From: Joe Humphrey [mailto:joejhumphrey@aol.com] Sent: Thursday, August 10, 2017 9:00 PM To: Monroe, Pamela Cc: joejhumphrey@aol.com Subject: Northern Pass Project approval

I strongly urge NH state approval for this badly needed electric supply project. The high voltage direct current (HVDC) transmission system has proven both highly reliable and environmentally benign. And Hydro Quebec is a reliable and "green" source of energy. I am a transplant to NH of over 35 years and love this state. Although Other energy sources may be developed in the future we need this source now.

As a principle hardware engineer for Digital Equipment Corp. and a member of IEEE (now retired) I have visited the existing HVDC converter facility at Sandy Pond in MA. If you have not done so I urge you to arrange a visit. Very impressive. Northern Pass will be utilizing this type of technology.

Thank you for your consideration of my input. Please feel free to contact me if there are any questions.

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