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Marissa Schuetz
SEC Program Specialist

Ms. Schuetz and Site Evaluation Committee members,

Please add our names to those passionately opposed to the Northern Pass Project in New Hampshire.

Our family works in the outdoor recreation industry and our rural home is less than one mile from the proposed route.

We do not believe the corporate interests of the developers and their highly debatable projections of the need for electricity elsewhere should be placed above our own wellbeing which depends on the stunning landscapes of our home towns and the broader countryside here. Once these are violated with towering overhead transmission lines, there will be no returning to the cherished vistas that are imperative to Northern New Hampshire's tourism industry — the most important income stream for the impoverished northern counties of our state.

Although we stridently oppose this project in all of it's possible configurations, if it must be built it should be constructed entirely underground where some of it's most obvious deleterious effects will be diminished and the visual landscape will be better preserved.

Thank you for your consideration of our thoughts along with those of the thousands of other NH citizens and scores of New Hampshire communities fighting the Northern Pass Proposal. We are the people whose lives and livelihoods will be fundamentally damaged if the project goes forward. The people and values you are tasked to protect will be well served if you put a stop to the avarice that drives the Northern Pass developers.

Sincerely,

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