



New Hampshire Rail Trail Coalition
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The Honorable Kelly Ayotte, Governor
107 North Main Street
Concord, NH 03301

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Dear Governor Ayotte:

We represent the NH Rail Trails Coalition, a state-wide organization committed to the development, maintenance and active use of trails constructed on New Hampshire's railroad corridors. We are writing to request a short in-person meeting to reinforce how State investment in rail trails is quickly repaid, and to help you achieve your policy to enhance our outdoor recreation economy. Today's documents are a follow-up to our February 17, 2025 letter to you.

If you want more context for our conversation, the attached document summarizes both rail trail benefits and the evolution of SB274, which gained the support of key Senate Committees, State agencies, legislators, and other partners.

We appreciate your consideration of our request and are hoping to meet in your office no later than early October. Please contact us on our emails below to schedule a meeting or if you have any questions.

Thank you for considering our request.

Sincerely,

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