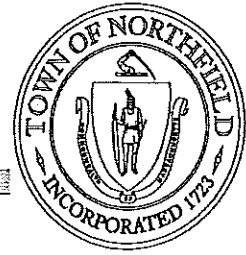


TOWN OF NORTHFIELD
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August 26, 2014

Federal Energy Regulatory Commission
Senator Edward Markey
Senator Elizabeth Warren
Congressman James McGovern
Governor Deval Patrick
State Senator Stanley Rosenberg
State Representative Paul Mark

Ladies and Gentlemen,

The Board of Selectmen for the Town of Northfield voted on August 26, 2014 to accept the following Resolution:

"WHEREAS, Kinder Morgan is proposing to construct a high pressure gas transmission pipeline in Northfield through forest, wetlands, farmland and land under conservation restriction and permanently alter and disturb these lands,

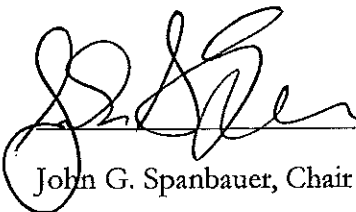
BE IT RESOLVED that the Board of Selectmen as duly elected representatives of the people of Northfield, Massachusetts:

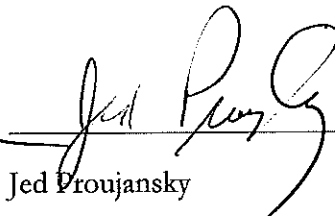
- 1) Oppose the proposed Kinder Morgan pipeline within the borders of our town and Commonwealth;
- 2) Hereby ask our legislators and executive branch officials to enact legislation and take other such actions as are necessary to disallow such projects that go against our commitments to life, the environment, our economic well-being and our personal safety, and instead to legislate more stringent energy efficiency and further explorations of subsidies for renewable energy sources.

AND BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that copies of this Resolution be sent to the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission; U.S. Senators Markey and Warren; Congressman Jim McGovern; Governor Deval Patrick; State Senator Stan Rosenberg; and State Representative Paul Mark."

Please take this Resolution into consideration if the proposal from Kinder Morgan is submitted.

Sincerest Regards,


John G. Spanbauer, Chair


Jed Proujansky


Tracy Rogers

Northfield Board of Selectmen