Dear Ms. Howland,

I am writing to voice my urgency for a temporary suspension of the Energy Efficiency and Sustainable Energy Board request to the Public Utilities Commission to approve a large increase to the proposed statewide energy efficiency plan for 2021-2023.

Now is not the appropriate time to impose a two and a half times increase to the existing System Benefit Charge on our monthly New Hampshire utility bill. The COVID-19 pandemic has resulted in hardship for residents, municipalities and businesses alike and many are struggling to pay bills and survive. To us, every dollar counts and this increase will only add to the devastation for many!

Thank you for your time.

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