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From: J.E. Barrett <jebarrettauthor@gmail.com>
Sent: Thursday, July 13, 2023 3:38 PM
To: LUPC, Wolfden Rezoning
Subject: Do Not Approve Wolfden's Rezoning Proposal

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To whom it may concern,

I urge the LUPC to reject any proposals that Wolfden submits. They should have been rejected the first time rather than being allowed to withdraw and resubmit their proposal. Actually, if someone on the LUPC could point out to me where in state law it allows the LUPC to inform someone who submits a proposal that their proposal will be rejected unless they voluntarily withdraw it I would appreciate it. It very well may be allowed, but I have not been able to find it. More to the point, Wolfden is not to be trusted. If you look at their proposal for mining exploration in Pembroke, Maine (June 9, 2021), which was approved by the Maine DEP shortly after, Wolfden stated that they had an agreement with the mineral rights holder to conduct exploration. I am one of the land owners who was involved in the battle in Pembroke and they never provided me, or anyone else I have spoken with, including the DEP, or their employee at the time, John Breedlove, with any written legal proof of their agreement with the mineral rights holder that they stated they had in their Exploration Plan. It was not until five months later, in the Fall of 2021, when they filed mineral rights Deeds with the state that they provided any proof that they had any right to the mineral rights in the area. When I asked a DEP employee about why the DEP approved the proposal in June I was told that it was because the DEP took the mining company at their word and accepted the proposal at face value. Mining companies have a history of making promises of economic prosperity, generating an enormous amount of profit for themselves, getting caught polluting and paying paltry fines, and continuing on with business as usual. Based on my experiences in dealing with Wolfden they do the bare minimum and don't seem any different from any other mining company. I believe they only want to get the rezoning approved so that they can sell the land at a significant profit to a larger mining company, pass the massive profits on to their board members, and walk away from the project. At that point any promises they have made about high paying jobs or anything else will be null and void. They push out press releases to mining investment websites stating that they have significant support from the locals in the area, but as far as I know that is not the case. I spent over a year of my life dealing with these people and my experience was that they tell whoever they are talking to what they think that person wants to hear. I don't think that Maine should allow a company like that to even attempt to do business in the state. If we can't trust them to do the right thing now then how can we trust them to do the right thing later.

Respectfully,

Jason Barrett
Pembroke Maine Property Owner and Active Duty Army

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RE: Wolfden Mount Chase LLC
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Very truly yours,

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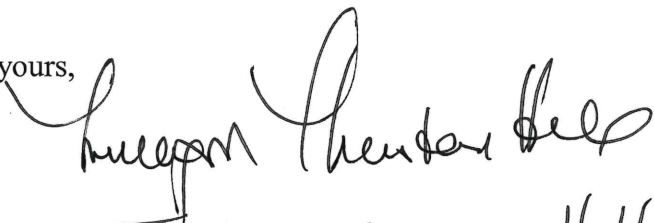
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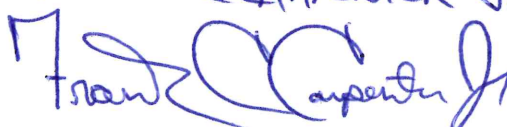
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By [Signature]
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Lynda Williams

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From: Jeremy Chubbuck <hkusp402@gmail.com>
Sent: Sunday, July 16, 2023 9:11 AM
To: LUPC, Wolfden Rezoning
Subject: Wolfden Redistricting Compliance Concern

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Dear LUPC,

I own property on the east side of Upper Shin Pond not far from the proposed Wolfden project. Since purchasing my land in 1999, I have spent as much time as possible here and consider it my de facto home. Although I may not presently be a formal voting resident, I plan to retire in a few years and become one. Those who know me can attest to my sincere passion for Mount Chase and the surrounding area. I am also very familiar with the Pickett Mountain area and the surrounding woods having spent a fair amount of time in that area.

I have reviewed the information that has been made available on the LUPC Wolfden project website as of this date. Based on the very limited details that have been provided, I am concerned that this project fails to meet the requirements outlined in 12 M.R.S.A., Section 685-A(8-A) paragraph b. This requirement is very clear: *“The change in districting will have no undue adverse impact on existing uses or resources or a new district designation is more appropriate for the protection and management of existing uses and resources within the affected area.”*

Specifically, the information provided does not support that there will be no undue adverse impact on existing resources. Additionally, a heavy metals mine clearly is not more appropriate for the protection of existing resources within the affected area. The applicant has failed to provide any evidence to the contrary. Unless the applicant is afforded a variance by LUPC, I see no evidence that this districting change request is compliant with this important regulation and should be denied.

There is no argument that Maine desperately needs economic development, especially the northern Penobscot / southern Aroostook region. Our area of the State has suffered years of decline as young people have left for opportunities elsewhere. Good jobs have eroded. Unfortunately, the Wolfden mining project will not solve this. It simply will not provide long term security or prosperity to our area. There are other business solutions that our area should consider that carry little or no environmental or economic risk.

We have a tremendous and beautiful resource here in Mount Chase. We also have a tremendous responsibility to care for this resource so it can be passed down to future generations. We are stewards of the future. LUPC has a critical role in this stewardship.

As with most hard decisions, what ultimately should be considered is the risk verses reward calculus. In my opinion, the environmental and economic risks of this project far outweigh any temporary rewards being promised. This project is finite and is also not compliant with 12 M.R.S.A., Section 685-A(8-A) paragraph b. This is why it is my sincere hope that LUPC denies this districting change request. Thank you for considering my thoughts and concerns as you make your decision.

Jeremy Chubbuck, PE

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Orono, ME 04473

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Tim Carr
Senior Planner
Maine Land Use Planning Commission

Via Electronic Mail
WolfdenRezoning.LUPC@Maine.gov

July 14, 2023

Dear Tim:

My name is Bill Bridgeo, and I am writing in strong opposition to Wolfden's proposed rezoning of its land near Pickett Mountain to allow mining. I sent LUPC two letters during Wolfden's previous rezoning effort and plan to send additional comments on the flaws with this proposal as well. I also represent District 60 (part of Augusta) in the Maine House of Representatives, although I am sending this letter as a private citizen.

My primary concern in sending this letter is to ensure that LUPC makes adequate provision for public comment during the rezoning petition hearings. I know that LUPC typically holds hearings in the vicinity of the project in question, and I understand the rationale for this. However, the Katahdin Region is an important area for Mainers from across the state. The resources at risk include State Heritage Fish Waters with some of the best fishing I have ever experienced. I still fish Mud Lake and Pleasant Lake, as I have been doing for decades, though I have lived in Central Maine now for many years. These waters belong to all of us, not just to Wolfden.

In addition, having just finished the legislative session as a member of the Environment and Natural Resources Committee, I can tell you that legislators from across the state are interested and concerned about mining. One of the most important bills we dealt with (LD 1363) concerned Maine's mining law. Legislators reflect the views of their constituents, many of whom care about making sure unscrupulous and unqualified mining companies do not damage this beautiful state.

Therefore, in addition to providing opportunity for public comment near the Katahdin Region, I strongly encourage LUPC to hold an evening hearing in a central location to ensure that the Commission hears testimony from the broad range of citizens considered about Wolfden's proposed mine. Bangor would be a reasonable place to hold such a hearing.

I have also read that the Penobscot Indian Nation has intervened in opposition to Wolfden's proposed mine. A Bangor location would likely make it easier for tribal members to testify than if the only opportunities to do so are in far northern Maine.

Thank you for your consideration of this matter. I look forward to submitting additional comments on this issue to LUPC and to testifying in person at the upcoming hearing. Please let me know if you have any questions.

Sincerely,

William Bridgeo

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From: LUPC
Sent: Monday, July 17, 2023 1:47 PM
To: Carr, Tim
Cc: Beyer, Stacie R
Subject: FW: Wolfden Resources Corp / Wolfden Mount Chase LLC - Pickett Mountain Project Rezoning Request

From: Tmetcalf100@comcast.net <Tmetcalf100@comcast.net>
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LUPC-

I was recently made aware of the rezoning request submitted by Wolfden Resources Corporation / Wolfden Mount Chase LLC for approximately 374 acres of the 7,145 acres they own in T6R6 Wels (aka Pickett Mountain Project). I would like to voice my support for the rezoning request.

Thank you.

Thomas E. Metcalf, P.E., L.S.
Civil Engineer & Land Surveyor

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From: Victoria Markiewicz <victoria.markiewicz@maine.edu>
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To: LUPC, Wolfden Rezoning
Subject: Wolfden Mine

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Hello,

I oppose the proposed Wolfden metal mine. As a graduate student at the University of Maine studying Climate Policy, I know that metal mining is incredibly destructive to the environment. As a young Mainer, I want to protect the natural environment in my region.

Thank you,

Tori Markiewicz
University of Maine
Research Assistant | School of Policy and International Affairs
M.A. Climate Policy
Email: victoria.markiewicz@maine.edu

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From: Andrea Tirrell <andrea.tirrell@maine.edu>
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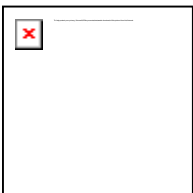
Good afternoon,

I am writing in stark opposition to the creation of a mining operation in northern Penobscot County, by Canadian company Wolfden. I am a PhD student at the University of Maine Orono studying the effects of human disturbance on rare and threatened plant communities. As someone well versed in the ecological consequences of human disturbance, I cannot emphasize enough how detrimental this decision would be to Penobscot County and to the entire state of Maine. Not only would our wilderness be impacted, but those living downstream from mining operations would be impacted irreversibly.

Please, do not allow the creation of the Wolfden mining operation. While it may create some short term jobs, its long term impacts on the state of Maine will be detrimental. Maine should be investing in clean energy jobs, not mines.

Best,
Andrea Tirrell

Andrea J. Tirrell, M.S.
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School of Biology & Ecology
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18 July 2023

Re: Pickett Mountain Mine Rezoning Application, ZP 779A – Wolfden Mt. Chase LLC

Dear Commissioners,

My family owns two camps north of Patten near Pickett Mountain. As a local landowner and taxpayer I am opposed to the proposed Wolfden mine. I believe the establishment of a metal mine is **incompatible with the surrounding land use** of the region and therefore the proposal does not justify a change in zoning. Importantly, I am very much opposed to the proposed Wolfden mine for the following primary reasons:

- The unavoidable increase in light pollution that will result from the operation of the mine should it be approved
- Potential for irreparable harm to the state designated heritage fisheries in this watershed via contamination of freshwater streams, lakes, and wetlands
- Increase in noise pollution including the ingress and egress of the necessary heavy machinery and construction vehicles that will be ongoing during the 10 years of operation if the mine is approved
- Threats to native wildlife in the vicinity of Pickett Mountain including moose and threatened Canada lynx
- Negative effects on the idyllic landscape and wilderness setting for which this region is widely known and appreciated

My family bought our land three years ago largely as a consequence of the establishment of Katahdin Woods and Waters National Monument (KWW). Northeast Maine, including Baxter State Park (and environs), KWW, Allagash Wilderness, the North Maine Woods, and the Mt. Chase area, collectively, is one of two remaining wilderness regions in northeastern United States (the other being Adirondack State Park in New York). One compelling reason for the public's support of the establishment of KWW was the significant increase in outdoor recreation opportunities KWW would prompt thereby contributing to the region's economic development. My family is proof that this vision is coming to fruition. The past three summers we have spent considerable time here and have contributed thousands of dollars to the local community through property taxes, equipment and supply purchases, camping fees, fishing trips, contractual work, food and dining, fuel, etc. Like many, we are drawn to this area for its exceptional fishing, hiking, wildlife watching and camping opportunities. I can say with confidence that our family would not have chosen this area in which to establish our summer roots, and therefore would not have made our contributions to the local economy, had this mine been in operation when we were searching for a long-term outdoor oriented setting. I know we are not alone.

One major asset of this region that seems under-appreciated is its designation as an International Dark Sky Sanctuary (<https://www.darksky.org/our-work/conservation/idsp/sanctuaries/katahdin-woods-and-waters-national-monument/>) – the only Sanctuary in the eastern United States. Light pollution from a mine will affect the entire region and will be visible from Baxter State Park and KWW threatening this important designation which has already proven economically beneficial.

As natural areas in the northeast continue to be developed and fragmented, the future economic value of this region lies in its ability to become an exceptional wilderness recreation destination. Being a natural resource professional and local landowner, I firmly believe that the region's potential as a remote outdoor destination has only begun to be realized by outdoor enthusiasts across the northeast. The establishment of a metal mine here is incompatible with this land use vision. *Importantly, its approval will set precedent for subsequent incompatible land use changes.* **Sacrificing the future economic development of this region for a short-term mining operation would be disastrous and could have detrimental consequences for decades to come long after the mine has been abandoned as has been proven elsewhere time and time again.** What this region needs is a long-term comprehensive recreational land use plan that embraces its unique wilderness setting and emphasizes economic development attractive to America's youth – not a metal mining operation.

Thank you for your consideration.

Sincerely,



Christopher M. Heckscher
Private Landowner
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Carr, Tim

From: Becky Noyes <stateofmynd42@gmail.com>
Sent: Monday, August 21, 2023 3:47 PM
To: LUPC, Wolfden Rezoning
Subject: Wolfden Rezoning Concerns

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Hello,

I'm writing to you about my concern for the Pickett Mountain Mining Project attempting near Patten, Maine. As a long time resident of Patten and the surrounding communities, I have very deep concerns about the mine itself along with the company behind it.

Mines have a nasty habit of polluting the area in which they reside and Wolfden has provided no confidence in the belief this will not happen. They tout that treatment of the water which they use will be purified with a process called "reverse osmosis," which can clean the water, but leaves behind toxic sludge. Not to mention that this is an insanely costly process that mines in the past have only used when they were caught and found to be leaching toxins into the environment.

Wolfden does not currently operate a mine and the Katahdin area is not a place to be running experiments which could harm its natural beauty and the creatures that reside there. Patten is finally starting to make steps towards embracing the tourism community and moving from the dying extraction based economy (lumbering). We don't need to head back that way. Maine's beauty can last forever if we care for it. Mining is a boom/bust economy, one of which Wolfden themselves have said will only last 3-5yrs. Three to five years of "economic boom" for an eternity of destruction... doesn't sound like a good deal to me. People come from all over the world to experience Maine and the Katahdin region.

People come to hike, bike, climb, boat, fish, hunt, four-wheel, snow sled, camp, explore and all of this is based off a healthy environment of which to have these great adventures in. While these people are here they need places to shop for supplies and gear, places to stay, places to eat, places to fuel up, places to rent equipment, places to buy souvenirs, places to take their vehicles if they become damaged, people to run/operate all these businesses, people to help guide them to the best places and people to care for any injuries of themselves or their pets. If we want to look at this from a purely economic standpoint, embracing the tourism of this area is a far greater benefit to all the people of the area than a mine. Wolfden said they wouldn't be hiring local people to work at the proposed mine and really, why would they? We don't have anyone around with mining experience and/or knowledge and they don't have the ability to train anyone (and don't seem to want to) either. Wolfden touts having hundreds of trucks rolling through Patten like the "good ol' days" of lumbering. Why do we want that? Do we want that heavy traffic flying through our streets and destroying the roads that our taxes will have to pay to repair? If they bring people from out of town to work these jobs, even their taxes won't contribute to the repair of our roads. Our relaxed and quiet roads to explore will be filled with the rumbling of

trucks. Definitely not places you'll want your kids riding their bikes on, that's for sure, and most certainly no longer a tourist destination.

Wolfden argues we can have the land back after they take what they want from it. Who wants some polluted mountain that is continuing to leach toxic chemicals into the water table once they're gone? A water table that will lead to our wells at home. Water that runs into all the rivers and streams, killing our fish and wildlife, killing ourselves.

As I've said, I've lived and worked here nearly my entire life. It's not always been an easy thing to do. Life is a bit tough here at times, the pay isn't always great and the expenses are many, but I've always loved it here. I love the mountain and the forest, the lakes and the streams, the endless possibility for adventure, and all the wildlife in which it contains. I've fought to stay here and I'll continue to fight for as long as I can. If this mine does get approved... it breaks my heart, but that will be it and we will leave. I can't stand the thought of staying and watching my home be destroyed by pollution and people applaud them because they think they're going to get some money out of it.

I'm sorry for rambling, but please, help us embrace tourism and all the support system around it and decline the mine. Tourism will benefit us all as all services and jobs are needed for it. The mine will only salt the Earth, making sure nothing can grow and destroying our beautiful home.

Thank you,

Becky Noyes, LVT

Patten, ME

StateofMynd42@gmail.com

From: [Max Corkran](#)
To: [LUPC, Wolfden Rezoning](#)
Subject: Reject Wolfden's disastrous mine proposal at Pickett Mountain
Date: Monday, July 24, 2023 9:58:07 AM

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Sincerely,
Max Corkran
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Sincerely,
Jane Whitney
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Brooklin, ME 04616

From: [Susanne Lee](#)
To: [LUPC, Wolfden Rezoning](#)
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Sincerely,
Susanne Lee
87 Town Farm Road
North Yarmouth, ME 04097

From: [Russell Vickery](#)
To: [LUPC, Wolfden Rezoning](#)
Subject: Reject Wolfden's disastrous mine proposal at Pickett Mountain
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Sincerely,
Russell Vickery
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Brewer, ME 04412

From: [Ava Block](#)
To: [LUPC, Wolfden Rezoning](#)
Subject: Reject Wolfden's disastrous mine proposal at Pickett Mountain
Date: Friday, August 18, 2023 6:33:00 AM

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Sincerely,
Ava Block
8331 Mayflower Hill Drive
Waterville, ME 04901

From: [Paul Donnelly](#)
To: [LUPC, Wolfden Rezoning](#)
Subject: Reject Wolfden's disastrous mine proposal at Pickett Mountain
Date: Wednesday, August 16, 2023 10:48:37 PM

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Sincerely,
Paul Donnelly
15 Congress St #202
Biddeford, ME 04005

From: [Abby Buchanan](#)
To: [LUPC, Wolfden Rezoning](#)
Subject: Reject Wolfden's disastrous mine proposal at Pickett Mountain
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Sincerely,
Abby Buchanan
773 Maine St #2
Orono, ME 04473

From: Mallory.russell.Russell
To: [LUPC, Wolfden Rezoning](#)
Subject: Reject Wolfden's disastrous mine proposal at Pickett Mountain
Date: Tuesday, August 15, 2023 8:54:40 PM

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Sincerely,
Mallory.russell.Russell
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Medway, ME 04460

From: [Marc Acus](#)
To: [LUPC, Wolfden Rezoning](#)
Subject: Reject Wolfden's disastrous mine proposal at Pickett Mountain
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80 dunphy dr
Florence, MA 01062

From: [Bryn Creager](#)
To: [LUPC, Wolfden Rezoning](#)
Subject: Reject Wolfden's disastrous mine proposal at Pickett Mountain
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Bryn Creager
65 campus ave bates college
Lewiston, ME 04240

From: [Mayla Madison](#)
To: [LUPC, Wolfden Rezoning](#)
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Mayla Madison
27 Wilderness Way
Turnee, ME 04282

From: [Griffin Madden](#)
To: [LUPC, Wolfden Rezoning](#)
Subject: Reject Wolfden's disastrous mine proposal at Pickett Mountain
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Sincerely,
Griffin Madden
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Scarborough, ME 04074

From: [Sophie Harpool](#)
To: [LUPC, Wolfden Rezoning](#)
Subject: Reject Wolfden's disastrous mine proposal at Pickett Mountain
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Sincerely,
Sophie Harpool
123 Sligo rd
Yarmouth, ME 04096

From: [Paul Vitale](#)
To: [LUPC, Wolfden Rezoning](#)
Subject: Reject Wolfden's disastrous mine proposal at Pickett Mountain
Date: Monday, August 14, 2023 7:29:06 PM

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Sincerely,
Paul Vitale
7045 Manse Street
Forest Hills, NY 11375

From: [Zack George](#)
To: [LUPC, Wolfden Rezoning](#)
Subject: Reject Wolfden's disastrous mine proposal at Pickett Mountain
Date: Sunday, August 13, 2023 10:40:37 PM

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Sincerely,
Zack George
169 Longfellow St
Portland, ME 04103

From: [Cooper Hogan](#)
To: [LUPC, Wolfden Rezoning](#)
Subject: Reject Wolfden's disastrous mine proposal at Pickett Mountain
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Sincerely,
Cooper Hogan
47 Tanglewood Ln
Yarmouth, ME 04096

From: [Susan Wind](#)
To: [LUPC, Wolfden Rezoning](#)
Subject: Reject Wolfden's disastrous mine proposal at Pickett Mountain
Date: Sunday, August 13, 2023 11:59:43 AM

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Sincerely,
Susan Wind
28 Lawn Ave.
Rockland, ME 04841

From: [Kathryn Olmstead](#)
To: [LUPC, Wolfden Rezoning](#)
Subject: Reject Wolfden's disastrous mine proposal at Pickett Mountain
Date: Saturday, August 12, 2023 3:43:01 PM

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Sincerely,
Kathryn Olmstead
P. O. Box 626
Caribou, ME 04736

From: [william wood](#)
To: [LUPC, Wolfden Rezoning](#)
Subject: Reject Wolfden's disastrous mine proposal at Pickett Mountain
Date: Friday, August 11, 2023 3:31:08 PM

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Sincerely,
william wood
664 hollywood blvd
alna, ME 04535

From: [Allen Berry](#)
To: [LUPC, Wolfden Rezoning](#)
Subject: Reject Wolfden's disastrous mine proposal at Pickett Mountain
Date: Friday, August 11, 2023 2:54:08 PM

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Allen Berry
342 Narragansett Trail
Buxton, ME 04093

From: [Rich Collins](#)
To: [LUPC, Wolfden Rezoning](#)
Subject: Reject Wolfden's disastrous mine proposal at Pickett Mountain
Date: Friday, August 11, 2023 2:20:05 PM

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Rich Collins
32 Alden Cir
Chocorua, NH 03817

From: [J. Richard Hero](#)
To: [LUPC, Wolfden Rezoning](#)
Subject: Reject Wolfden's disastrous mine proposal at Pickett Mountain
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Sincerely,
J. Richard Hero
PO Box 294 Hope Lane
Brooklin, ME 04616

From: [Jane Whitney](#)
To: [LUPC, Wolfden Rezoning](#)
Subject: Reject Wolfden's disastrous mine proposal at Pickett Mountain
Date: Friday, August 11, 2023 10:55:45 AM

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Jane Whitney
PO Box 294 Hope Lane
Brooklin, ME 04616

From: [Cheryl Robertson](#)
To: [LUPC, Wolfden Rezoning](#)
Subject: Reject Wolfden's disastrous mine proposal at Pickett Mountain
Date: Tuesday, August 8, 2023 11:52:09 AM

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Sincerely,
Cheryl Robertson
158 Bennoch Road
Orono, ME 04473

From: [Jane Elmer](#)
To: [LUPC, Wolfden Rezoning](#)
Subject: Reject Wolfden's disastrous mine proposal at Pickett Mountain
Date: Monday, August 7, 2023 3:27:58 PM

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When has there been a mine that did not produce toxic or radioactive mine tailings in a collection "pond" downstream from the metal mine? Many creatures and humans would be injured or permanently damaged, if they came into contact with the waste stream.

Mainers love Maine for its beauty and natural environment. Trading that for industrial gain is just wrong.

Sincerely,
Jane Elmer
16 Mainewood Ave
Orono, ME 04473

From: [Russ Vickery](#)
To: [LUPC, Wolfden Rezoning](#)
Subject: Reject Wolfden's disastrous mine proposal at Pickett Mountain
Date: Monday, August 7, 2023 2:39:58 PM

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Sincerely,
Russ Vickery
3 Hickory Ct
Brewer, ME 04412

From: [Rachel Darling](#)
To: [LUPC, Wolfden Rezoning](#)
Subject: Reject Wolfden's disastrous mine proposal at Pickett Mountain
Date: Monday, August 7, 2023 1:37:29 PM

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As a University of Maine graduate student in the Wildlife, Fisheries, and Conservation Biology department, I am keenly aware of the innumerable environmental tragedies caused by industry's penchant to prioritize profit while ignoring, glossing over, or performing shoddy research to "prove" its processes are "safe" for the environment.

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Sincerely,
Rachel Darling
172 Bolling Dr
Bangor, ME 04401

From: [DAVID STUART](#)
To: [LUPC, Wolfden Rezoning](#)
Subject: Reject Wolfden's disastrous mine proposal at Pickett Mountain
Date: Monday, July 31, 2023 5:52:28 PM

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Sincerely,
DAVID STUART
503A TRI-STATE BLVD
WARREN, ME 04864

From: [Shirley L Davis](#)
To: [LUPC, Wolfden Rezoning](#)
Subject: Reject Wolfden's disastrous mine proposal at Pickett Mountain
Date: Monday, July 24, 2023 2:24:47 PM

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Shirley L Davis
64 Gardner Rd
Orono, ME 04473

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204 Spurwink
Scarborough, ME 04074

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Corinne Sternlieb
179 B Road
Houlton, ME 04730

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Jesse Gildesgame
42 NE cove rd
Lovell, ME 04051

From: [Jody Richmond](#)
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Jody Richmond
97 Larrabee Farm Road
Dover Foxcroft, ME 04426

From: [Makayla Maxwell](#)
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Makayla Maxwell
Po Box 248
Hulls Cove, ME 04644

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Sandy Hempe
5 West St.
Bath, ME 04530

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Anne Wilder
92 North St #4
Portland, ME 04101

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430 Hollis Road
Hollis Center, ME 04042

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Hans Carlson
PO Box 443
Blue Hill, ME 04614

From: [Judy M Brewer](#)
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388 Wilbraham Road
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127 Robinson Rd.
Sidney, ME 04330

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20 Fellowship Drive
East Fallowfield, PA 19320

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5 Barrows Drive
TOPSHAM, ME 04086

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Bronwen Rogers
27 Eagle Lake Rd
Bar Harbor, ME 04609

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Trish Stevens
142 N dixmont Rd
Troy, ME 04987

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Thank you.

Sincerely,
Ronald Barry
P.O. Box 471
Lewiston, ME 04243

From: [Doreen Mann](#)
To: [LUPC, Wolfden Rezoning](#)
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Doreen Mann
108 King Rd
Lisbon, ME 04250

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Sincerely,
E Scott Dow
80 Allenwood Park Rd
Augusta, ME 04330

From: [Jacquelyn Elliott](#)
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Sincerely,
Jacquelyn Elliott
148 West Road
Waterboro, ME 04087

From: [Sally Smyth](#)
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Sincerely,
Sally Smyth
PO Box 160
Camden, ME 04843

From: [Kathleen Rogers](#)
To: [LUPC, Wolfden Rezoning](#)
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Sincerely,
Kathleen Rogers
27 Eagle Lake Rd
Bar Harbor, ME 04609

From: [Grace Gile](#)
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232 Federal St
Alfred, ME 04002

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Catharine Baldwin
4 Wingate Ct
Bangor, ME 04401

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theo de wert
1269 Ford Road
Best, NE 24653

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Robert Bond
27 Oakley Street
Portland, ME 04103

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Sincerely,
Marcia White
PO Box 234
Stratton, ME 04982

From: [James OHARE](#)
To: [LUPC, Wolfden Rezoning](#)
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Sincerely,
James OHARE
1085 River Road
Bowdoinham, ME 04880

From: [Stephen Perkins](#)
To: [LUPC, Wolfden Rezoning](#)
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I urge you to reject Wolfden Resources' second rezoning proposal for its Pickett Mountain property and I urge the Commission to deny Wolfden's rezoning petition.

Sincerely,
Stephen Perkins
47 Jackman Corner Rd
Sangerville, ME 04479

From: [Cathy Coffman](#)
To: [LUPC, Wolfden Rezoning](#)
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I urge you to reject the mining proposal for Pickett Mountain property.

Why would anyone want to even possibly endanger Maine's beautiful land? Why would the state once again fail to value its tribes' heritage and their input?

This mining should never be allowed to be done by ANY company, so the fact that we as a state would even accept an application from a company who has apparently never operated a mine before is ludicrous. Maine does NOT need to be an educational training ground for AMATEURS!

The LUPC is supposed to protect Maine's natural beauty and its waters and its citizens' use and enjoyment thereof, not to mention the area's water quality. Think of the fish, water birds and wildlife in that area! Both humans and animals should have priority.

This mine to TOO BIG of a risk to all of these. Can LURC find any place in world where the wasterwater from such a plant doesn't lower the water quality? Why again would Maine want therefore to even consider??

Pickett Mountain--like MANY of the state's natural areas--is not a place for this kind of mining.

I urge the Commission to deny Wolfden's rezoning petition. Zones were made for a reason and rezoning should only be made when it is for the better good or Maine citizens, wildlife and nature.

Sincerely,
Cathy Coffman
52 Wildwood Dr
Saco, ME 04072

From: [Sharon Robinson](#)
To: [LUPC, Wolfden Rezoning](#)
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Sharon Robinson
630 Ferry Road
Saco, ME 04072

From: [George Wheelwright](#)
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Do not let big business and short term profit-minded interests take away forever our irreplaceable wilderness.

Sincerely,
George Wheelwright
100 Camden St
Rockport, ME 04856

From: [Glenn Morazzini](#)
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Sincerely,
Glenn Morazzini
15 Meadow Lane
Cumberland, ME 04021

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Little Deer Isle, ME 04650

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Embden, ME 03862

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Jane Moosbruker
40 Brewster Lane
Acton, MA 01720

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Linda Dobbins-tarbox
58 Wolf Lane
Newville, PA 17241

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60 Punkin Valley Dr.
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Thank you!
Deena Weinstein

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Deens Weinstein
18 Blueberry Lane, #2B
Falmouth, ME 04105

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86 Upham rd
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258 Old Sheepscot Rd
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Carolyn Miller
265 Bruckoff Rd
Clifton, ME 04428

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228 Martin Stream Rd
Fairfield, ME 04937

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New Sharon, ME 04955

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14 Harriet Way
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1000 Sawyer Road
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21 TYLER ST
Auburn, ME 04210

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32 Huston Street
Lisbon Falls, ME 04252

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Lynn Breckinridge
318 FORESIDE RD
FALMOUTH, ME 04105

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Susan Dixon
24 Bark place
Belfast, ME 04915

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43 Houlton Road, PO Box 189
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11 SUMMER ST
NORWAY, ME 04268

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863 River Road
Hollis Center, ME 04042

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21 Cross Rd.
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99 W Shore Rd
Caratunk, ME 04925

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34-29 80TH STREET #41
Jackson heights, NY 11372

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P.O. Box 488
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82 Daggett Dr, Raymond Maine
ME - Raymond, ME 04071

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287 Long Point Road
Harpwell, ME 04079

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Shonna Davis
1661 Ludlow Rd
Ludlow, ME 04730

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17 Old Mast Rd
York, ME 03909

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Sincerely,
Michelle Luongo
198 stow rd
Stow, ME 04037

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To: [LUPC, Wolfden Rezoning](#)
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James Jurdak
217 Cedar Village Place
Oakland, ME 04963

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Lily Turner
110 Alpine Village Rd
Harrison, ME 04040

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This is a group in too much of a hurry to make a buck to have bothered to do so much as get its paperwork in any kind of sensible order the first time it submitted a request for rezoning. The State of Maine and its people cannot trust Wolfden to take proper care with this watershed in particular or any of our natural resources in general.

You know what the Katahdin region means to Maine and, increasingly, to all Americans. This area **does** offer potentially enormous economic opportunities, but they're to be had in preserving the wilderness and promoting outdoor tourism—not in ripping up a mountain and risking the permanent destruction of endangered Atlantic salmon habitat and upsetting a larger, interwoven ecosystem filled with wildlife and wonder.

Even if a mining operation here were a good idea (which is a little like saying, “even if I did want to whack myself in the forehead with a mallet...”), Wolfden has continually demonstrated that it's woefully ill prepared to be a steward of our lands and waterways. I encourage you to join hundreds and hundreds of Mainers in clearly and resoundingly saying NO to this proposal. It's not good for us. There's no real benefit and plenty of real risk. We don't want it.

Chuck it.

Thank you,
Joshua W. Jackson

Sincerely,
Joshua Jackson
17 Hornet St
Brunswick, ME 04011

From: [Ron Savitt](#)
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Ron Savitt
15 Piper Road/ Apt. K317
Scarborough, ME 04074

From: [Annette Kreutziger-Herr](#)
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Annette Kreutziger-Herr
19 Leighton Road
Pownal, ME 04069

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232 Federal St
Alfred, ME 04002

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Denise Androvette
128 Hamden Dr
Syracuse, NY 13208

From: [Leyza Toste](#)
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Leyza Toste
5 Barrows Drive
TOPSHAM, ME 04086

From: [Frederick Farquhar](#)
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Sincerely,
Frederick Farquhar
30 Marion Way
Falmouth, ME 04105

From: [Susan Porter](#)
To: [LUPC, Wolfden Rezoning](#)
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Susan Porter
2134 Hemlock Farms
Lords Valley, PA 18428

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To: [LUPC, Wolfden Rezoning](#)
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Lisa Munderback
23 Coach Road
South Portland, ME 04106

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PO Box 1314
Camden, ME 04843

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Jeffrey Zabik
21 Bridge Street, Apt A
Topsham, ME 04086

From: [Diana Jagde](#)
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Diana Jagde
23 Daniel Drive
Gardiner, ME 04345

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To: [LUPC, Wolfden Rezoning](#)
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Sincerely,
Sylvia Spear
750 Lincoln Street
Waterville, ME 04901

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Katharina Burdet
407 Castle Island Road
Belgrade, ME 04917

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1320 West Main Street
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1040 N Maddux Dr, Apt C
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Michae Remsen
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1550 Upper Oak Hill Rd
Swanville, ME 04915

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65 Bay Road
Brooklin, ME 04616

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57 FRANCIS ST
WATERVILLE, ME 04901

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31 Down River Camp Drive
Princeton, ME 04668

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South Portland, ME 04106

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P.O. Box 364
Kingfield, ME 04947

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46 Herrick Rd
Belfast, ME 04915

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maryann.larson
108 Field Rd.
Cumberland, ME 04021

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James Chalfant
18 Winter street
Rockport, ME 04856

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35 Paul Bunyan Road
Corea, ME 04624

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39 Tannery Brook Rd
Gorham, ME 04038

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Thank you for your time!

Sincerely,
jess tkacik
71 Frances St
Portland, ME 04102

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9 Cole St. Apt. 12
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35 Union Street
Camden, ME 04843

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Please do not make it easier for large, extractive, polluting industries to set up shop here and change the face of Maine. It is not fair to the Wabanaki people, our flora and fauna, waters and other local inhabitants.

Thank you,

Sincerely,
Ann MacEachern
PO Box 80
Acton, ME 04001

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Gregg Raymond
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South Portland, ME 04106

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Steven Rogers
44 Otis Street
Bangor, ME 04401

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'LUPC commissioners were frustrated with what they saw as Wolfden's unwillingness to respond to questions to their staff's satisfaction, even after more than a year of discussion.

"I have never seen anything like this," said Commissioner Gwen Hilton, where an applicant "was seemingly so uncooperative with the staff. It almost doesn't even make sense if indeed they're hoping to get their application approved."

I can see no earthly reason that the LUPC should change its initial ruling in this matter, especially given the LUPC's mandate to "Prevent... industrial uses detrimental to the long-term health, use and value of these areas and to Maine's natural resource-based economy."

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Lynne Gilbert
515 Benner Rd.
Bristol, ME 04539

From: [Lisa Boucher](#)
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Lisa Boucher
127 Point Sebago Rd
Casco, ME 04015

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Lucy Stroble
795 Lily Bay Road Unit 712
Beaver Cove, ME 04441

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129 easy st
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114 Brown Road
Woodland, ME 04736

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Alice James
257 Canco Rd
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Sincerely,
Kevin Kane
31 High St
Hallowell, ME 04347

From: [John Cary](#)
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John Cary
1568 Clarry Hill Road
Union, ME 04862

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Robert Bourassa
220 Franklin St.
Rumford, ME 04276

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Jody Telfair-Richards
118 Poor Farm Road
Bristol, ME 04539

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Sincerely,
Mary Wilson
P. O. Box 52
Bethel, ME 04217

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Harrison Brakewood
1909 Denver West Court
Golden, CO 80401

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Sincerely,
Claudia Griffiths
44 chestnut st
Camden, ME 04843

From: [Diane Tilkemeier](#)
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Diane Tilkemeier
91 Pine Drive
Otisfield, ME 04270

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41 Knights Road
Albion, ME 04910

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Haley Engstrom
449 Hampden Rd
Carmel, ME 04419

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Maggie Coyle
190 Upper Dedham Rd
Dedham, ME 04429

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Paul Schneider
192 Norfolk St
Bangor, ME 04401

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P.. o. Box 198
Belgrade Lakes, ME 04918

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Amy Partridge-Barber
2014 Fox Hollow Rd.
Carabassett Valley, ME 04947

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Fedelma McKenna
85 Rumford St
Concord, NH 03301

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Sincerely,
Michael Begley
1282 Bangor Rd
Dover Foxcroft, ME 04426

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Ellen Brouillet
34 Little river rd
Berwick, ME 03901

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Jane Sisco Perkins
906 Michigan Avenue
Evanston, IL 60202

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Garland, ME 04939

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Rte 11
Patten, ME 04765

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Emily Alexander
40 Waites Landing Rd
Falmouth, ME 04105

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Ann Williams
18 Coburn Lane
Topsham, ME 04086

From: [Diane Fitzgerald](#)
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122 Lincoln St
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553 Stringham Ave Apt A
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Anna Marie Thron
72 West St.
Portland, ME 04102

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117 Bucksmills Road
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11 Castlewood Lane
Owls Head, ME 04854

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34 True Rd
Lincolntonville, ME 04849

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39 Andrews Rd.
Bath, ME 04530

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Sydney Morison
98 Rogers Rd.
Troy, ME 04987

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5 Elm Street
Searsport, ME 04974

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112 Westbranch Ct., Apt. #102
Pittsfield, ME 04967

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Sincerely,
Lynne Calero
2 Strawberry Lane
Saco, ME 04072

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kate.prior
59 State Street #27
Portland, ME 04101

From: [Charles Wemyss-Dunn](#)
To: [LUPC, Wolfden Rezoning](#)
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William Fiegener
42 snow hill rd
Appleton, ME 04862

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117 starlight dr
brewer, ME 04412

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Ripley, ME 04930

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130 Richards Rd.
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95 Emery St.
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361 North Rd
Winterport, ME 04496

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Laci Hoskins
86 Norton Road
Limington, ME 04049

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57 Revere St, Apt 2
Portland, ME 04103

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55 Page St
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Jennifer Angelone
29 Goodwin Road
Norway, ME 04268

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Aiden Belanger
783 Beckwith rd
Cornville, ME 04976

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Annabelle Williams
3 High Street
Camden, ME 04843

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Berry Manter
Portland, ME

Sincerely,
Berry Manter
46 E. Prom
Portland, ME 04101

From: [Ethan Whited](#)
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121 Pegasus st
Brunswick, ME 04105

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Bill Hammond
7 Breakneck Ridge Rd
Trevett, ME 04571

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John Neal
72 Sedgley Road
Greene, ME 04236

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18 Rocky Shore Dr
Orrington, ME 04474

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Sarah Robinson
2864 Broadway
Glenburn, ME 04401

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Matthew Pearson
6964 west county road 25
Loveland CO, CO 80538

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Lindsay Brown
6 Elm St
Bucksport, ME 04416

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PO Box 398
South China, ME 04358

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Thank you for your consideration and for your service.

Sincerely,
Robyn Deveney
44 Old Waterville Rd
Oakland, ME 04963

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Let's try to leave Maine the way we found it instead of opening it up to decay and pollution.

Sincerely,
harriette griffin
228 w. cundys pt. rd.
harpwell, ME 04079

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To: [LUPC, Wolfden Rezoning](#)
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No one wants to climb a beautiful hill to get a glimpse of a tailings pile or a heap-leach pad. No one wants to fish a stream with weird, sickly-looking effluent flowing into it from some gouge in the earth. No one wants to hunt with the noises of explosives, tracked machinery, and ore trucks singing in their ears.

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The latter is a key observation. Most open pit mines fail, economically, near the end of their operational lives. Most are abandoned and the taxpayers are left with an enormous bill to mitigate the toxic environmental disasters that are left behind. The usual practice is to transfer the assets to a shell corporation that has no funds, declare bankruptcy, and walk away. International mineral extraction companies do that sort of thing constantly.

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Mike Diehl
25 Gorham Rd
Wiscasset, ME 04578

From: [Pat Harrington](#)
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PENOBSCOT, ME 04476

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Wolfden sees a chance to make money, and evidently will say anything to make that happen -- another case of greed trumping reality. NOT in Maine, please!!

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356 Deaver Rd.
Waldoboro, ME 04572

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Sincerely,
Abigail Despres
330 South Road
Fayette, ME 04349

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56 NARRAGANSETT TRL
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PO Box 525
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York, ME 03909

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723 River Rd
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Stockton Springs, ME 04981

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514 Riverside Drive
Augusta, ME 04330

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Joan Welsh
54 Sea St
Rockport, ME 04856

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This should never be allowed. The Katahdin region is sacred. Places like this is what makes Maine home. Please don't ruin our home.

Sincerely,
Taylor Ouellette
18 Cherryfield Ave
Saco, ME 04072

From: [Derek VanVolkenburgh](#)
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Derek VanVolkenburgh
13
Brunswick, ME 04011

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Tracey Allen
113 Ash Swamp Rd
Scarborough, ME 04074

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Ignacio Pessoa
164 Pretty Marsh Road
Mount Desert, ME 04660

From: [Kathy Despres](#)
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330 South Road
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4 white st
Topsham, ME 04086

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mackenzie carter
24 Vermont St
Millinocket, ME 04462

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Lily Pagan
157 Lexington Ave
New York, NY 10016

From: [Poppy H](#)
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Poppy H
Alexander Dr
Cape Elizabeth, ME 04107

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featherkeeper@gmail.com
Standish, ME 04084

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Please, do not allow corporate interests to be put ahead of the preservation of the beauty of our state..Once it's gone, its too late.

Sincerely,
Chuck Dawes
Gore Road
Raymond, ME 04071

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To: [LUPC, Wolfden Rezoning](#)
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Sincerely,
Suzanne Randall
16 Thomas Drive
Scarborough, ME 04074

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Mary Griffith
116 Flying Point Road
Freeport, ME 04032

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Jesse Robbins
211 Magog Rd
Searsmont, ME 04973

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Ellen Asherman
42 Matthew Dr
Brunswick, ME 04011

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Sincerely,
jayne lello
651 north rd
sebec, ME 04481

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61 N. Carl Annon Court
Foxborough, MA 02035

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Ariela Deleon
9 Copeland Pl
Farmingdale, NY 11735

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Also, as a resident of Maine and alumni of the University of Maine at Orono, I believe Maine's draw lies in its natural state. The introduction of mining in the forests and mountains of Maine take away from its untouched appeal and would actively hinder "Vacationland" tourism, outweighing any economic gain by the mine.

Sincerely,
Chika Nduaguibe
26 Vine Street
South Berwick, ME 03908

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108 Harpswell Rd Apt 1
Brunswick, ME 04011

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Alex Lehnen
74 Grand Street #2
South Portland, ME 04106

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Lesslie Crowell
1877 Field Road
Charlottesville, VA 22903

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Karsyn Wheeler
202 Bowdoin St
Millinocket, ME 04462

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31 Eastern Ave
East Millinocket, ME 04430

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Kathleen McCarthy
20 Adams St
Peaks Island, ME 04108

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2141 Salem Rd
Salem TWP, ME 04983

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Audrey Stith
135 fox run trail
danville, KY 40422

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marley kuhn
12 hemlock rd
dedham, ME 04429

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RENE M. PARSONS
144 Martin Rd.
Rumford, ME 04276

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Sherwin Start
13 Pleasant St. # 19
SANFORD, ME 04073

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Sincerely, Patricia Judd Orrington, ME

Sincerely,
Patricia Judd
48 Ferry Road
Orrington, ME 04474

From: [Noah Ford](#)
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181 waverly st
Pittsfield, ME 04967

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335 Central Avenue
Lewiston, ME 04240

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Kemp Cove Trail
Greenville, ME 04441

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35 Plumb Point Rd
Deer Isle, ME 04627

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2141 Salem Rd
Salem Twp, ME 04983

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517 Main St.
Wayne, ME 04284

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108 Harpswell Rd
Brunswick, ME 04011

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janet drew
15 Avon Ave
York, ME 03909

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4 The Kings HWY
Newcastle, ME 04553

From: [Thais Strbac](#)
To: [LUPC, Wolfden Rezoning](#)
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10 Hillcrest west
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346 Waldoboro Rd
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5 union st
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Julianne Pressley
20 Holland st
Old Town, ME 04468

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Marlis Whittier
80 High St
Auburn, ME 04210

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Layne Gregory
120 Woodville Road
Falmouth, ME 04105

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Kyle Farley
15 Fairfax Street
Bangor, ME 04401

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Courtney Brunn
1 Benedict Court
Farmingdale, NY 11735

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Hugh Harwell
249 Unity road
Albion, ME 04910

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Maria Louise Morandi Long Zwicker
P.O. Box 230
Sullivan, ME 04664

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115 bridgton road
Westbrook, ME 04092

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Cheryle Stoney
499 Broadway #343
Bangor, ME 04401

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PO Box 462
Gorham, ME 04038

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53 west st
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Summer Cast
11 Enchanted Way
Bar Harbor, ME 04609

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Lauren Genenbacher
5 Loggin Rd
Frankfort, ME 04438

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Sincerely,
Brendan McGarr
11 Enchanted Way
Bar Harbor, ME 04609

From: [Alexander Karris](#)
To: [LUPC, Wolfden Rezoning](#)
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Alexander Karris
11 Noyes Drive
Orono, ME 04473

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Sincerely,
Charles Deshaies
4821 avenue de Mayfair
Montreal, NY 13662

From: [Christina Dubin](#)
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Sincerely,
Christina Dubin
336 Miller Ave.
Portsmouth, NH 03801

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Sincerely,
Madeline Morrison
111 4st, Apt. 2
Bangor, ME 04401

From: [Dale McCormick](#)
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Sincerely,
Dale McCormick
87 Court St
Augusta, ME 04330

From: [Cassidy Climo](#)
To: [LUPC, Wolfden Rezoning](#)
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Cassidy Climo
949 Main Street
Old Town, ME 04468

From: [Kelsey Audie](#)
To: [LUPC, Wolfden Rezoning](#)
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Sincerely,
Kelsey Audie
89 Eames hill rd
Madison, ME 04950

From: [Katherine Wellen](#)
To: [LUPC, Wolfden Rezoning](#)
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Katherine Wellen
202 Sterlington Ln
Union, ME 04862

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To: [LUPC, Wolfden Rezoning](#)
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Sincerely,
Anneliese Elwell
118 Old Us Route 1
Jonesboro, ME 04648

From: [Carly Brooks](#)
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Carly Brooks
288 Seal Harbor Road
Saint George, ME 04860

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Sincerely,
Anne Rush
42 Station Road
Sherman, ME 04776

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To: [LUPC, Wolfden Rezoning](#)
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The fact is, Wolfden has never operated a mine before and has failed to demonstrate the financial and technical capability to develop a mine safely. Wolfden withdrew its initial request to rezone because the proposal was riddled with errors. To me, this is a huge red flag! I am very concerned when an industry like mining, where small errors can lead to huge disasters, does not have the proven capacity or the financial wherewithal to move forward with such a potentially dangerous project.

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Sincerely,
Susan Hillman Bourne
15 Mount Merici Ave
Waterville, ME 04901

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To: [LUPC, Wolfden Rezoning](#)
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Sincerely,
Jessica Mixer
58 Mill Hill Road
Waterford, ME 04088

From: [Lora Wooster](#)
To: [LUPC, Wolfden Rezoning](#)
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Sincerely,
Lora Wooster
2519 Route 109
Acton, ME 04001

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To: [LUPC, Wolfden Rezoning](#)
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Jim Sylvester
5 Turner Ave.
Skowhegan, ME 04976

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Hull MA, MA 02045

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32 Laura Lane
Buxton, ME 04093

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641 Toddy Pond Rd
Surry, ME 04684

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30 ash swamp rd
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18 Pine Knoll Dr
Ludlow, MA 01056

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Please oppose this.

Sincerely,
Audrey Gidman
465 US 1
Stockton Springs, ME 04981

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7 summer st apt D
Orono, ME 04473

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Sincerely,
linda paine
2425 alsop ct.
reston, VA 20191

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426 Bay Road
Bowdoinham, ME 04008

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205 Wade Rd
Augusta, ME 04330

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To: [LUPC, Wolfden Rezoning](#)
Subject: Reject Wolfden's disastrous mine proposal at Pickett Mountain
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256 Vaughan St
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88 park ave
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25 Ellingwood Rd
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Brentwood Rd
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62 Sprague Road
Phippsburg, ME 04562

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152 Clark Rd
Patten, ME 04765

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Nicole Demmons
227 Old County Road
Waldoboro, ME 04572

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Karen Amato
22 Upper Sylvan St
Stockton Springs, ME 04981

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Kieler Michaud
10 viles street
augusta, ME 04330

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711 W South St
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Bryan Rosa
Washington Ave
South Portland, ME 04106

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Sincerely,
Nina Desrocher
PO Box 2374
Ogunquit, ME 03907

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Lily Morgan
40 6th street
Old town, ME 04448

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Windham, ME 04062

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Sincerely,
SIIRI CRESSEY
141 PIERCE ST APT 5
Lewiston, ME 04240

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Mark Simonds
14 Winding Brook Drive
Kennebunk, ME 04043

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936 Washington Avenue
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Providence, RI 02909

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Benjamin Morang
4 white st
Topsham, ME 04086

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PO Box 248
Hulls Cove, ME 04644

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Sharon McHold
722 Granite Street
Yarmouth, ME 04096

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503A Tristate Blvd
Warren, ME 04864

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17 Cromwell Harbor Rd
Bar Harbor, ME 04609

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121 Fern St
Bangor, ME 04401

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Ali Potter
648 west street
Rockport, ME 04855

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52 School Street
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880 River Road
Avon, ME 04966

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1300 Washington
Bath, ME 04530

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Alder St
Portland, ME 04101

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Jane Whitney
PO Box 294
Brooklin, ME 04616

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Adair DeLamater
44 East Milan Street
Bath, ME 04530

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398 Applegrove Road
Coatesville, PA 19320

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John Hanmer
3630 Beech Avenue
BALTIMORE, MD 21211

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My name is Harper Nelson, I've studied Marine sciences and environmental science at the university of Maine in Orono. The katahdin region of northern Maine is truly the most amazing jewel of wild, untouched wilderness in the east coast. Governor Baxter purchased most of the land around mount katahdin for the soul reason of keeping it wild. A mine could very well drastically change this ecosystem for the worse, Impacting ground fauna such as Moose, white tail deer; to grouse and pine marten, to possibly polluting the rivers of nearby heritage spawning grounds for Land locked Atlantic salmon, Brooke trout along with other fish species native to the region. Wolf den resources is an underfunded and underdeveloped organisation who many do not believe will have the environments best interests at heart I don't think it's worth risking such an a beautiful natural resource to the people and state of Maine, let alone the rest of the American people.

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Harper Nelson
87 pleasant view ave
Smithfield, RI 02917

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Jennifer Genest
576 Ferry Rd.
Saco, ME 04072

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Samantha Pepe
59 Oakwood Ave
Farmingdale, NY 11735

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Fred Kraeuter
316 River Rd
Boothbay, ME 04537

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Grace Despres
330 South Road
Fayette, ME 04349

From: [Nava Tabak](#)
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Nava Tabak
24 Philbrook Ln
Mattawamkeag, ME 04459

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Erin McGillicuddy
93 harbor rd, Naples, ME
Naples, ME 04055

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62 Adams St Apt 202
Biddeford, ME 04005

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Kolby Lawrence
693 Bog Road
Albion, ME 04910

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Joanne Emery
837 Medway Rd
Medway, ME 04460

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eva alward
1076 lamson rd
augusta, ME 04330

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Natalie Cliff
112 Snowberry Drive
South Portland, ME 04106

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To: [LUPC, Wolfden Rezoning](#)
Subject: Reject Wolfden's disastrous mine proposal at Pickett Mountain
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Sarah Cucinelli
41B Collinsbrook Road
Brunswick, ME 04011

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251-31 42nd Avenue
Little Neck, NY 11363

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Suzanne Malis-Andersen
24 Silver Rdg,
Veazie, ME 04401

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816 Beach Rd
Lincolntonville, ME 04849

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Mia Hanning
89 Hillview Ave
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224 Brann Road
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16 Rogers Lane
Patten, ME 04765

From: [Vivienne Lenk](#)
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119 Eden Street
Bar Harbor, ME 04609

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115 Fisher Rd.
Unity, ME 04988

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Wolfden has never operated a mine before and has failed to demonstrate the financial and technical capability to develop a mine safely. Wolfden withdrew its initial request to rezone because the proposal was riddled with errors. This is a big problem for an industry like mining where small errors can lead to big disasters.

Wolfden also continues to claim falsely that it would be able to discharge wastewater that would be as clean as natural groundwater. However, Wolfden still hasn't provided an example of a mine that can do this. If the company can't even provide an example of such a mine, the Commission should not believe Wolfden's claims.

Hundreds of Mainers and local businesses have already spoken out against Wolfden's plans, and the residents of Pembroke voted overwhelmingly to ban industrial-scale metallic mineral mining in their town in response to Wolfden's plans to develop a mine there. Pickett Mountain is no place for a metal mine, especially one operated by an inexperienced and untrustworthy company like Wolfden.

For these reasons, I urge the Commission to deny Wolfden's rezoning petition.

Sincerely,
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Lastly, zoning is in place for a reason, to protect our natural resources and the surrounding area. The idea that you can just change a zone because it might bring money into the state is inherently wrong. The zoning should remain as originally designated.

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