

Subj: Pipeline through Rockland County
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To: www.millennium.comments@noaa.gov

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To Whom It may Concern:

I have become aware that there is a possibility of constructing a gas pipeline in Rockland County, and more specifically in the Suffern area. This is to inform you that it would be a bad move to do so. Rockland, the smallest county in the State of New York (outside of NYCity), is becoming more and more crowded with housing, traffic and shopping areas. Further, the Suffern area is even more congested—with continual building of more and more units (i.e., 340 more apartments being completed near the confluence of Airmont Rd and Route 59).

I know that my neighborhood, which consists of more than 1500 apartments and townhouses, as well as with hundreds of private homes, would be totally against the imposition of such a pipeline. We are united at the moment fighting the construction of an additional 48 townhouses in our congested area. I urge the officials considering the construction of the pipeline in Rockland, and in the Suffern area, to desist.

Sincerely,


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December 09, 2002

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U.S. Department of Commerce
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Dear Sirs,

I am writing regarding the Millennium Pipeline. I am against having this natural gas pipeline run in my neighborhood. I have small children and I am concerned about what effects this pipeline would have on the surrounding environment. Contrary to what others believe, I cannot understand how putting this huge gas pipeline complete with all the construction and disruption of wildlife and the environment. Not to mention, the added construction equipment and road detours and disruption to our everyday lives.

If this pipeline is such a good thing, why are people in these communities so opposed to the building of it. Obviously, because it is not a good thing.

Sincerely,


Gina Hamosfakidis

November 15, 2002

The Honorable Donald Evans
Secretary
United States Department of Commerce
14th and Constitution NW
Washington, DC 20230

Dear Secretary Evans:

I am writing to encourage your support in upholding the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission's finding that the Millennium pipeline project is in the public interest, and that it is in fact consistent with the Coastal Zone Management Act.

We must stop the practice of opposing every energy project just because a few individuals will be temporarily inconvenienced. Millennium will improve our national energy security, create thousands of jobs and economic development opportunities, and will help New York meet Clean Air Act requirements.

Please review the Millennium on its merits. Do not allow the protests of a small but vocal group to deter a project that offers benefits for many.

Sincerely,

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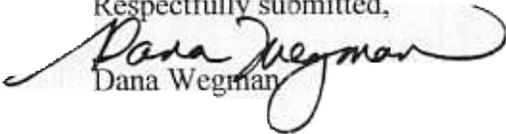
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Thank you for your attention to this option.

Respectfully submitted,


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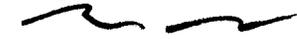
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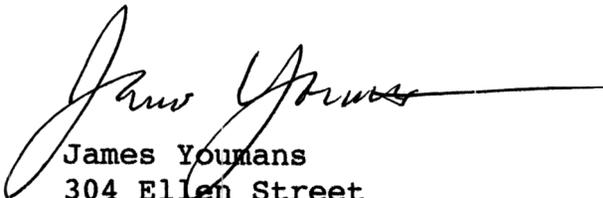
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To Whom It May Concern:

Being a resident of Westchester, N.Y. area for over 71 years (except 4 years service time), I am writing to express my deep concern about the Millennium Pipeline and the adverse effect it would have on the water quality of the Hudson River, Atlantic Coast, and the New York City watershed. FERC is ignoring the safety and environmental impacts that the construction, installation & operation of this pipeline will have on our State.

The Haverstraw Bay has been designated as a Significant and Coastal Fish & Wildlife Habitat by N.Y. State. Haverstraw Bay is also recognized as an Essential Fish Habitat by the federal government. Haverstraw Bay is the critical starting point of the Atlantic Coast's ecosystem.

Thank you for your immediate attention to this matter.

Sincerely,
William C Hamilton

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Silver Spring, Maryland 20910

December 4, 2002

Gentlemen:

This is a comment to all the people who were instrumental in approving the Millennium Pipeline. You probably do not live in the area proposed for this pipeline. Evidently you do not have children to worry about going to school in this area nor family enjoying the beautiful Hudson River

Our children are the future and we must protect them as much as possible. We couldn't do it 9-11 but perhaps we could try real hard to do it now.

The population has elected these Senators to speak for us and we hope and pray that they find it in their hearts and minds to do just that.

Very truly yours,

Mrs. Grace Hamilton
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Secretary Donald L. Evans
Office of the Secretary
Room 5854
U.S. Department of Commerce
14th & Constitution Ave. NW
Washington, D.C. 20230

Dear Secretary Donald L. Evans,

This letter is in regard to the Millennium Pipeline and the Hudson River Crossing.

We are writing to support the New York State Department of State's decision of May 9th, that the proposed route for the Millennium Pipeline is inconsistent with the policies of the New York State Coastal Zone Management Act.

We firmly believe that the New York Department of State's decision was based on sound environmental policy and good science.

Both of us are concerned with the negative impact that the pipeline crossing would have on the Hudson River, local environment, citizens, and our region's drinking water.

We urge you to do all that is within your power to uphold the New York State denial to the Millennium Pipeline and to encourage the Millennium Pipeline sponsors to pursue other alternatives.

Regards,

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