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ATTN: Jessica Damon

I am writing today to share my concern about the Open Mining and Rock Crushing facility that Salmons, Inc is pursuing to begin operations for on Bowden Point in Prospect, ME. I read the most recent application submitted. Are you aware of the number of families that live in this rural, residential area? Why would the MDEP even consider allowing this project to move forward? The environmental (wetland) damage alone should be reason to NOT allow the application to be accepted. I saw there was no mention of the mercury that will be released from the sediment in the Penobscot riverbed. This is an industrial monstrosity of a project. And Salmon's Inc. think they can just write a check to compensate for damage done to the environment and wetlands. Why is it ok to disrupt the lives of families that have lived in this area, paid their taxes, brought up their children, only to have an outside firm come in and change the tranquility of this neighborhood forever. The Town of Prospect is right now in the process of drawing up a Comprehensive Plan which will identify areas that they wish to keep residential. Bowden Point Road will certainly be one of the areas. Huge, disruptive, outside industrial businesses (that will continue to operate for generations) have NO business on Bowden Point Rd. SAVE HEAGAN MTN. Thank you for your consideration.

Cordially,

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