

Senator Kelly Ayotte
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Date:

Re: Opposition to the proposed Tennessee Gas Pipeline natural gas pipeline and compressor installation in New Ipswich.

I am opposed to the proposed Tennessee Gas Pipeline natural gas pipeline and compressor installation in New Ipswich, NH. Not only does this project cause great financial and environmental damage to thousands of citizens in its path, it also endangers animals. Some of those animals include the critically endangered native species Newfoundland Ponies that are protected at Villi Poni Farm, Newfoundland Pony Preserve, which sits less than 1 mile from the proposed Kinder Morgan Compressor station site in New Ipswich, NH. Experts have studied case histories of livestock living within 5 miles. They were found to suffer from illness, sterilization and death from emissions. In an emergency, the pony herd, all of whom are crucial to saving the breed, cannot be readily evacuated. With only 250 of these protected breeding age ponies left in the WORLD, this is NOT acceptable and something must be done to help the sanctuary survive, to help the ponies survive.

Signature

Printed Name