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Comment regarding 581Trudeau Road expansion
DES-SW-SP-03-002

Dear Sir,

A representative from the town of Sugar Hill was unable to attend the public hearing on December 3, 2019 at the Profile School in Bethlehem regarding the Trudeau Road Landfill Expansion.

The Sugar Hill Select Board is concerned that NH DES will grant a waiver of design requirements for this expansion.

We hope that DES will be more proactive in protecting our communities and not grant the waiver.

Sugar Hill has been impacted by a large number of waste hauling trucks driving through our village center, leaking fluids and emitting foul odors at all hours of the day and night. We are fearful of an increase in this activity.

We are also concerned about contaminant seepage into the Ammonoosuc River. As Bethlehem's neighbors, we all share in our concern for the town's public health and safety.

It is time for the state to implement a thoughtful Solid Waste Management Plan that would encourage communities to handle their own trash regionally, not take trash from out of state, and not let industry dictate our solid waste management regulations and policies.

Thank you,

Margaret Connors
Sugar Hill Select Board.