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Dear Misters Hanson and Nelson and Ms Fiegen as well as staff,

I am writing to you today regarding Keystone XL Pipeline certification in docket HP14-001. I am asking for you to reject Trans Canada's application based on several grounds. First as I am sure you are aware, Trans Canada has not lived up to the promises they made to the taxpayers of the school districts whose land they crossed with the original Keystone Pipeline.

Second, we are at a crossroads at this time in world history on whether or not we are going to continue to burn fossil fuel and also ignore the possible damage that we can do to our own land, water and air in the process, and including in the process of burning the fossil fuel, destroying the very atmosphere of the planet on which we live.

Finally, because of the Native American teen suicide epidemic which has escalated recently on the Pine Ridge Reservation, with 11 suicides of children between the ages of 12 and 18 from December 1, 2014 to March 23 of this year, I have written to the President and would ask that you join in the effort to get the recently disclosed solar panel manufacturing that the President talked about to be brought to the Pine Ridge.

We need to solve our energy needs, but we need to do it responsibly. We can also help to give hope to a segment of our society that has been ignored and has lost hope by creating jobs in the energy sector, but jobs that would provide clean energy.

Sincerely,
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