

February 19, 2019

Stephen LaBonte, Administrator Bureau of Right of Way JOM Building, Room 100 PO Box 483 | 7 Hazen Drive Concord, NH 03302-0483

Dear Mr. LaBonte,

On behalf of the Conservation Commission in Hudson, NH, I am writing to request alternate land use consideration for all the state-owned land parcels associated with the Circumferential Highway Project. The alternate use requested is for "recreational purposes" to be used by our immediate community, region, and the entire state. A specified list of each of the parcels is included as an addendum to this letter as well as photographs of the parcels.

The land parcels held by the NH DOT Bureau of Right of Way have been enjoyed by our community for decades. This tract of land parcels is well known as a pristine forested area, with diverse topography and high-quality wildlife and wetland habitats. The Hudson Conservation Commission seeks your approval to *continue* to make these lands available and authorize land usage for our community to use for recreational purposes, defined as hiking, mountain biking, cross country skiing, snow shoeing, general wildlife observation and recreational enjoyment to the fullest extent possible. This request would also include permission for blazing, marking and trail building to enhance access and ease of use.

Although the plans to build the Circumferential Highway are still considered active on the State's 10-year plan, your approval for recreational usage will fully increase opportunities for our residents to enjoy outdoor spaces and enhance their quality of life. We thank you for your consideration.

Sincerely,

Jennifer Parkhurst On Behalf of Hudson Conservation Commission

Addendum:

ParcelID	UserAccount	LocCity	Owner1	TotalAcres	Location
222-044-000	3957	HUDSON	NH	64.018	232 LOWELL RD
212-022-000	6151	HUDSON	NH	75.363	121 WASON RD
218-001-000	10717	HUDSON	NH	22.496	TRIGATE RD
194-005-000	10716	HUDSON	NH	37.586	BUSH HILL RD
186-014-000	10714	HUDSON	NH	19.349	SPEARE RD
169-015-000	10712	HUDSON	NH	54.845	CENTRAL ST
					75 KIMBALL HILL
178-026-000	3641	HUDSON	NH	17.864	RD
					89 KIMBALL HILL
178-022-000	3642	HUDSON	NH	16.062	RD
224-007-000	10718	HUDSON	NH	9.57	MUSQUASH RD

Photographs of parcels:







