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Dear Sir/Madam:

Recently I attended a meeting of the Chatham County Commissioners in Pittsboro, along with 300 other citizens from Moncure who were very upset about a possible landfill being proposed Moncure. As people crowded into the room, I noticed that the Commissioners were smiling. The new chairperson, Gary Phillips, said, on opening the public meeting, that he had an announcement to make. The Commissioners had decided that none of them wanted to put a landfill in Moncure, and they didn't think the citizens of Chatham did either. So they weren't going to do it. The room was loud with cheers, the lights blinked in the old courthouse, and we all went home happy.

Wouldn't it be great if William Cavanaugh, the CEO of CP & L, did something similar. I can imagine him calling a special press conference and saying: "My fellow citizens and our loyal customers, we here at CP & L have decided that the public concern is such, and the scientific evidence is such-and we are good neighbors and want to do what is right for all of us here in N.C.-that we are not going to pursue operating two more pools here at Shearon Harris for the storage of irradiated fuel rods out of the reactors. Instead, we will move these rods, once they've been cooled five years, to dry cask storage at the generating plants. Our waste pools will only be used for the rods that require it. This way, the pools won't be crowded, and we won't have to activate the pools built in the late 80s with the iffy pipes. We won't need to transport rods as they give off radiation down the train track that goes through Moncure or down I-40, if the Nevada federal storage site is opened, but instead it can be taken care of in a safe and low-maintenance way on the sites where it is generated. We wish we had spent the \$2,000,000 we just spent on lawyers, starting our dry cask storage plan. All that money (\$30,000,000) that we spent last year on public relations will cover 15 years of dry cask storage. Too bad we wasted it, but we have learned our lesson. We could have saved our image so easily. We know that your concern is safety, and that's our concern, too. We mean it! Starting today!" Can you imagine the loud cheers? Why not? It could happen. Send an e-mail to William Cavanaugh and tell him how you feel!
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Sincerely,

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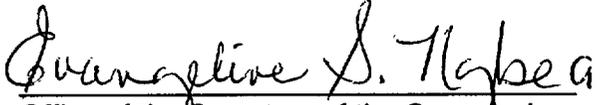
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