	Proposed Structure - Permanent Impact	Proposed Transmission / Distribution Line	Vegetation Clearing Areas	Vegetation Clearing Areas
Wetlands	Perennial			Span Stream with No Permanent Impacts	Span Stream with No Permanent Impacts
USACE Reviewed Wetlands	Intermittent				
	Ephemeral				

The Northern Pass Transmission Project
NHDES Alteration of Terrain
Permit Application Plans
 Sheet 343

1 inch equals 200 feet when printed at 11" x 17"

10/9/2015

Source: New Hampshire GRANIT GIS Data, Normandeau, Cornerstone, Burns & McDonnell