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**Subject:** Fish Farm in Belfast Maine

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Dear Sir or Madam,

I am writing as a concerned citizen to request that the State of Maine take a long hard look at the Nordic Aqua Farms project in Belfast.

It seems that this company wants to rush to build the plant and to go to production without any serious investigation of its long term worth, or even a basic cost - benefit analysis having been done.

Will the return to the public be worth the loss of pristine lands? What is the long term environmental impact to wild life on land and in the sea. What is the impact to tourism on the coast?

If this project is an beneficial for Maine as the company says it will be, then waiting a little longer for accurate assessments to be done should not be a problem - the wait for all concerned will be worthwhile.

Thank you very much.

Respectfully,

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Belfast