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16 MS. SMITH: May name is Barbara Smith. I'm a
17 Virginia City resident. I'm a Nevadan. I've lived here
18 most of my life. I am very much opposed to this
19 repository, as most Nevadans are.

20 I feel, number one, I don't know if you --
21 neither of you probably recall this, but there was a lot
22 of atomic testing in southern Nevada in the '50s. You
23 could see the whole sky lit up to the south. And I really
24 think we've done our share. I think we don't need that.
25 I think the states that generate this waste should make

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1 arrangements for disposing of it in their own backyard.
2 And I think transportation is the most dangerous aspect of
3 disposing of it. It's a long way from New Jersey. A lot
4 of things could go wrong. Thank you.

5 MR. HARRINGTON: Thank you.

6 I should tell you also that you have ten
7 minutes for a comment.

8 MS. SMITH: I think I said my piece. I'm
9 interested in reading the literature that I picked up.