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**To:** PUC: Executive.Director

**Subject:** Granite Bridge Pipeline RE: DG17-152 and DG 17-198

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Dear Ms. Howland,

I am a Hancock resident and 72 year old NH native. I love this state!

I am extremely concerned about our energy future. I would love to see our state be a leader in wise and long range energy investments.

I urge you to invest in the sustainable solutions and not invest in natural gas.

I have studied the project at length and know that the Granite Bridge project is short sighted and will cost way too much for its life. The proposal is for a project that is oversized, compared to our needs, and will cost residents way too much. It will be outdated before paid for. People will feel ripped off! Natural gas is not "natural" It is toxic.

Please don't be swayed by the fossil fuel sales people. The future has to be renewables.

The PUC has a great opportunity to show a new way and not be stuck in old methods.

Please invest in solar, wind, conservation, home audits, insulation.....

Citizens are depending on you to be 100% well informed and to make honest choices.

The costs of doing things right from at the beginning are far less than repairs from gas leaks, other accidents.

I believe you have a moral responsibility to your customers to stay away from building more pipelines.

Sincerely,

Melody Russell Hancock, NH