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TO: Carol Hanlon, DOE Yucca Mountain Site Characterization Office
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I strongly oppose any and all proposals to store radioactive waste at Yucca Mountain. The U.S. should STOP producing and using the stuff in the first place, not looking for a home for it. Whenever it is a byproduct, say NO to that "technology". Wherever it is stored is bad news. Can't a majority in our government begin to see our destructive ways instead of looking at this situation in terms of dollars?

The Las Vegas population is very near to Yucca Mountain, as the wind blows, and I have loved ones there. 77 miles is too close; 77,000 tons is too much! Who will be exposed in an earthquake? Who will be exposed as it is transported across the continent? How many lives in generations to come will be shortened, ruined, because of radioactivity? The Department of Energy has no answers for the US population, and that is very sad. Defense is no excuse either.

Please count me among the objectors. I do not approve of the Yucca Mountain project.

Sincerely, Rosemary F. Kluepfel (Reno, NV)