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Dear Ms. Hanlon:

With the proximity of an aquifer providing drinking water and the strong possibility of seismic activity, Yucca Mountain seems an unlikely candidate for a nuclear waste dump. Of course, engineers can take precautions. As a computer programmer, however, I am aware that engineering plans, like programs, have bugs. The risk is too great of hurting too many people, not to mention having a public relations debacle before or when that occurs. In these times when the meaning of human suffering has become all too tangible to Americans, we need to make more sensitive decisions than one such as putting a dump in this location.

Thank you,

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