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Mr. Charles L Miller
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Dear Mr. Miller:

On behalf of Chris Tipton, Sam Pinkerton, Buzz Davies, Joel Troy, and other members of the Erwin Citizens Awareness Network, Inc., we would like to request an additional 90 days (until Friday, Feb. 11, 2011) for public comment on the Draft Environmental Assessment and Finding of No Significant Impact for the Nuclear Fuel Services, Inc. request for a 40-year license renewal, License SNM-124, Docket 70-143, and EA Docket ID NRC-2009-0435.

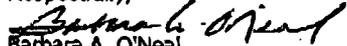
Since this is a major federal action and the request and possible approval of a 40-year license renewal is unprecedented, we believe that this additional time is warranted. There are numerous mathematical calculations in the draft EA that are not explained in lay terms. In order to fully understand them, we need assistance from professors who have limited time since the school year is in session. We also have members of the public that do not have typing skills and must rely on others to type their comments. This all takes time.

In speaking with Peter Habighorst shortly before the Oct. 26, 2010 public meeting, I inquired about the status of the Safety Evaluation Report (SER) -- whether or not it was done. He said it was not. Therefore, since the NRC will require more time to prepare the SER, which we believe is extremely important, perhaps we can have more time for comments.

Additionally, there are water and soil samples currently being analyzed by experts that will, without a doubt, prove pertinent to this draft EA and FONSI.

Thank you for your consideration.

Respectfully,


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