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To whom it may concern,

Please do not support companies attempting to propagate nuclear energy and the storing of Nuclear waste in Yucca mountain. Experience has shown that property values decline significantly along nuclear waste routes.

Transportation routes to Yucca Mountain pass through 43 states and within a half

mile of over 50million Americans. So, for some people along the routes, the odds are spread out. However, all the waste has to pass through Utah. New facilities, such as above ground storage of waste and cooling pools full of

fuel rods, have not even been studied yet. Runoff from the area, as well as from contaminated parts of the Test Site, is proven to flow into the Amargosa River, affecting communities in Nevada and California. In the desert, water is life. We can't take the chance. Thank you for taking the time to read this letter and please consider alternative energy such as solar or wind power instead of Nuclear.

Sincerely, Elizabeth Dickman