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To: <u>DEP, MiningComments2016</u>

Subject: New mining rules

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Not providing Hello I am requesting the BEP to remove the proposed mining rules that would endanger our natural resources on Public Reserved Lands by allowing mining on them; by placing mining waste rocks on flood plains; by not providing adequate funding provisions for mining disasters that would not cost taxpayers to foot the bill and By allowing Tailings impound facilities. Our natural water resources need better protection than the proposed rules would provide

Sincerely Peter Gray Old Orchard Beach