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To: Monroe, Pamela
Subject: Bury Northern Pass or Stop It Altogether

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Dear Pamela Monroe,

I purchased land and recently built a house that overlooks the Presidential Range and the towns of Whitefield and Jefferson. While I am fortunate to be able to choose where I live and adopted this as my home, many people are tied to the area by family roots, circumstances and economics. While this area once thrived on industries related to harvesting natural resources and manufacturing, that is all but gone now. The only real economic prospects this area has now are tourism and people like myself moving here. Both are completely dependent on preserving and even improving the beauty of the area. Northern Pass will do nothing to improve the economy here and the negative impact of tall towers and lines strung across this valley will do it measurable harm. It will certainly diminish the value of my land since more than 11 miles of towers and lines will be clearly visible.

Northern Pass, particularly above ground, will only harm this area. Please do what is best for the citizen taxpayers of New Hampshire and stop this project or at least require that it be buried.

Sincerely,
James Ennis