

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA  
NUCLEAR REGULATORY COMMISSION  
ATOMIC SAFETY AND LICENSING BOARD PANEL

In the Matter of	)	
CROW BUTTE RESOURCES, INC.	)	Docket No. 40-8943
MARSLAND EXPANSION	)	License SUA-1543
(In Situ Leach Facility, Crawford, NE)	)	

PETITIONER DECLARATION

I, BRUCE McINTOSH, hereby make the following declaration:

1. I make this affidavit in connection with a Petition to Intervene in the Application of Crow Butte Resources, Inc., concerning *in situ leach* uranium mine in Dawes County, NE, specifically, the MARSLAND EXPANSION (the “Mine”). My physical address is 205 North Mears St., Chadron, NE 69337. The mailing address for me is 205 North Mears St., Chadron, NE 69337. I am a member of Western Nebraska Resources Council (“WNRC”).
2. I have authorized attorneys Bruce Ellison, David Frankel, and other attorneys working with Western Nebraska Resources Council, and Aligning for Responsible Mining to represent me in this matter and to file contentions on my behalf. I am fully familiar with the facts stated herein, and where opinions are expressed, I am competent to state such opinions based on my training, knowledge, experience and expertise. If sworn as a witness, I am competent to testify to the contents hereof.
3. I use water for personal, household, domestic purposes, including gardening, bathing, drinking.
4. I have lived, [worked and played](#) in Dawes County for 67 years. I am also concerned about potential natural inter-mixing of aquifers from the mining areas due to fracturing in the rock as well.
5. I state that the harm to [my wellbeing, health and to](#) the communities surrounding the MEA would be catastrophic if the water supplies are contaminated or diminished, which would include harms to tourism, ranching [businesses and livelihood](#).
6. I am [very concerned about recent local fires, caused by man induced drought](#).

This Declaration is submitted in accordance with 10 C.F.R. Section 2.304(d) and 28

U.S.C. Section 1746. I declare under penalty of perjury that the foregoing is true and correct.

January 29, 2013



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BRUCE McINTOSH