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Re: Yucca Mtn proposed Repository Site

To whom it May Concern

I've had experience with Hazardous Waste disposal and occasion to observe low level nuclear waste disposal

The proposed site at Yucca Mtn is unacceptable - primarily because it is too remote from the point of generation of the materials to be disposed of. Transportion of those materials from the points of generation is in itself hazardous and must be integrally planned and responsibilities for same designated.

I believe that disposal of wastes should be by recycling methods where at all possible and the disposal locations should be centrally located near the generation sites of these hazardous materials. This is because public transportion systems cannot be trusted to observe the safety required. (Based on my experience!)

Sincerely A. Vandenberg
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