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October 18, 2002

Dear Teatown member or volunteer,

As you are aware, Teatown has been actively involved in public discussions concerning the construction of the Millennium Pipeline through Teatown Lake Reservation property. During the process over the last two years, we have sent six letters to the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission (FERC) voicing our concerns about construction of the pipeline through Teatown and the Croton Watershed in which it plays a major role.

As you may also be aware, the New York Department of State ruled on May 9, 2002 that the proposed Millennium Pipeline route was inconsistent with New York State's Coastal Zone Management Program (CZMP) and, therefore, denied the Millennium Pipeline crossing of the Hudson River. One of the (CZMP) policies that New York State felt was violated in Millennium's proposal was that it did not adequately address concerns regarding the drinking water supply for New York City and some Westchester Communities. This decision reinforces what we have been saying about the impacts of the pipeline to the Teatown preserve and the Croton Watershed!

New York's decision has been appealed by Millennium to the U.S. Secretary of Commerce, Mr. Donald Evans. The Department of Commerce has set a public hearing on this matter for Wednesday, November 13th at the Tarrytown Hilton. The hearing will occur throughout the day, from early morning through late night if need be, with intermissions at noon and during the late afternoon (around 4:30). Registration begins at 9:00 a.m. and the hearing begins at 10:00 a.m. People can register to speak on a first come first served basis and will be allotted 3 minutes to voice their opinion.

Teatown urges you to attend this hearing to voice your opinion about the Millennium Pipeline. A coordinated effort is underway to have as many people as possible arrive at the hearing at 7:00 p.m., when elected officials and environmental organizations will also be asked to come. If you can come at 7:00 that's great but if not, come any time after 9:00 a.m.

I have also enclosed a letter to the U.S. Secretary of Commerce that Teatown would like you to sign and mail. The letter urges Mr. Evans to uphold New York's decision regarding the Millennium Pipeline. The Secretary of Commerce needs to hear from you about the importance of Teatown in your life and the lives of your children and future grandchildren. As always, please feel

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free to call me with any questions or comments. We will keep you posted on any last minute changes on our website at www.teatown.org.

Thank you for your support and willingness to help Teatown protect an environmentally sensitive area that supplies our drinking water, provides a home to countless species of wildlife, filters pollution, aids in flood control and is used to educate thousands of children and families each year about the importance of land conservation!

Sincerely,



Gail Abrams
Executive Director

October 25, 2002

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Sincerely,



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Sincerely,

Grace H. Williams
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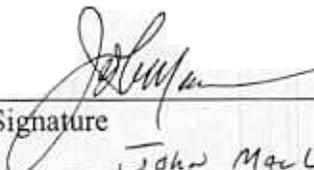
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Sincerely,

Naomi Woodard
Signature

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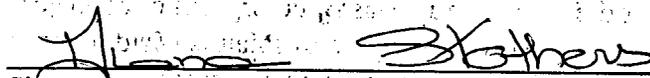
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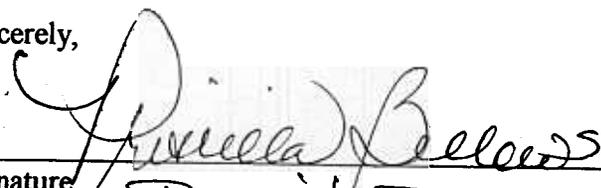
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Lesleigh Erb
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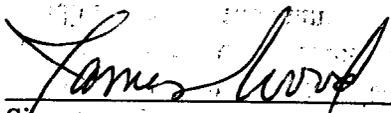
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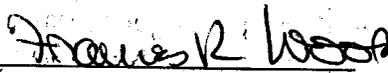
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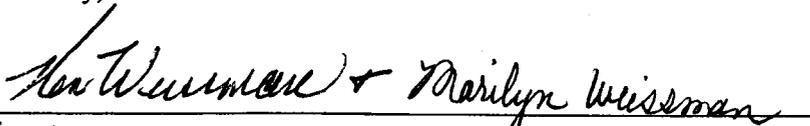
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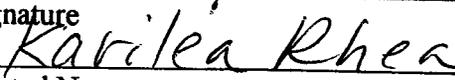
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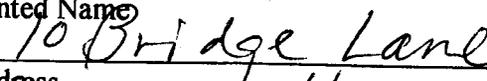
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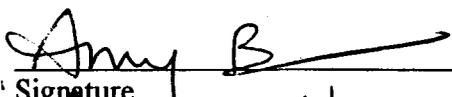
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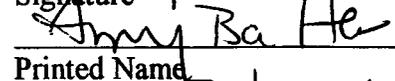
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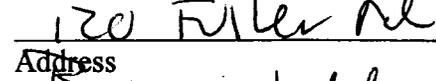
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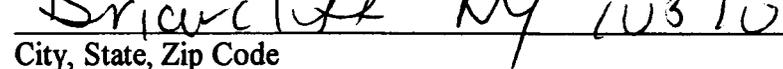
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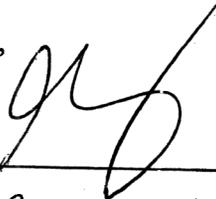
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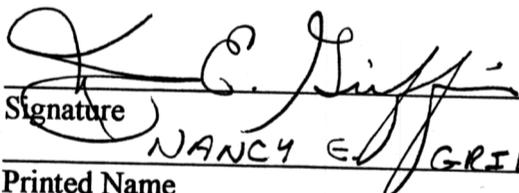
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C. Schudes

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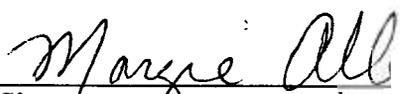
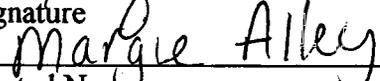
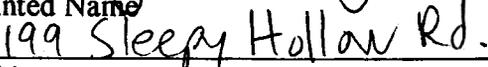
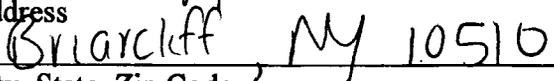
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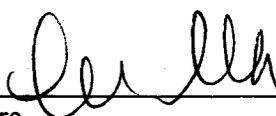
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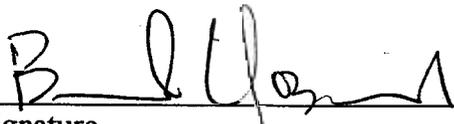
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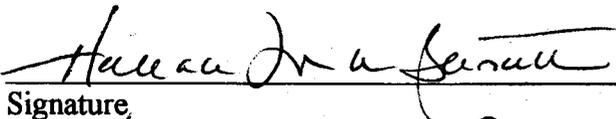
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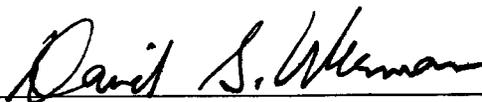
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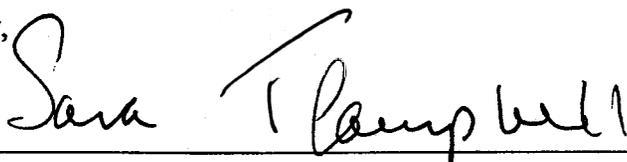
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Beatrice J. Chain

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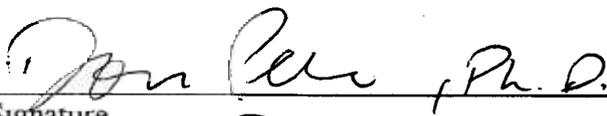
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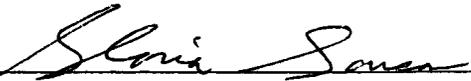
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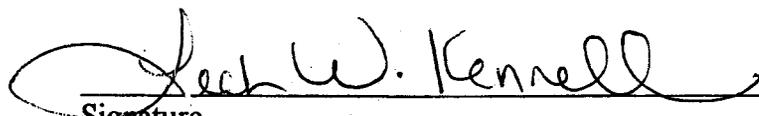
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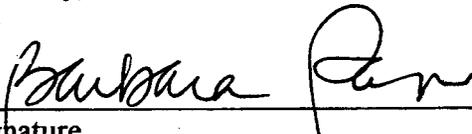
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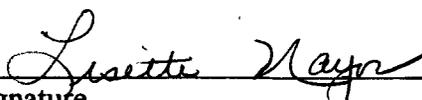
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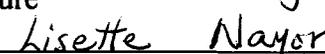
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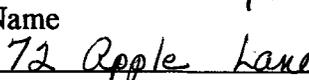
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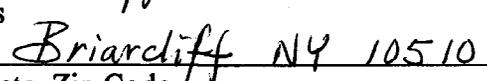
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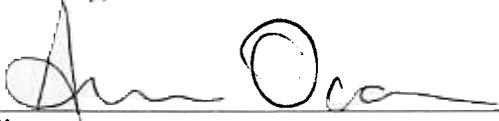
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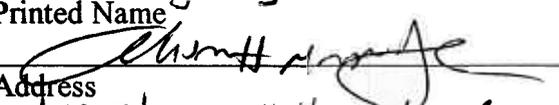
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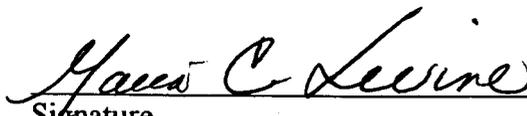
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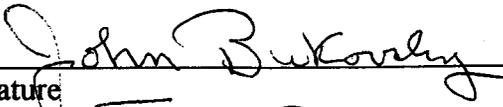
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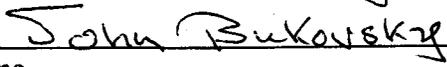
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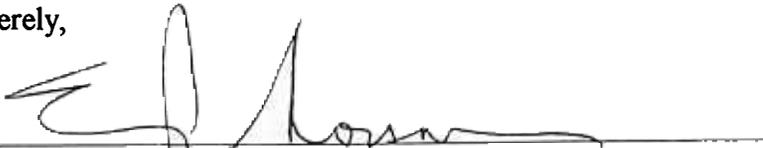
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