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Dear Pamela Monroe,

Dear NH Site Evaluation Committee,

I am writing to let you know I strongly oppose the Northern Pass and urge you to oppose it as well. I have lived in NH all of my life, hike in the beautiful mountains and enjoy the natural landscape. The Northern Pass will negatively impact tourism and business as well as the quality of life for Granite Staters.

This scar on New Hampshire is not necessary, our state already generates more power than it uses, and electricity demand has been trending downward. It will continue to go down as renewable energy like solar and wind power become more efficient and affordable to everyone.

Please keep New Hampshire beautiful and stop big power companies from making billions of dollars at our expense!

Sincerely, Mary Mayes