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Gentlemen and Ladies:

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I want to thank you so much for taking the time to address the difficulties around OHRV use in the state. I do not live on a trail, although I am surrounded by snowmobile trails. When the state embraced this sport in the early years I thought there was a serious lack of pro-active regulation addressing it. Too much, too soon, too loud, too smelly, too little policing and trails rammed through without consideration of abutters or local concerns. I believe that much of the same can be said about the situation now. Hence, I am delighted to see DNRC and our reps addressing this issue before it is too entrenched to make the appropriate adjustments.

The result of the recent hearings is very promising and shows signs of correcting some of these early oversights.. I and many other in the non-morotized community understand the OHRV are here to stay and certainly can see the economic benefits they bring. But we also believe that people are resourceful and if told they must figure out how to adjust to a reasonable compromise, they can and will. And we will all be better off for it.

Keep up the good work!

Lancaster