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**Sent:** Friday, June 28, 2013 9:13 AM  
**To:** Jeffrey Rose  
**Subject:** : Northern pass idea

Hi Jeff,

Full disclosure: I own 2,000 acres of land adjacent to the Jericho ATV park (Dillon's former land).

In my opinion, the Northern Pass project has not yet shown any benefit for Coos County, while PSNH acts as if there is no problem for Coos County.

My recommendation is for you to charge PSNH \$6 million to bury their line next to your road, and use the money to buy my land (\$2 million) and then invest \$4 million into a world-class year-round campground on that property. (As you know, a study has already been done for a campground on that land).

You could then explain that there are some drawbacks to Northern Pass, but the net benefit to Coos County would be huge, as many good jobs would be created by the construction and operation of this campground, in addition to the private-sector jobs created as this becomes a leading tourist destination for ATVing and snowmobiling. In my opinion, this could be huge, and most of Coos County would agree.

Thanks,

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