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I am an avid hiker. I am strongly opposed to the Northern Pass Transmission Line. I travel up to the White Mountains regularly for day and overnight hikes. During my travels I stop by at local shops and restaurants. If this transmission line were to be installed, I can guarantee I would be hiking elsewhere and with that taking my local business elsewhere. I am close to Maine and there are several good hiking locations over the border that could become my normal hiking destination. The reason I travel up to the white mountains is to get away from civilization and connect with nature, these transmission lines would be an eye sore and would have a negative effect on my hiking experience.

I'm a strong believer in solar energy and think this is the way of the future. Hydropower dams are clean energy in that it does not output CO2 emissions, however, these dams can have devastating effects on the fish and wildlife that use the river.

I know I am not alone, I urge the Site Evaluation Committee to please listen to the concerns of the NH residents throughout the state and please do not approve this project.