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I am specifically requesting that properties along the following roads in Bridgewater, VT, retain their land use status of Rural Residential / Rural General:

Little Sherburne Rd
Stevens Rd
Richardson Rd
Bridgewater Hill Rd

Many of these were initially shifted to Rural Conservation but most have now become Rural Agricultural and Forestry. The vast majority of these affected parcels/properties have fewer than 50 acres and are not engaged in either large-scale agriculture or forestry but rather are single family full time residences.

Our property at 581 Little Sherburne Rd is currently showing 40% Rural Ag & Forestry with the remaining 60% Rural Conservation. We would like our property to be 100% Rural General. Our neighbors wish that their properties be classified as Rural General. Bridgewater Planning Commission originally requested that these properties remain in Rural Residential / Rural General.

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