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## United States Senate

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## Dear Nicholas:

Thank you for contacting me about the proposed Sudbury transmission lines. It was good to hear from you.

Continuing to strengthen our regional electric grid is important, but should be done in a way that does not harm the environment and conservation land and is respectful of local communities.

The communities of Sudbury and Hudson, which would be impacted by this project, have expressed opposition to the project. The Fish and Wildlife Service has also expressed its concern over the dangers that transmission lines and their construction pose to fragile wildlife habitat.

I have urged Governor Baker to consider these concerns and will continue to carefully monitor this situation.

Thank you again for contacting me about this issue. If I can be of further assistance, please do not hesitate to contact me at https://www.markey.senate.gov/contact. You can also follow me on Facebook, Twitter, and YouTube.

Sincerely,

Edward J. Markey United States Senator

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