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I understand the hearing was already held on April 12, but I would like to add my own personal testimony. We live above the Harraseeket River on Spruce Road in Freeport. During the Summer, at dawn (even as early as 4am), the airboat noise reverberates in the River inlet and is especially loud, waking up the household. While I am concerned that airboats at any time could be harmful to wildlife, they should at least be banned before 7 am and after 7 pm when the ambient noise is low and they can really be unbearably loud. If anything can be done to re engineer the airboat motors to make them less noisy, that would be worth exploring.

Thank you, Arlene Avidan