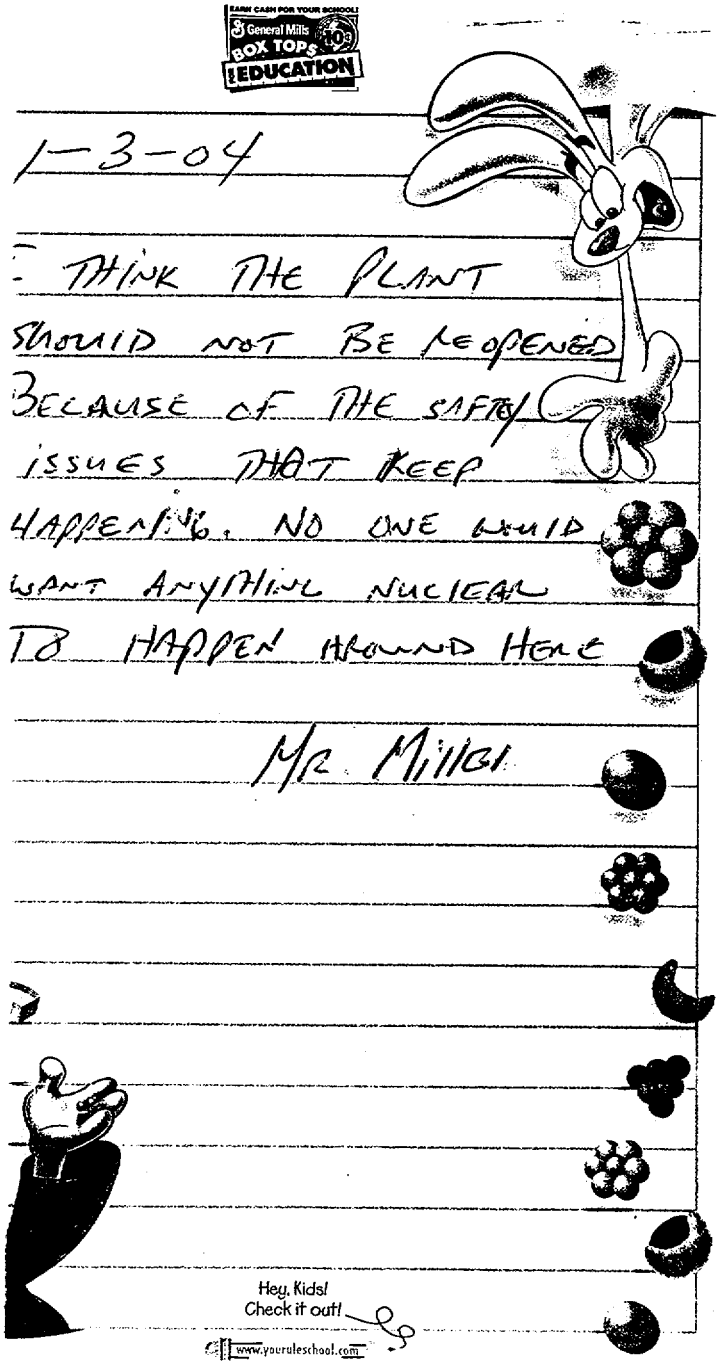
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General Mills
BOX TOPS for EDUCATION
1-3-04
I THINK THE PLANT
SHOULD NOT BE REOPENED
BECAUSE OF THE SAFTY
ISSUES THAT KEEP
HAPPENING. NO ONE WOULD
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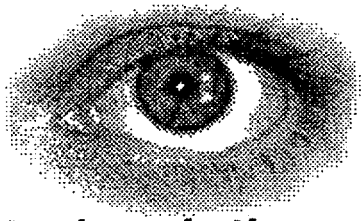
MR. MILLER
Hey, Kids!
Check it out!
www.yourulesschool.com



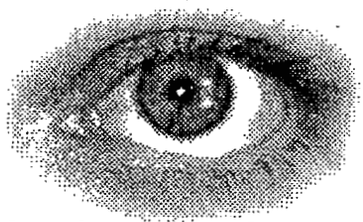
Look me in the eye
and tell me Davis-Besse is safe

Jim Caldwell

I live with my [redacted] teenage boys in [redacted]. As a child I spent many summers at Lakeside Island where my family had a cottage. This area on the Lake is very precious and hopefully we can keep it that way. The Shores of Lake Erie hold memories and future memories for so many. Lets not risk safety, lives, memories, life & family vacations for Just Energy. Keep it closed and lets worry about more serious issues. If we haven't missed it

By now - we wont miss it tomorrow.

Cynthia Krupsik-Benton



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Dr. Mr. Caldwell,

I'm writing to you in concern over the safety of our community of keeping the Davis-Besse nuclear plant open. The plant has had numerous problems. Why continue to pour money into a costly and poorly functioning plant.

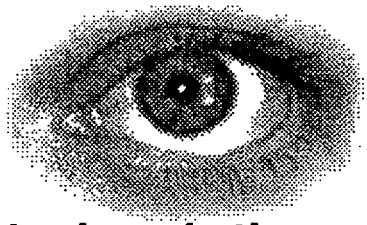
The thought of a nuclear leak and its horrific damage to its beautiful communities that surround it is frightening. Why even keep the facility open if there could pose such a disaster?

I am tired of hearing stories of workers and honest people being threatened over raising and voicing credible issues.

Please close Davis-Besse so that Ohio

Citizens can live safely.

Brenda Oneal



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Jim Caldwell Regional administrator
U.S. Regulatory Commission (Nuclear)
801 Warrenville Road
Lisle, Il 60532-4351

December 23 2003

My name is Margaret Thing. I am really encouraging you to not let Davis Besse reapen. We live in [redacted] but have a Condo on Lake Erie, looking right at the Plant.

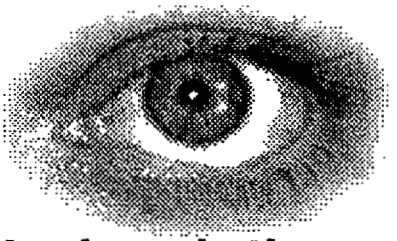
We have taken a tour a couple years ago, and talked to people there at the plant. We have rented our unit to people brought in from out of town to fix things there when it was off line. Please switch to natural gas for safety. I've been fishing when the next day we read about a near melt down almost happened on the plant, which we were just sitting next to.

I am experiencing thyroid problems and wonder if I am being exposed to things coming out of the Plants disregard to its neighbors, for the sake of money.

Another answer must be found. Please respond!

Margaret Thing [redacted]

also: [redacted]



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9/5/03

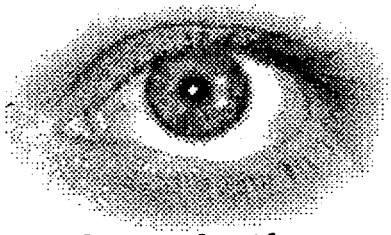
Dear mr. Cadwell

I am Emily Bewley I am [redacted] and I live in [redacted] and I want to be safe and not die from radiation or any thing else. Please do your job and protect my safety

sincerely,

Emily Bewley

[redacted]



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Dear Jim Caldwell,

I'm Rachel Earle, a [redacted] year old girl living in [redacted]. My family and I are concerned that people in Ohio will have alot of problems if an accident happens at Davis-Besse. NRC's top priority has to be public safety, not First Energy's schedule.

Last but not least, please keep the Davis-Besse nuclear reactor closed.

An Immediate Response can be sent to Roberta Grant

Rachel Earle

[redacted]

September --, 2003

H. Peter Burg, CEO
FirstEnergy
76 S. Main St.
Akron, OH 44308

Dear Mr. Burg:

Last fall, four congresspeople from Ohio urged FirstEnergy to form a task force to study repowering the idled Davis-Besse nuclear plant so that the plant could resume producing electricity, without the threats posed by nuclear power. That option could benefit FirstEnergy's customers, shareholders and workers.

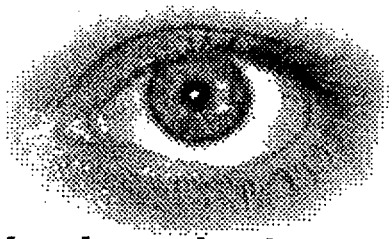
In the 11 months since that request, a number of other problems have been identified at Davis-Besse, keeping the plant closed, adding to the repair bill and straining company finances.

The August 14 blackout made us keenly aware that our electric system faces other challenges, as well – challenges that will require money and considerable technical resources to address. The $500 million spent to date on Davis-Besse repairs and replacement power, if directed instead to transmission improvements, could have gone a long way toward strengthening electric reliability for customers.

We recognize that FirstEnergy must make many key decisions in coming months that will shape the company's future. Those decisions will also affect our communities. For the best interest of both the company and our communities, we urge you to take steps needed to insure reliable electric service and to study alternatives to Davis-Besse.

(Please include name, title affiliation, if appropriate, address and phone number for each signer.
Please fax or e-mail to Ohio Citizen Action by September 8 –
fax 216-694-6904
e-mail sweir@ohiocitizen.org

thanks.)



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Attention James Byers

I feel that Davis Besse
should not come out with another
license. Two disasters occur
with this plant and I feel that people
are in danger of getting hurt or even
dying. I feel why take the chan

Erica
age [redacted]

[redacted]

Ohio Citizen Action

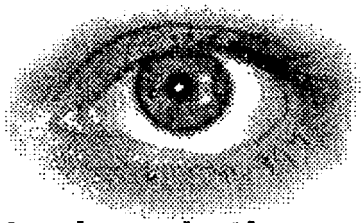
To Whom It May Concern,

Here is the letter you requested. It is a worthy cause, and I wish you and all of us luck.

However, I must insist that you not seek our assistance again, and that you put our address on your "do not solicit" list. I support your efforts, but circumstances brought to my attention make it difficult for me to support your organization.

Sincerely,

David Hansen
[redacted]



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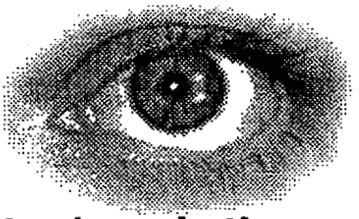
10-13-03

Jim Caldwell,

My family lives in [redacted]
and we are concerned about the
possibility of the reactor/Besse-
Davis power plant reopening.
I would hope that you would
put the welfare of the public
as a top priority, since it
seems that opening the plant
would be a hazard. Please
Keep Besse Davis closed and
Keep the public safe!

Thank you
Kristel Sanford
[redacted]



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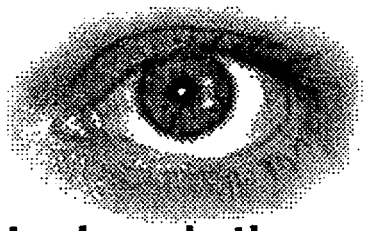
Dec 10, 2003

Dear Jim Caldwell,

As an [redacted] yr. old resident in the [redacted] area I should like to urge scrutiny of the Davis Besse situation. While my days of life are more numbered I am concerned for my family who lives nearby and for my neighborhood & community as well. In this scientific age and with communication of unprecedented level, I should expect management to be aware of the safety needs First Energy should be aware of. I am sure that you have gathered the knowledge to see that safety must be assured.

Margaret Mack

[redacted]



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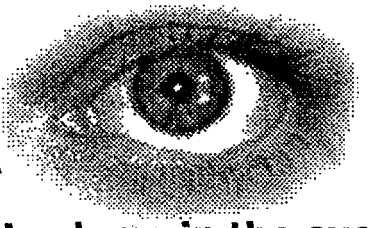
My family and I live in [redacted] just a few blocks from Lake Erie. I feel the David-Besse plant is unsafe. As the top priority of NRC should be public safety. I feel the Davis-Besse plant needs to be closed.

Taylor Penland
[redacted]

Jim Caldwell
U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission
801 Warrensville Rd.
Lisle, IL 60532-4351



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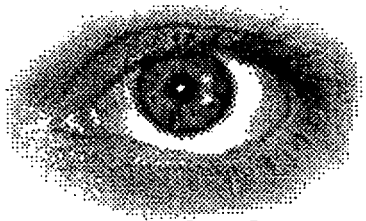
Dear Mr. Jim Caldwell,

My name is Sean Conroy. My family and I live in [redacted] and are very upset that First Energy may be able to reopen the Davis-Besse Nuclear Power Plant. How can you let a giant corporation put profit before people. I think it would be treason to let First Energy operate this plant again. No operator should be given more than one chance to effectively operate a Nuclear Power Plant. It's like a toddler playing with matches, a disaster waiting to happen.

Please respond immediately.

Sean Conroy

[redacted]



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December 8, 2003

Jim Caldwell, Regional Administrator
U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission
801 Warrenville Road
Lisle, IL 60532-4351

It is long overdue for decisive action to resolve the safety/operating problems at Davis-Besse.

The financial cost of paying rates to cover the excessive expenses resulting from mis-management/non-management by First Energy is an unreasonable burden for all customers. As [redacted], we are third in paying the highest rates in [redacted] for ever increasing and worrying about a nuclear disaster so close to our homes.

How long will it take to realize that current management is incompetent, dishonest and has created a culture that encourages underachievement and is permeated by fear.

Please close the plant if it cannot be sold and a new management team brought in. Currently, First Energy seems to be running its regulators and thumbing their nose at anyone who attempts to resolve the non-ending problems. Please let me know what you can do to help.

Sincerely,

George C. Theis
[redacted]

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Dear Mr. Jim Caldwell,

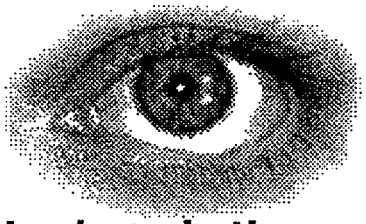
I am concerned about the power plant that is leaking. My name is Hennie Cummings. I lived in [redacted] I am concerned for the well-being of my community. I know that many of my fellow residents enjoy going to Hunington Beach on hot summer days. I am concerned about what is leaking into Lake Erie. Lake Erie is already the most polluted lake of the five Great Lakes. We need to stop the leakage so that the lake does not get even more polluted.

Hennie Cummings
[redacted]

Please be sure to inform me and keep me up to date on this issue.

Thanks for Caring,

Hennie Cummings



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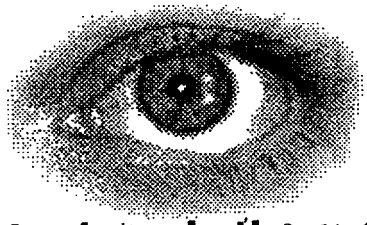
Mr. Caldwell -

Please make sure & prove your plant is safe before considering starting it back up.

Sincerely,

[redacted]



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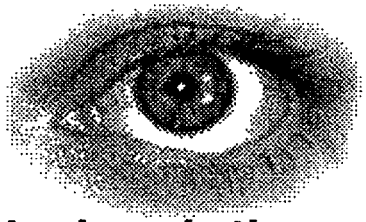
December 4th, 2003

Jim Caldwell,

I think tha that the Davis Besse should be closed. I do not think it is safe to keep open. I dont want it harming my life or people close to me. I live in [redacted] and I think other people in [redacted] dont appreciate the Davis Besse open. I am young and a woman and I dont want it to effect my children.

Hopefully ~~you~~ yo understand.

Dana Ivance
[redacted]



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Dec 10, 2003

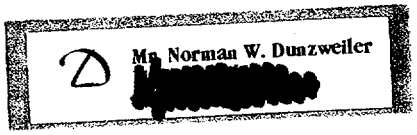
Mr Jim Caldwell Regional Admin.
U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Comm.
801 Warrenville Rd
Lisle, Ill 60532-4351

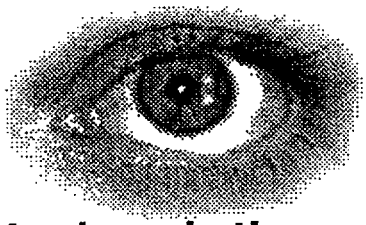
Dear Mr Caldwell

Although we are not close to Davis-Besse we are downwind of it and downstream of the water it pollutes in Lake Erie. Over the recent years when this plant was operating I am sure we suffered from its pollution.

First Energy doesn't seem interested in what their plant does to the health of the people it serves and those of us in an extended area and the NRC should close the plant

Norman W Dunzweiler





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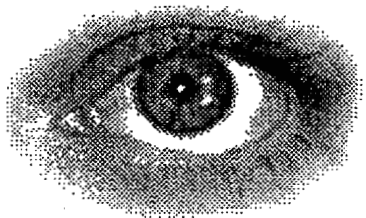
Jim Caldwell,

my name is Jessica Tekancic and I live in [redacted]. my family and I are very concerned for our safety. I feel your top priority should be public safety and I think you know that to. Please keep the Davis-Besse nuclear Reactor Closed! I would appreciate an immediate Responce!

Thank you!

Jessica Tekancic

[redacted]



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MR. JIM CALDWELL,
REGIONAL ADMINISTRATOR
U.S. NRC
801 WARRENVILLE RD.
LISLE, IL 60532-4351

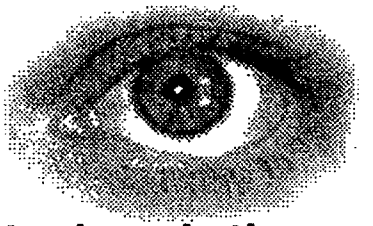
MR CALDWELL,

I LIVE IN [redacted], NEAR THE PERRY NUCLEAR PLANT. WE UNDERSTAND THE NEED FOR ALTERATE SOURCES OF ENERGY INCLUDING NUCLEAR, HOWEVER, THE TRACK RECORD OF FIRST ENERGY CORP IS EXTREMELY SUSPECT.

MY FAMILY & I ARE VERY CONCERNED THAT FIRST ENERGY'S INVOLVMENT IN NUCLEAR POWER IS ANOTHER DISASTER WAITING TO HAPPEN.

PLEASE DO ALL IN YOUR POWER TO KEEP THIS FACILITY CLOSED.
PLEASE KEEP ME POSTED ON THIS SITUATION.

SINCERLY
William Sano
[redacted]



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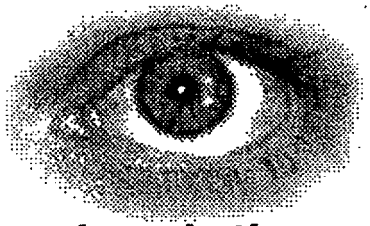
Dear Mr. Caldwell,

My family is new to the [redacted] area, and I have just recieved some very disturbing information from the Ohio Citizen Action group concerning Davis-Besse. I am [redacted] and my sister is [redacted], you can protect our health and safety by closing Davis-Besse and keeping it closed. I understand there are probably a lot of technicalities I am not aware of, but you need to keep in mind, your 1st priority should be public safety, not First Energy's agenda.

Sincerely,

Jaclyn Hakko

[redacted]



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Dear Jim —

We are very concerned with the Safety issues at DAVIS-BESSE. Safety first! -- Not a word to open at First Energy's benefit. Keep it Short down.

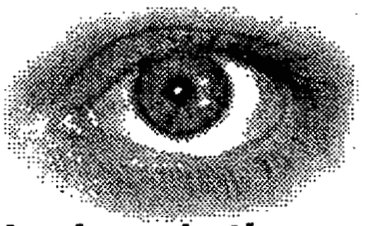
Please respond.

Sincerely,

John P. Witri

JOHN P. WITRI

[redacted]



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Jim Caldwell
Reg. Admin
Us. Nuclear Reg. Com
801 Warrensville
Lisle, IL 60532

Mr. Caldwell-

My family and I are residents in [redacted] which as you may know is very near our Great Lake Erie. The problems w/ Davis-Besse concern us greatly and we'd take comfort in knowing this plant will not reopen. Please let me know what options are being considered. We would appreciate it.

Sincerely,

Sandy Millman + Family

[redacted]

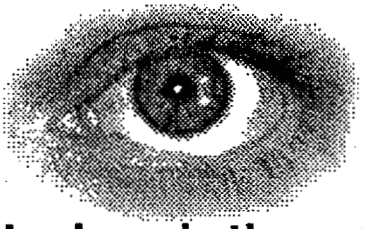
TO:
Mr. James Caldwell
Regional Administrator
NRC

Mr. Caldwell, I have direct personal knowledge of conditions at nuclear facilities managed by First Energy. The management style of oppressing hourly employees safety concerns has a long and checkered history. I believe a 24/7 walkdown NRC inspector doing his job independent of the utility is needed and afordable to assure nuclear public safety. At all First Energy facilities

Sincerely

Owen Kendall

[redacted]



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Jim Caldwell,

My family lives in [redacted] and is very concerned for our safety.

The NRC's top priority should be SAFETY not First Energy's schedule. My family is asking that you PLEASE keep the David-Besse Nuclear Reactor closed. You have the power to save & protect lives!

The Shearer Family

[redacted]

Please send an immediate response.

Dear Mr. Caldwell,

My name is Brad Huntsman. I am a resident of [redacted] a community due west of downtown [redacted] I moved here from Cincinnati, Ohio on August 14, 2003. You might remember this day because it was the day of the blackout that affected 50 million people. Needless to say, my first few days in [redacted] were more like an unplanned camping trip. I was annoyed with the unwanted inconveniences of the blackout.

When I learned that an [redacted]based energy company, later proven to be FirstEnergy, was responsible, I was furious. It is obvious that FirstEnergy is operated by a group of incompetent fools that are more concerned with profit than *public safety*. Please do not let FirstEnergy resume operations at their plant near Sandusky, Ohio. I do not trust, nor want, incompetent individuals operating a nuclear power facility so close to my home. More importantly, I don't think anyone wants a FirstEnergy nuclear power plant being operated on one of the great lakes. The risk of an environmental disaster is too great and the consequences far too deadly and long lasting.

In conclusion, I would rather pay a little more for *safe and sustainable* energy than allow FirstEnergy to resume nuclear power practices on Lake Erie. Please keep the plant closed and please respond with your comments. My address is below.

Sincerely,

Brad Huntsman

Brad Huntsman

[redacted]

Dear Jim Caldwell,

My name is David McCray. I live at [redacted] in [redacted] I am writing you to voice my concerns about Davis-Besse Nuclear Plant. First Energy is not a responsible party to run that plant. My concern is for my family and SAFETY MUST come first. We don't need a [redacted] "3 mile island" to happen in Ohio. There are lives at stake. The NRC must put safety first so please keep the Davis-Besse Plant closed! Your quick response is appreciated!

Sincerely,

David L. McCray

[redacted]

Look me in the eye and tell me Davis-Besse is safe

Jan 12, 2004

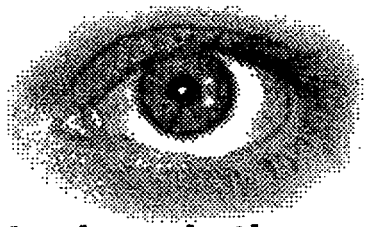
US Nuclear Reg Comm
801 Warrenville Rd
Lisle, IL
605 32-4351

Jim Caldwell
or
To whom it may concern:

Please [redacted] line in [redacted] and am concerned about the safety at David Besse luckily once it was addressed & I don't want it to be a concern again

There are other way to generate power that are safe I'm concerned about the burnd of the spent rods there is water power, wind power and a few other viable way to generate electricity that are safer I am not in favor anywhere in generating nuclear power in this unsafe way. Close David Besse permanently. Lets learn from the accidents elsewhere in the world. There are other way to generate electricity regardless of what other countries do. Would appreciate a reply please. As long as we permit this neglect, this will be never ending We can't bury the rods & create an area or areas of the USA that are forever off limits

Thank you
Richard Runyckewski
[redacted]



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January 8, 2004

Francis A. Bjerstedt
[redacted]

Jim Caldwell, Regional Administrator
U. S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission
801 Warrenville Road
Lisle, IL 60532-4351

Dear Mr. Caldwell,

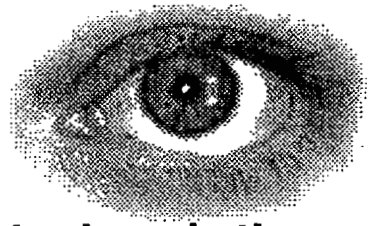
My wife and I live in an area between two nuclear reactors, neither of which is known as having outstanding safety records. This is not a very comfortable feeling.

I would like to petition that the Davis-Besse nuclear plant in Sandusky not be permitted to reopen. I feel that FirstEnergy's main concern is not for the safety of the tens of thousands of people living in the area but rather their bottom line.

Please keep the Davis-Besse plant closed.

Sincerely,

Francis A. Bjerstedt



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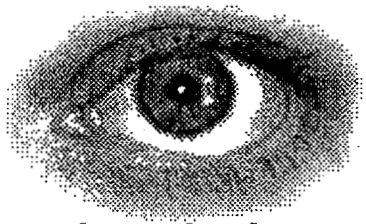
Dear Mr Caldwell,

I am writing this in concern to the saftey of the Davis - Besse plant. It seems that First Energy does not care about the people who live near the plant or our saftey when something happens. Please keep it closed or sell it to a company that cares about the plant, people and employees who do care. At this time of national security threats, we need to pull together to help keep everyone in this country safe from everyone not just terrorists. If First Energy can't handle what they need to do, then do everything you can to keep the reactor closed. Please, give me an immediate response on this matter.

Sincerely,

Karen McConnell

[redacted]



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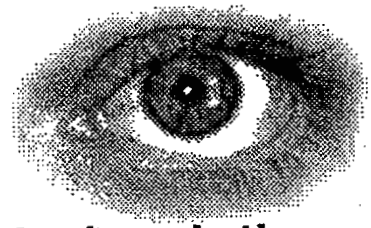
and tell me Davis-Besse is safe

Dear Jim,

My name is Robin Knoefel
And I live in [redacted]
I was not aware of the problems
at Davis-Besse nuclear plant.
Now that I have heard of
these problems, I worry for the
safety of my family. I think
Your top priority should be
the NRC's priority for public safety.
not First Energy's schedule.
I think you should keep the
Davis-Besse plant closed. Or a company
Could buy the plant that would
run the plant safely.

Sincerely,
Robin Knoefel
Robin Knoefel
[redacted]



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JAN. 7, 2004

JIM CALDWELL,
REGIONAL ADMINISTRATOR
U.S. NUCLEAR REGULATORY COMMISSION
801 WARRENVILLE ROAD
LISLE, IL 60532-4351

DEAR JIM:

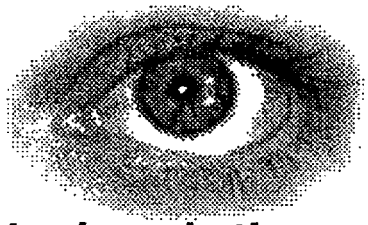
I AM ALL FOR NUCLEAR ENERGY, BUT THE DAVIS-BESSE FACILITY SHOULD NOT BE MADE ACTIVE UNTIL PROPER AND RELIABLE QUALITY AND OPERATIONAL CHECKS ARE IN PLACE AND TESTED MORE FREQUENTLY. TOP PRIORITY MUST BE EMPLOYEE AND PUBLIC SAFETY. THE SAFETY AND DISASTER PROTECTION PROCESSES MUST BE WORKING APPROPRIATELY BEFORE THE REACTOR IS APPROVED FOR OPERATION.

PLEASE CONFIRM THAT YOU WILL PURSUE MY REQUEST.

SINCERELY,

RICHARD A. DEEMER

[redacted]



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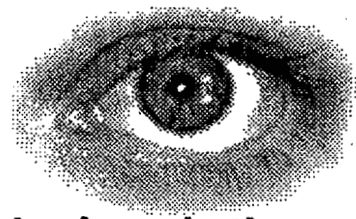
Mr. Jim Caldwell,

I am a resident of [redacted]. I am concerned about re-opening DAVIS-Besse. Obviously there are problems there. If they are not fixed properly why take a chance of hurting people. The Safety of the area residents all the way around and up to [redacted] are your priority not whether or not you should re-open the plant. Please help keep the plant closed or if not closed - converted to a safer method of energy. Please respond ASAP.

Thank you

Jim Brandal
[redacted]



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Dear Mr. Caldwell,

My name is Dan Wolf. I live in [redacted]
I am concerned for my family's safety if you reopen the Davis-Besse nuclear reactor.

I urge you to consider the concerns of the surrounding area, and decide to not reopen the plant.

Thank you for your time & consideration.

Daniel J. Wolf
[redacted]

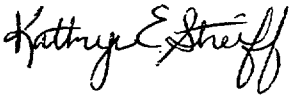
Kathryn E. Streiff
[redacted]

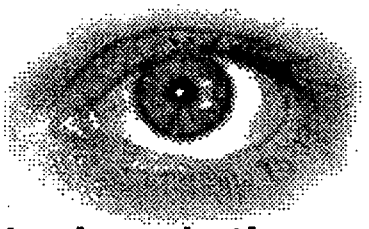
Dear Jim Caldwell,

I am a member of the [redacted] community and as such would like to share my concern about the possibility of the Davis-Besse nuclear reactor reopening. This plant has run under poor conditions and conditions that could be dangerous to the community around it. I would like to see the NRC keep the Davis Beese nuclear reactor closed. There are other ways that this plant could be run safely and other means of fuel. Thank you for your time.

Sincerely,

Kathryn E. Streiff





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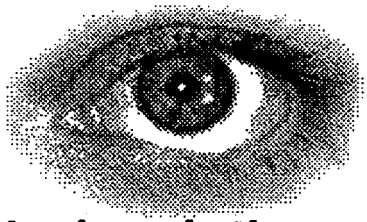
1-7-04

Dear Jim,

Please keep the Davis-Besse Nuclear reactor closed.

We are concerned about our safety.

Beth Lamb
[redacted]



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Mr. Caldwell:

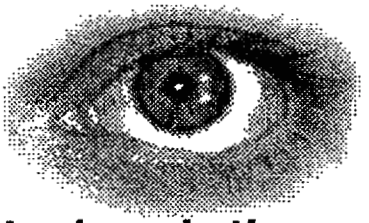
My name is Erik Werley and I live in [redacted] near the Perry Nuclear plant. I am concerned that re-opening the Davis-Besse power plant would cause a horrible hazard. Here at home we have remembrances of the Diamond-Shamrock company, who dumped radioactive waste into our ground and has poisoned much of the Painesville Lake Erie coast. The span of a power plant is 25-30 years I am told, but what is its span when something breaks. Was it cost efficient to rebuild the plant, or to build anew and fix problems while constructing a new power plant? Is there No bottom line for First Energy? Will they re-open and put a jeopardy thousands of lives again to a cast of employees that try to cover cup a problem? I do not know all the details except those posted by media, however I am currently enrolled at [redacted] in [redacted] field and this subject interests me greatly. Any information you can provide as to why this plant would logically be re-opened would greatly be appreciated. My address:

Erik C. Werley
[redacted]

Thank You.

Sincerely,

Erik C. Werley



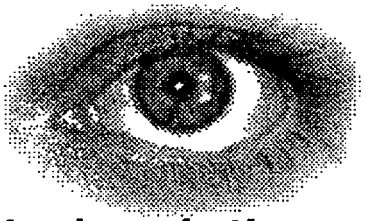
Look me in the eye
and tell me Davis-Besse is safe 12/2/03

Mr. Jim Caldwell, Reg. Adm.
U.S. Nuclear Reg. Comm.

Our family lives in [redacted], very close to the Davis-Besse plant. We truly feel the area is threatened by it. We feel it is imperative that you consider the public safety to be your top priority. With the history of Davis-Besse, we feel it should be closed (nuclear reactor), and remain so. I should like an immediate answer from you.

Sincerely -
Tom and Melva Balmat

[redacted]



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Dear Jim Caldwell,

I am a concerned citizen from [redacted], [redacted] in [redacted]. I am a concerned citzin with a large family. Living so close to the Perry Nuclear Plant, I have many concerns about nuclear energy.

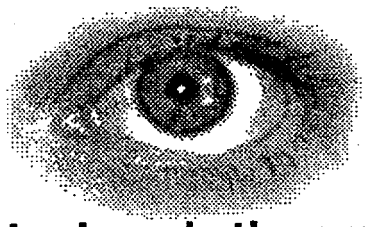
The NRC's top priority must be public safety. I question First Energy's competancy. With the recent blackout, I strongly question First Energy's decision making and cost cutting measures.

Please Keep Davis-Besse nuclear reactor closed. My family's safety is of utmost importance to me. Please respond as soon as possible to my concerns.

Sincerely,

Domenica Green

[redacted]



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I live on [redacted] in [redacted]. I am conserned with the possibility of the Davis-Besse nuclear reactor reopening. Please keep this nuclear reactor closed.

Nicole McVay

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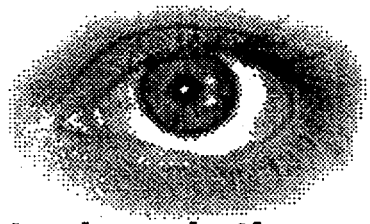
Why not listen to all of these people & try to keep everyone safe. We can't be all wrong. Help us—

Angeline Graves



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Dear Mr. Caldwell,

we are concerned with the Safety of the Davis-Besse Plant. we are asking that you keep the plant closed.

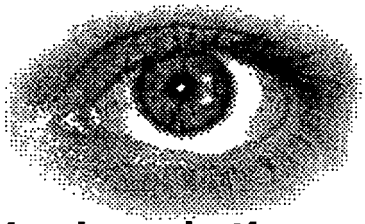
Thanks,
The Peirce Family,
[redacted]

12-28-03

First Energy
and
James Caldwell

As a concerned citizen and someone who has family that resided 3 mile island. I ask that you put people and safety first! So we and all concerned could live safely and with peace of mind – that profit and CEO incentive is at the bottom of the list. "As the Walgreen commercial says "We don't live is perfect" but would it be great if we did! People and safety first!

Sincerely,



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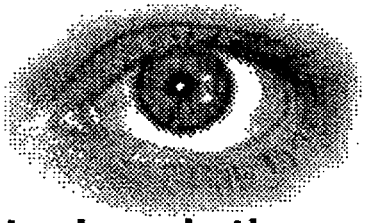
Dear Mr. Caldwell

Davis Bessie sucks!
First energy sucks!
and you suck if you allow them to go back on line and screw us over

Dan Wenagen



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January 3, 2004

Mr. Jim Caldwell, Regional Administrator
U.S. NUCLEAR REGULATORY COMMISSION
801 Warrenville Road
Lisle, IL 60532-4351

Re: Davis-Besse Nuclear Plant

Dear Mr. Caldwell:

I am writing with regard to the re-opening of the Davis-Besse nuclear reactor. Please note that I am in favor of keeping the reactor CLOSED until the numerous safety concerns are addressed and repaired **properly**.

I feel that the plant in its current condition, although having received repairs, may not be up to true safety standards and therefore presents a safety/health threat to the people that live in [redacted], as well as those that live in the surrounding states. Please do **not** permit a for-profit company (FirstEnergy) to dictate a premature re-opening rather than enforcing the standards that are in the interest of the citizens in the area.

Thank you for your time and I would greatly appreciate an immediate response to this letter.

Sincerely,

Stephen P. Christafaris

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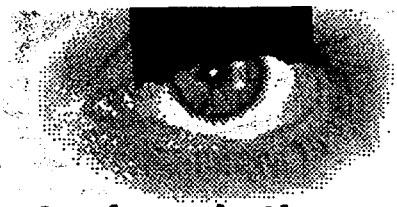


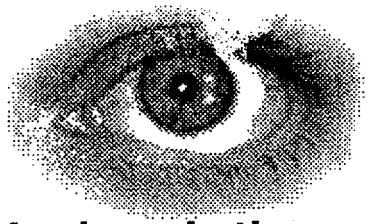
Look me in the eye
and tell me Davis-Besse is safe

Mr. Caldwell,

I pray that you consult your heart, your conscience, and your God. If you have the slightest shred of doubt in the people that will be running the Davis-Besse plant when you give the O.K., then please, by all means enforce the alternative. The consequences of failing to do so are far too great.

Concerned citizen,

Kevin Michael Callahan



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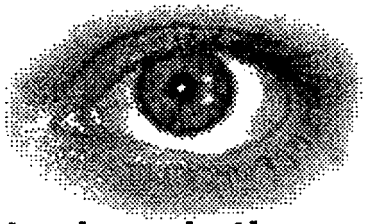
We need our children to grow-up healthy.

We do not need nuclear radiation going through our bodies.

Thank-You.

J. Cannon
[redacted]



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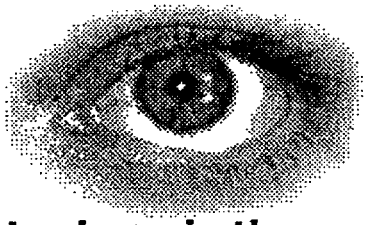
Mr. Caldwell,

My family and I live in [redacted]. We are very concerned about the reopening of the Davis Besse Plant in its current State. We feel the plant should not reopen until the proper repairs are made by First Energy. In business you have to spend money to make money. No company should have the right to make money while putting countless lives in danger. If they are not willing to spend the money, they should not have the right to benefit from the plants results. Please Keep Davis Besse Closed until such time it passes inspection w/ flying colors, not just barely. I would appreciate a response to this concern.

Sincerely,
John Cannon



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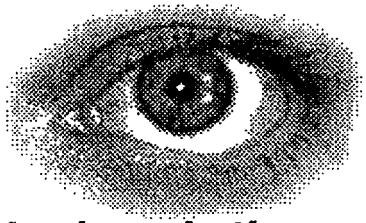
I live in the [redacted] area. I am Concerned for the Safety of the workers and the Community in which the Power Plant is.

The NRC's top priority must be Public Safety not First Energy's schedule! You need to keep the Davis Besse nuclear reactor closed because of Cancer Causing agents. I would like an immediate response.

Thank You,

Donna Wilbergen

[redacted]



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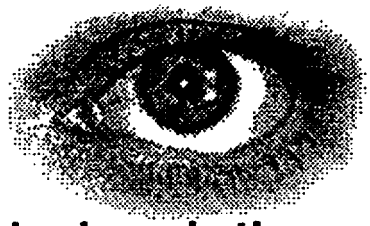
12.12.03

Dear James Caldwell,

I am writing this letter because I am very concerned for my family's safety. My in-laws live in [redacted]. NRC's top priority must be public safety! You need to keep the Davis-Besse nuclear reactor closed permanently!!



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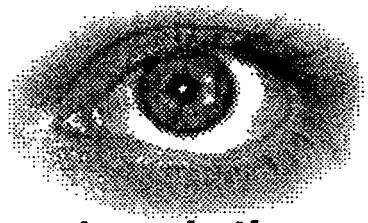
WE LIVE IN [redacted] & DURING THE LAST BLACKOUT (WHICH SHOULD NEVER HAVE HAPPENED) OUR CONCERN WAS WHAT IS GOING TO HAPPEN NEXT. WE HOPE UNDER NEW LEADERSHIP THINGS WILL GET BETTER

R. L. Schmiedl



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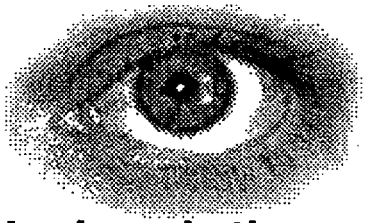
12-10-03

Dear, Jim Caldwell,

I am a citizen of [redacted] I would like to express my concern over the re-opening of the Davis-Besse Nuclear Power Plant. If these problems could happen once & no change in management or ownership has occured since, what is to say that they will not occur again. Please consider this as you make your decision about the start-up of Davis-Besse Power Plant.

Concerned Citizen

Carl A. Cantsa



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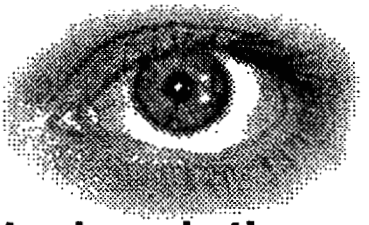
Dear Mr. Caldwell,

The health and safety of everyone in [redacted] and east of us depend on you. Please, do not allow an unsafe reactor begin operation again. But worse yet, let a company that did corrosion and safe errors from the public and you.

Please do not let any hazards happen to us.

Thank you for your time

Kathy Kody
[redacted]



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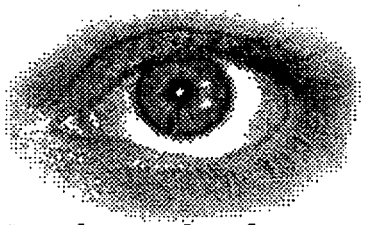
Jim Caldwell,

I am very discouraged in the state of our use of the great natural resources this State has. We must do everything in our power to protect our citizen's and their lake, Please keep the reactor at David-Besse closed until it is has all of the highest available proctection in place, Please take this matter very serious and put the citizens first. Thank-you,

Scott Moore



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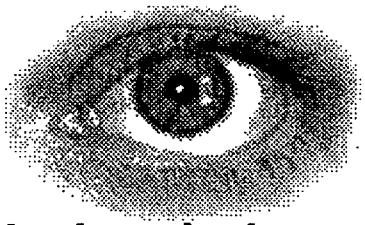
All I want to know is how you can keep a nuclear plant operating without the proper safety regulations in place to protect it's customers?

Jordan White



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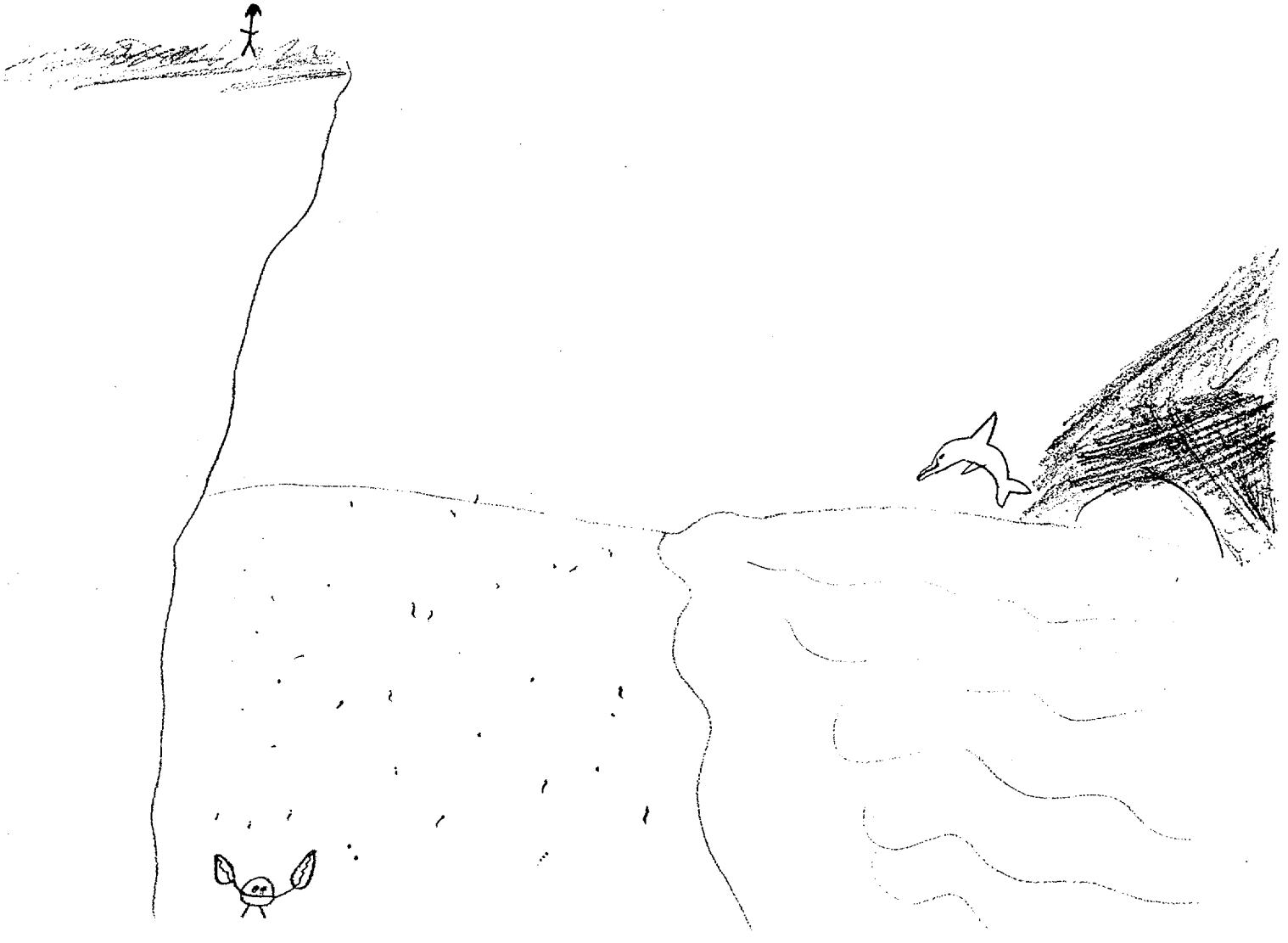

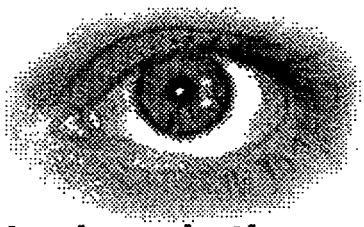

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February 18, 2004

Mr. Jim Caldwell, Regional Administrator
U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission
801 Warrenville Road
Lisle, IL 60532-4351

Dear Mr. Caldwell,

As residents of the state of [redacted], we are writing to ask you to keep the Davis Besse nuclear power plant closed permanently. The unsafe operation of this plant threaten our health, our safety, and our environment.

The problems at Davis Besse go far beyond the hole found in the reactor's lid. Design flaws and a clear disregard for "safety culture" at Davis Besse give you more reasons than you need to justify a permanent shut-down of this reactor.

Furthermore, the NRC's Office of Investigations is still in the midst of their probe to determine what criminal actions First Energy engaged in when they with held information from federal regulators.

Please write us back and let us know what you will do to protect us.

Thank you,

[redacted]

January 27, 2004

Mr. Jim Caldwell, Regional Administrator
U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission
801 Warrenville Road
Lisle, IL 60532-4351

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Thank you,

February 11, 2004

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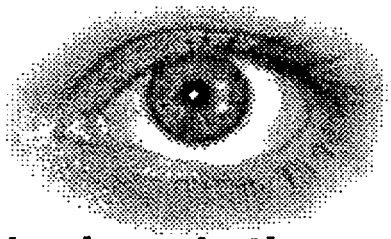

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I am copying a note concerning my feelings regarding the subject. Please consider re-inspection

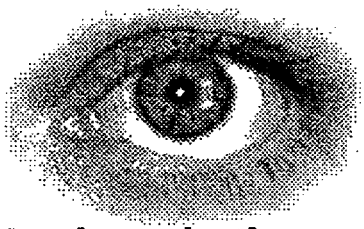
I didn't hear about your reading 'on the Beach.., until now. I read this too, it is a riveting tale. We are still in the grips of the nuclear age. Just live your life and don't fret too much. Last night a girl came to the door collecting names and money. It for Citizens for Action, regarding the re-opening of Davis Besse nuclear plant here in the area. She was representative of a group that claims only minor repairs were made and want greater inspection and replacements that is needed. I too don't want another Chernobyl over Lake Erie. I gave a $5 check. We just have to be watchful. Keep your chin up . Your being a good citizen. love you much. mom

Mrs Catherine Winters

Could you please type in all the benefits of it not be accepted and the penalty for the families around us. I haven't had time because I've had a lot of errands to run

Thank You

M Duffield



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Dear Mr. Caldwell:

I write in support of the Ohio Citizen Action organization to impede and stop the use of Davis-Besse as well as all and any Nuclear Power Plants that pose even a remote danger to the millions who are within the danger zone of contamination and fallout. I do not live very close - but I know that [redacted] miles is far me and my family too close. I ask you, would you live within 5 or ten miles of Davis Besse? - I am sure you would not by choice.

I have met a number of pipefitters and laborers who attest to the poor and/or quick workmanship done on both the D-B as well as the Perry plant. I worry the results of such 'fast-track' construction. Please do what my conscience is telling me to do - go against the operation until

→

independent / citizen groups approve the safety + operation of Davis-Besse.

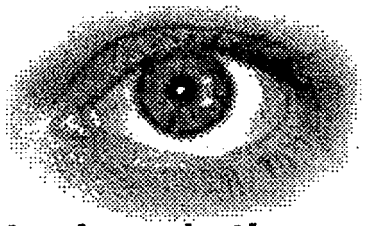
Thank you
for your time.

Dave Corrigan

Dear Mr. Cadwell,

I am writing you this letter on behalf of my Wife and children. With all of the past and ongoing problems at Davis-Besse Nuclear Power Plant we need your Courage and wisdom to protect our families and Community. Sir i plead with you to kep that plant closed, the whole community is well-aware of the past and possible imment danger First Energy put us in.

Could you imagine a future head-line in news papers around the world that we had a Nuclar Meltdown at Davis-Besse, Thousands dead, 10^5 of thousands sick, the U.S. economy ruined, and 1/3 of the whole Planet Earths water supply ruined for thousands of years. Guss what, With your "Courage" you can protect us, and do the right thing. Thank You



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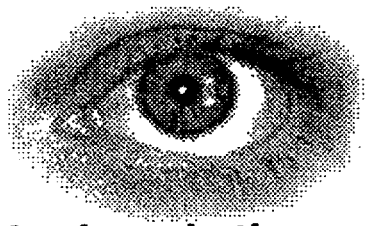
Jim Caldwell,

My name is Paul South living in [redacted]. Being close to Perry Nuclear Power Plant my saftey Concerns about any nuclear Power plant are great. If all top saftey standards are not met in all possibilities then turning on the Plant is a dangerous propasition. The Davis-Besse Plant should remain closed until all Saftey issues are addressed and completed. Nuclear Power can be a clean source of energy especially compared to fossil fuel plants, but if saftey procedures are not followed many dangerous things could occur. So Please consider Public Concerns because times before saftey has been overlooked only to arrive at grave results

Sincerely

Paul South

[redacted]



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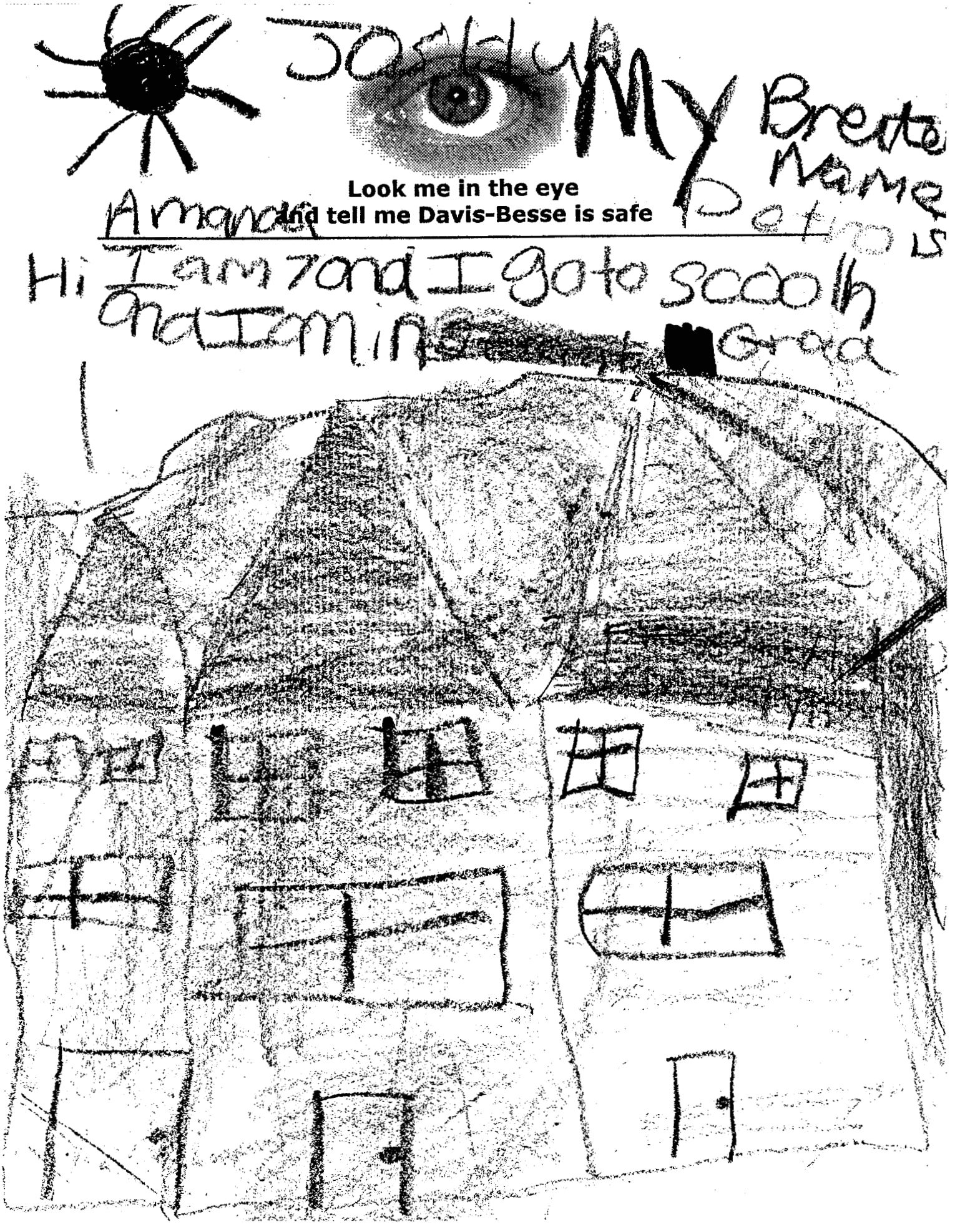
I live in [redacted] and I support the safety of our community and want to see that Davis-Besse remains closed. Who wants to live where there is a nuclear leak? The danger could be astronomical, and with all the terror attacks around the globe, the end result could end with horrendous dangers for everyone. Please keep Davis-Besse closed to protect the lives of a big population.

Kay Darley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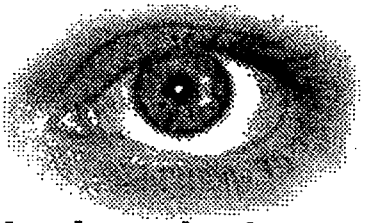

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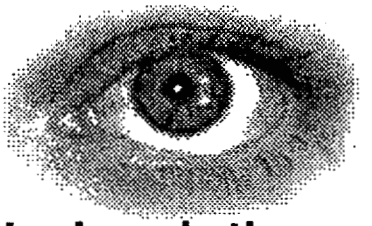
Jim,

Keep Davis-Besse closed!!

John Stubble



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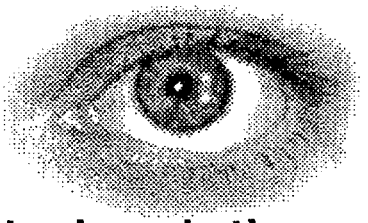
Dear MR. JAMES CALDWELL,

I think It would be in the best intrest of the citizens of Ohio to have a safe Nuclear Power Plant, so I feel that a change of Management could Improve the plant as far as Safety and productivity are concerned. It should also be noted that the reactor head needs to be disposed of and is done so safely and transported to wherever it is going to be disposed of as safe as possible too.

Sincerely,

James Jaksic



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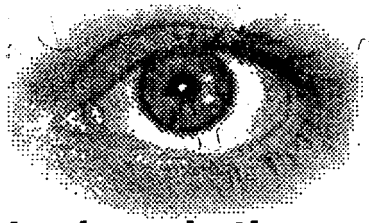
We must look long term! When discussing energy issues, we find in this day and time, there is no perfect answer to meet our growing needs. We as a society need to do two things: One; use the safest recourses we have competent working knowledge of, as so we don't harm ourselves, leaving a huge disposal and financial clean up for our children and their children. Two; research, research, research. The millions and possibly billions spent on nuclear power is absurd when it's by-product is harmful to human life and even more costly to disposed of. We can see the future of these nuclear power plant sites... giant empty decaying buildings, not vary different from the old steel mills of today or if we are lucky a giant hole in the ground because it was too toxic to just leave it there! (where does the old unwanted building & earth go...that is issue to be discussed another day to think about clean up is very concerning and scary).

I own and operate a small truck repair business and I would gladly go back to school and learn new technology or even learn another career if the automotive world would design another power plant to use and do away with the internal combustion engine and help us eliminate another very large contributing factor to pollutants in our world. It is obvious as I read the newspaper that Davis-Besse is not only a threat to our way of life as humans but it is operated poorly. Every month or so it is shut down by someone other than themselves (Federal regulators). How could FirstEnergy say "come in and inspect" in essence saying "we're ready" and have problem after problem, almost every time the reactors "ready" to start something new has failed or has been found faulty! It can only be incompetence or like a small child that in his eagerness to run continues to fall flat on his face because it takes the ability to walk competently first! We already know and can predict our energy consumption as a city or state so I believe we need to take some of the billions of tax dollars and get down to serious researching our countries power *solutions*. On the same note; FirstEnergy needs to stop investing our dollars spent on energy in unproductive, costly nuclear power and start investing into research for another type of energy, with our government or on their own, so that we can all enjoy and gladly purchase to operate our cities and homes. Thank You.

Thomas W. Benson



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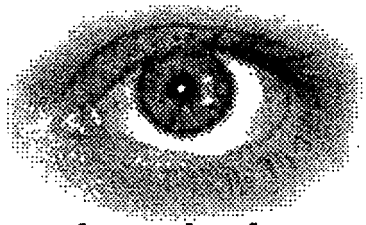
Dec 23, 03

Dear Mr. Caldwell,

I dont envy you having to make such an important decision that affects the health and safety of so many people for such a long time. A nuclear accident is no small problem, it can have long term effects on the entire planet. I hope you will never have to look in the mirror and say "If only I had done things differently..." I also sympathize with you for having to deal with the pressure you must be experiencing from First Energy. I hope you can be strong and make a decision that you, your children & grandchildren can live with. Please dont let money be the reason that my family's safety is compromised.



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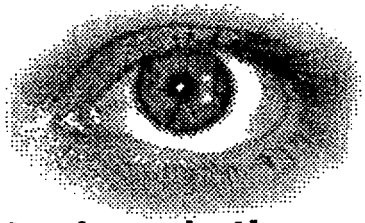
MR. CALDWELL

PLEASE

STOP THE

DANGER!!!

MADDIE MAYER



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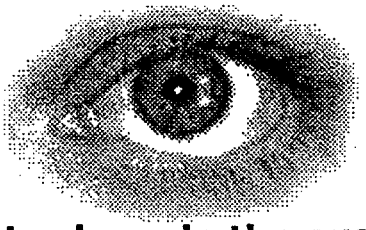
Dear Mr. Caldwell,

My name is Janette Stevens and I reside in [redacted]. I just had a baby who is now [redacted] months old. When faced with ~~*~~ the terror of Davis-Besse, it truly causes a chill to run down my spine. To think that people who hold such a powerful position could possibly be so careless w/ so many lives at stake! Are you insane to consider putting Davis-Besse back into First Energy's hands? Or just inhuman? Think of what you are risking, Mr. Caldwell. I think of it every day. My child, my life, my family, my world. What do you have to lose?

Thank You
for Your
Consideration

Janette Stevens



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Please Do not let our children be exposed to this danger.

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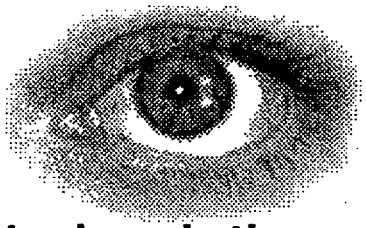
DEAR MR. Caldwell,

I would like to SEE the necessary steps taken to ensure that future generations are protected. Remember, we are all tax payers



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January 6, 2004

Regarding: Davis Besse Nuclear Plant

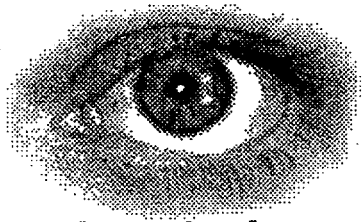
As an [redacted] citizen, as well as a global citizen, I am extremely troubled by what I hear regarding the dangerous problems surrounding Davis Besse.

I recognize the need for energy sources to support our continued population growth. I implore you, however, to take every conceivable action, including that of closing Davis Besse forever, to assure this country not experience a devastating accident.

Consider putting your good efforts towards developing safe, sustainable energy sources, such as solar and wind energy. The risks of pursuing useage of your plant far outweigh any benefits that might be achieved.

Sincerely,

Margaret A. Dellinger



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To whom it may concern:

To the Gentlemen in charge, this is a very serious matter and should not be taken lightly.

Please do the right thing and you know what that is!!!

Regards

Anthony

Concerned Citizen!

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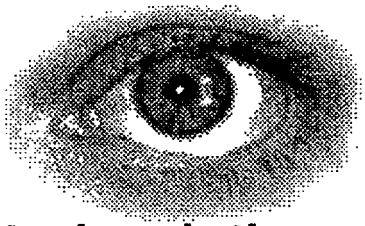
MR. JAMES CALDWELL,

WHY SHOULD MY FAMILY PAY THE PRICE FOR THE INCOMPETENCE AT THE DAVIS-BESSE NUCLEAR REACTOR PLANT? YOU DON'T WANT TO SEE CHILDREN RUNNING AROUND DEFORMED, DO YOU? I SURE DON'T! GET SOMEONE TO RUN THAT PLANT WHO KNOWS WHAT THEY'RE DOING OR BETTER YET, CLOSE IT FOR GOOD! P-U-B-L-I-C S-A-F-E-T-Y! LEARN IT! KNOW IT! LIVE IT!

– JOSEPH E. BARRILE [redacted]



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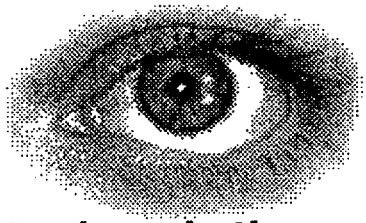
Mr Caldwell,

As a resident of Northern [redacted] I am concerned that the actions of your company do not have the best interest of the public at heart. I am not only concerned for myself but also for future generations who will live in our area. I ask you to take a more proactive approach to this problem and not wait until the situation escalates. Please keep the power plant closed until it can be operated in a more efficient and organized manner.

Thank you,

Dan Gaudtner

[redacted]



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Mr. Caldwell,

We live near a nuclear power plant. It is very important to us that the plants are operated in a safe manner. If that cannot be assured, the plants should not be open.

Sincerely,

December 19, 2003

Mr. Jim Caldwell, Regional Administrator
U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission
801 Warrenville Road
Lisle, IL 60532-4351

The Ohio Citizen Action Organization had come to our door today asking for contributions to further the concerns of the people from the state of Ohio.

They also asked us to write to you asking you to do and say certain items they beleive in.

BUT--We gave to this committee in hopes that you will continue your work and encourage others in all this United States to inspect all nuclear plants as done to the Davis-Besse Plant.

We hope some of these letters will be able to bring forward and conclude to a safer environment for all concerned and for inspections to be thorough and for people like you to see that all infractions are addressed and corrected.

Idwell, 12-15-03

[redacted] Residents and are
for the safety of our family and
[illegible]. We request that you
Davis-Besse Nuclear Reactor closed.
ety is clearly more important than
ks of First Energy. Please send
ate response to ease our fears that
or will be re-opened.

Sincerely,
Jim and Lindsay Nagy

December 22, 2003

Jim Caldwell, Reg. Adm.
U.S. Nuclear Reg. Com.
801 Warrenville Rd.
Lisle, IL 60532-4351

I am writing this letter over the concern of the Davis Besse nuclear plant. We need to keep it closed or look at other alternatives like selling it to someone that knows how to operate it safely!

NRC's top priority must be public safety, not First Energy's schedule. This could negatively effect 11 million peoples' water supply.

I live in [redacted] and I appreciate your looking into this matter.

Thank you Chris Zass

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Jim Caldwell – NRC.

Dec. 19. 2003

Dear Sir.

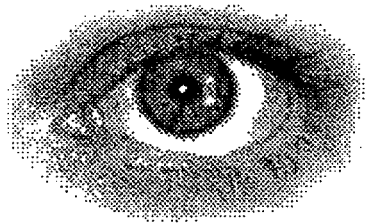
I have lived in the [redacted] metropolitan area. Since 1975. I frequently drive past the Davis-Besse power plant on Route 2 to visit my family in [redacted] – I am old enough to Remember the creation of the Nuclear Regulator Commission — the Atomic energy commission and the inception of the Idea that Atomic Power Plants would be safe, and save the energy needs of the Country – At that time The question was "What will we do with the toxic waste generated by the Power Plants proposed ?"
the second question on everyones mind was:
"will they Be Safe"

Neighter of these questions have been answered in a definative way.

Personally I never thought that such a Toxic and intrinsically dangerous System should have been implimented in the first place. However: since the Power plants are heer now — Just let me ask you a personal question — Would you be able to sleep soundly down wind from Davis-Besse — or any Nuclear Power Plant. Do you have children.

with all due Respect.

Anita LaBus –



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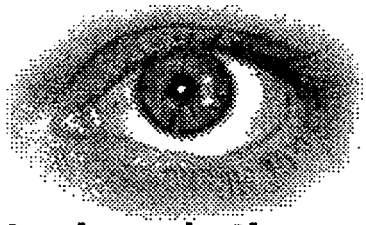
Dear Mr. Caldwell,

Please keep the Davis-Besse nuclear reactor closed. I have lived near or by Lake Erie my whole life and will continue to do so if the water remains safe.

Thank-you.

C. Ewing

[redacted] resident



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The Powers of the Davis-Besse. First Energy Corp. Must not be allowed to place profits, operating scheduls before the safety of the public.

WHILE some may have forgotten "3 mile Island." and the desaster that occured in Russia. which caused the death of so many. With "Greed." for profits of large Corp. being what the are, one might easely believe that First Energy Is also in that Category.

Mr Caldwell yau must Make sure that the Davis-Besse plant meets the highest safety standards or close it down Permently

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Jim Caldwell,

I Live in [redacted], I am very concerned about the safety of your plant. I think that you should be concerned with the public safety over first energy's schedule. I would like you to take it into consideration thank you.

Elizabeth Misicnas

I would like an immediate response to how you are going to fix these problems thank you

Jim –

In light of what happened at Davis-Besse, I can't believe all that went unnoticed. How are these critical inspections missed? I can only imagine.

For the safety of the public you cannot afford to have an occurance like this to materialize again. Heads need to roll and organization restructured whatever it takes.

Joe Walker