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To: Gill, Peter

Subject: Re: NRB v. Hovey

Mr. Gill,

I tried to put in a comment for the third time and I don't think it went. So I am sending it to you .

There are several things that need to be addressed as far as Mr. Hovey's puppy mill.

He is disposing of the dogs poop by throwing it into the bushes down hill from his pens. All of this area on Victory Hill is the water shed for Victory Bog. There are numerous small streams that feed into Umpier and Mill Stream Brooks which flow into Victory Bog. Due to fact that dog poop is not the same as farm animal poop there are several nasty bacteras that never break down, so all of this ends up in the bog. I think the State of Vermont should shut down all fishing in the bog and those streams that flow into the bog. I can't belive the state is letting this man do this.

The ACT 250 hearing was a joke. He wanted 25 dogs SO the board gave him 50 dogs. Also the board did not let all of the evidence be presented. In my opinion the ACT 250 is a waste of tax payers money. Just let him do what he wants.

Mr. Hovey started his puppy mill in March of this year and never applied for ACT 250 until June or July, running ofr three or four months with no more then a "OH, that's ok you can have 50 dogs" now it is Dec. and he is still running the puppy mill SHAME ON THE STATE OF VERMONT.

He is an animal abuser which I have seen first hand.

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