

**Docket #3880 comment**

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I am writing regarding the proposed new gas facility at 307 Washington Street, Arlington.

I am concerned that increasing the capacity of gas distribution works against the town's Net Zero Goals. We need to be reducing reliance on natural gas, not expanding gas infrastructure.

I am also concerned that the methane emitted beyond the premises of a facility and the proposed clearing of the wooded area would be detrimental to the neighborhood.

Has Boston Gas provided sufficient justification to support the abandonment of the current facility and full rebuild? What are the alternatives to the proposal, such as renovating the existing facility at 350 Washington?

Thank you for your careful review of the Boston Gas proposal and your consideration of town residents' concerns.

Sincerely,

Susan Keane

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