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I have been praying a lot on this project. I that even though we are a small piece to this that my letter will hopefully be seen. Thank you for your time James Reinzo Sent from <u>Mail</u> for Windows



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My name is James Reinzo from Sunset Development Inc. (Sunset Mat), we have been building mats for the NECEC project for the past year and have made numerous investments to continue building mats for this project. We have invested in a \$200,000 sawmill, \$45,000 drill, currently have \$80,000 in inventory for logs and employed 5 extra people due to this project. We have seen the effects of this project even as far north as Milford.

Our company has been making construction mats which are required to protect the area being disturbed by construction vehicles.

The economic impact of our contract to do this work can't be overstated. The trickledown effect is putting millions into the Maine economy at a time when so many Mainers and Employers are facing economic hardship.

Due to this you can see that the permit your agency issued is important to more than just CMP. It impacts me, my employees, and all of our families.

Please do not suspend this permit,,, it would be devastating to us. If the courts decide to suspend the project, then the courts decide to suspend the project.