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With the spread of COVID-19 I am urging the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission to suspend construction of the Weymouth compression station in an effort to help slow the spread of the virus. Earlier this week Boston Mayor Marty Walsh announced that construction in the city of Boston would be shut down for some time. I think the same needs to happen at the compressor station construction site. This isn't just about the compressor station. It's about protecting this community and workers from an ongoing public health crisis. The construction site does not have access to proper sanitation stations like soap and water and workers can't consistently work 6 feet apart. I call on FERC, OSHA and related agencies to do the right thing by suspending construction in order to protect the public health.