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Comments: I am writing to oppose as strongly as possible the Mountain Valley Pipeline Project EIS # 50036. I am a biologist by training and this project threatens the environment, the ecology of the area while potentially harming low-income families and indigenous sites. I am particularly disturbed by the proximity of this line to the AT, Blue Ridge Parkway, and the Jefferson National Forest, all very important to the livelihood of the area and to the long-term benefit of all Americans. The southern region of the BRP and the AT are gems compared to the northern areas because of development and projects like this. Please keep the southern region safe. This company has a poor safety record and there have already been reports of terrain shifts that could lead to problems. Please choose people and the environment over cooperate greed and locking us into more unsustainable energy that threatens life as we know it.