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Ms. Debra A. Howland, Executive Director
New Hampshire Public Utilities Commission
21 South Fruit Street, Suite 10
Concord, New Hampshire 03301-2429

SWA
July 28, 2015

RE: Docket No. DG 15-155

Dear Director Howland:

SWA
4:30
Valley Green through its attorney Charles Willing, Jr., has just, after ~~hours~~ the night before the pre-hearing, filed a response to my and Stephen Wood's request to intervene in their case on the grounds that our concerns are not relevant to the PUC hearing. We are not lawyers, and have no time to find one for a proper response. We believe that federal, state and municipal law is relevant to the permissions requested by the petitioner. Thus the historical willingness to abide by the laws of the state and the rules of the municipality in constructing and operating a facility adjoining a large and functioning wetland of the city is relevant. Whether we are granted standing or not, we request that these questions be answered before a final decision is made:

- What is their engineers' experience with placing gas pipelines, particularly in crossings over busy highways, and over ecologically important streams, wetlands, and steep slopes?
- Are there any records of leakage from pipelines and natural gas tanks these engineers or others employed by Valley Green have installed elsewhere in Northern New England?
- Has there been peer review by other wetlands scientists?
- Was the wetland delineation of this site done before or after the site was heavily logged in a way that required a post-facto alteration-of-terrain permit and restoration which are both still in process?
- Has the applicant been involved in any other permit violations, besides the two separate wetland cases that came before the Lebanon Conservation Commission, which resulted in reprimands by DES?
+ were notified to SWA

This letter is being copied to the service list. Thank you.

Sincerely,



SWA / Susan W. Almy
Stephen Wood

cc: DG 15-155 Service List