Rome, New York

The Honorable Nelson Rockefeller
Governor of New York State

Dear Sir:

We, the undersigned residents of the Rome, N.Y., area, wish to convey to you the idea that we are emphatically opposed to any attempt by New York City or any other city or organization, to dam up the Hudson River, or any other stream, with the resulting flooding of our State Forest Preserve. "Forever Wild" means just that.

We believe that New York City should consider the billions of gallons of run-off and or processing of fresh water from the sea, to meet their needs.

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