

Town of Alton



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Ms. Pamela Moore, Administrator
NH Site Evaluation Committee
21 Fruit Street
Concord, NH 03301

Re: Northern Pass

Dear Administrator Moore,

I write this letter on behalf of the Alton Board of Selectmen.

The Alton Board of Selectmen wish for you to know that at their January 4, 2017 Selectmen's meeting, they voted to support the Petition for Declaratory Ruling that has recently been filed.

The petition referred to is requesting a declaratory ruling stating that pursuant to RSA 231:161 in which only municipalities have the authority to authorize or not authorize the erection, installation, or maintenance of electric power poles or structures or underground conduits or cable, or their respective attachments or appurtenances, on, across, or under locally maintained highways, regardless of whether the New Hampshire Department of Transportation, the SEC, or other agencies have authority to permit or license other portions of any proposed facility.

Please accept this letter of support and I thank you for your time and consideration.

Sincerely Yours,

Elizabeth Dionne
Town Administrator

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