# STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE SITE EVALUATION COMMITTEE

Docket No. 2015-06

Joint Application of Northern Pass Transmission, LLC and Public Service Company of New Hampshire d/b/a Eversource Energy for a Certificate of Site and Facility

## PEMIGEWASSET LOCAL RIVER ADVISORY COMMITTEE NOTICE OF CROSS-EXAMINATION

October 2, 2017

In response to the Site Evaluation Committee Order dated September 12, 2017, the threemember panel of the Pemigewasset River Local Advisory Committee (PRLAC), intervenors in the above-mentioned docket, submits the following list of non-adverse witnesses and its scope of cross-examination. A second list will be submitted to the committee on or before October 13, 2017, the second deadline required under this Order.

PRLAC is well aware of the issues raised by the Applicant and the SEC regarding "friendly" cross-examination. It has been our intention throughout discovery, technical sessions and the adjudicatory hearings to elicit information and evidence relevant to the "full and true disclosure" of facts necessary to determine the fate of this application. PRLAC believes both adverse and non-adverse witnesses have equally valuable testimony to contribute.

In submitting this list of witnesses, PRLAC maintains its right of due process in these hearings. We retain the right to add and/or remove inquiry referenced in this list should there be developments in the record after the date of filing this notice. We retain the right to extend questioning should it become apparent that a more complete and true disclosure of facts could be reached in cross-examination.

As always, PRLAC will be cognizant of redundant and/or repetitious examination and avoid such instances.

# WITNESS PANEL - Non-Adverse: Municipal Group 1 - South

## **Bethlehem**

Cassandra Laleme Cheryl K. Jensen

### **AREA OF QUESTIONS/ OFFER OF PROOF:**

Mitigation and Avoidance

Opportunity to review and respond to relevant information submitted since the panel's pre-file and supplemental testimony: including Normandeau cross-examination and re-direct examinations, exhibits and documents.

### **Municipal Group 2 - South**

Easton Robert Thibault Jim Collier Kris Pastoriza

Best Management Practices and Avoidance of Environmental Issues

*Opportunity to review and respond to facts and information added to the record since the panel's initial and supplemental testimony: including Applicant witnesses for Construction (underground), Environment and Orderly Development; other relevant facts and information introduced during trial cross-examination and re-direct examination.* 

### <u>Sugar Hill</u>

Margaret Connors

Town Master Plan - Regulations and Recommendations

Opportunity to review and respond to relevant information submitted since Ms. Connors' pre-file and supplemental testimony. Review testimony of Normandeau Environmental Panel, Orderly Development and underground Construction Panels. Identify current facts and information relevant to the town of Sugar Hill referenced in testimony.

#### **Town of Plymouth**

Brian Murphy (for Sharon Penney)

### Environmental Impact to the Pemigewasset River, Stormwater Runoff and Flood Hazards

Opportunity to review and respond to relevant information from Normandeau examination that has been filed since pre-file and supplemental testimony; review Town Master Plan, NH DES comments.

## **Municipal Group 3 - North**

## **New Hampton**

Barbara Lucas Daniel Moore Kenneth Kettenring Neil Irvin

#### Construction Disruption, Visual and Environmental Impacts, Mitigation

Opportunity to review and respond to facts and information added to the record since the panel's initial and supplemental testimony: including Applicant and CFP witnesses for Construction, Environment and Natural Resources, Aesthetics and Orderly Development; other relevant facts and information introduced during trial cross-examination and re-direct examination.

### <u>Bristol</u>

Nicholas Coates

## Environmental Impacts, Town Regulations Orderly Development Issues

Opportunity to review and respond to facts and information added to the record since Mr. Coates' initial and supplemental testimony: including Applicant and CFP witnesses for Environment and Natural Resources, Construction Design and Orderly Development; other relevant facts and information introduced during trial examination.

#### **Municipal Group 3 - South**

#### Concord

Beth Fenstermacher Edward Roberge Heather Shank Gail Matson and Candace Bouchard Jan McClure and Karen Tardiff Rick Van De Poll Peter Scott

#### Environmental Issues, Natural Resources and Mitigation

Opportunity to review and respond to facts and information added to the record since the Panel's initial and supplemental testimony: including Applicant and Other witnesses for Environment and Natural Resources, and Mitigation issues; other relevant facts and information introduced during trial cross-examination and re-direct examination.

### Grafton County Commissioners Linda Lauer

#### Construction Impacts, Environmental Concerns (water-related)

Opportunity to review and respond to facts and information added to the record since the Commissioner's initial and supplemental testimony: including Applicant and Other witnesses for Environment and Natural Resources and Construction (underground and overhead); other facts and information introduced during trial cross-examination and re-direct examination relevant to Grafton County.

> Society for the Protection of New Hampshire Forests Jane Difley Will Abbott Raymond Lobdell Harry Dodson

#### Natural Resources and Mitigation, Aesthetics, Public Interest

Opportunity to review and respond to facts and information added to the record since the Panel's initial and supplemental testimony: including Applicant and witnesses for Environment and Natural Resources, Aesthetics and Orderly Development; other facts and information introduced during trial cross-examination and re-direct examination relevant to the public interest in conservation concerns.

## NGOS: Appalachian Mountain Club, Conservation Law Foundation and Ammonoosuc Conservation Trust

Chris Thayer Dr. David Publicover Dr. Kenneth Kimball Larry Garland

## Natural Resource Impacts, Aesthetics, Orderly Development

Opportunity to review and respond to facts and information added to the record since the Panel's initial and supplemental testimony: including Applicant and witnesses for Environment and Natural Resources, Mitigation, Restoration, Aesthetics and Orderly Development; other facts and relevant information introduced during trial cross-examination and re-direct examination.

## Respectfully submitted,

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I certify that on this date, October 2, 2017, one copy of this document was mailed to Pamela Monroe, Administrator Site Evaluation Committee. A copy was also sent to the Distribution E-mail List for SEC Docket No. 2015-06.

\_\_\_\_/gdd/\_\_\_\_ Gretchen Draper for Pemigewasset River Local Advisory Committee