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General Comment

Thank you for the opportunity to comment.

I am a 73-year-old retired teacher, mom and grandma. I am deeply concerned about the potential risks to future generations of the deadly nuclear waste that is stored at the Fermi II site. The idea of building a Fermi III before dealing with this major concern is most confounding to me.

If a major waste leakage or a meltdown were to occur, a water source critical to millions would be in jeopardy. Pure water on planet Earth is a major concern now. Who knows how costly, pervasive and longlasting that destruction would be?

An August 27th USA Today article only reinforces my many concerns. According to the article, federal prosecutors found Andrew Siemaskzo guilty of lying in 2001 so the Davis-Besse plant along Lake Erie could delay a shutdown for a safety inspection. Months later inspectors found an acid leak that almost ate through the reactor's 6-inch-thick steel cap. I can honestly state that I am very cynical about any agency or corporation's ability to provide total oversight

Thank you for your consideration of my concerns.

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