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Comments: To whom it may concern:

I am a property owner in Minturn, specifically in the Minturn Townehomes and I have the following concerns with this project:

- 1. Why run this level of power in a populated area versus in the woods with no population? If it has to be done, seems like a better idea to bury it in the woods versus the town.
- 2. Electromagnetic fields health risk
- 3. Negative visual impact to recreation areas and the Top of the Rockies Scenic Byway
- 4. Negative impact on wildlife
- 5. Overall diminished quality of life in Minturn
- 6. Limits future development at the Ranger Station property and from Gore Creek to proposed tower 39
- 7. Absolutely no benefit to the Town of Minturn, the Town of Minturn is served by Xcel Energy not HCE, the towns that do benefit, are not involved nor are offering to foot the bill of burying the power line.

Specific concerns regarding Minturn TownHomes:

- 1. How is Minturn TowneHomes protected from any damages from earth vibration homes, retaining walls
- 2. How are Electromagnetic fields shielded from homes? What is the specific safe distance?