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## Electricity Delivery and Energy Reliability

Dear Sir;

My husband and I oppose the proposed hydro-electric project through New Hampshire known as Northern Pass. This mode of electricity delivery is antiquated, and this project is completely unnecessary, as our small state is already an energy exporter, and with it's present capability can generate even more power, thus making Northern Pass redundant.

This project proposes to built a series of 1100 metal towers of 90' to 135', some of which will run through the White Mountain NATIONAL Forest...if successful, what should we expect next, a hydro project to harness the Colorado River through the Grand Canyon? Why must all the wild places be sacrificed?

Please make your stand with the Ages, and deny the necessary permits to allow this misbegotten project.

Thank you for your time and attention to this matter.

SINCERELY,

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