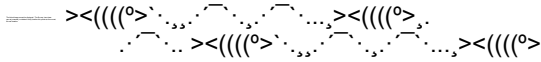

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I am writing to plead that you give more time for multidisciplinary, individual, public consideration of what appears to be a horrendous choice for the health of Maine people, our waterscapes, our safety, our collective future. I was broadly aware of this project through Maine Conservation Voters, and I am familiar with other Waste Management water contamination issues in Maine. Why would we allow thoroughly vetted, terribly toxic waste material to be dumped essentially in the heartland of an area surrounded by wetlands? Why do this now, in a time of impending, thoroughly scientific predictions of drought? Why would we even consider taking hazardous waste from other states? This doesn't make any sense. We are considered by a vast proportion of the US to be redneck hicks who need money and almost a third world country, except that others seem to believe that we are a Canadian province and not really in the US. Please postpone this so that we can get a strong enough counter campaign so our citizens can choose.

With all respect,

Bethe Hagens, PhD



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