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Subject: Environmental Protection of Belfast's Little River Forest

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Dear Ms. Bertocci,

I understand a complete inventory of species and habitats has not been done for the Little River Forest subsequent to the Nordic Aquafarms permit application. I understand such a survey must be conducted over multiple seasons, and that this has not been done.

It is vital that a complete survey be done, to determine if any endangered species would be further endangered by this project.

In light of the Earth's species extinction emergency, I am alarmed by any state or federal permitting which allows grievous habitat degradation.

Corporate profits can no longer take precedence over protection of an environment where species are struggling to survive.

Sincerely,
Cynthia C. Anderson
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