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1 I wish to register my strong objection to the selection of our Yucca Mountain site for the disposal of high level commercial nuclear waste.

There is a possibility of accidents during transportation, with disasterous results.

The is the probability of leakage into the water supply. There may not be very many people in the Amargosa area, but they are all human beings.

2 Then there is the question of trust. Can the DOE be trusted to tell the truth about the risks? The predecessor of the DOE was the AEC. The AEC assured us that there was no danger from the nuclear testing in the 1950's. Those assurances proved to be false. Soldiers at the test site, people living downwind, sheep and cattle all were affected by the radioactivity. Many are dead.

On a personal level, I shudder to recall the early mornings when we took the children out on the highway to watch the big mushroom.

With hope, Sincerely,

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