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Good morning,

Thank you for the opportunity to voice my opinion regarding the possibility of the storage of High Level Radioactive material in Andrews County. Please see the attached.

Sincerely,
Charlie Falcon

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To the NRC Commission:

As a citizen of Andrews, Texas for 50 years, I was compelled to write a follow up letter in regards to the meeting held on February 16, 2017. I was in attendance and had the privilege of speaking in front of the commission and my fellow attendees. While I am pleased that there were so many in attendance I was taken back by how many of those who were not Andrews residents. In my perspective roughly eighty percent of the ones who spoke opposed to the high level radiation site were not from our town, our area or even our region.

I am Hispanic male, Veteran of the Air Force and an educator and I firmly believe that there is no justification to the claims of racial inequality economically or educationally in our community. My opinion is the opposition is bringing this into their argument to not only divide our community but to also play on recent national events. I was appalled and disrespected by the gentleman in the audience who tried to make a statement about having the meetings and flyers in Spanish. I thought his actions were an insult to not only myself but my fellow Hispanic citizens of Andrews and did nothing but make a foolish statement out of something that should not have been an issue. It is people like him who do not speak for the majority of Andrews.

I would also like to once again bring to attention the over half a million dollars in scholarships and funds that our local children have received from Waste Control Specialist and I believe that we will continue to see that grow as WCS expands. Lives have been positively impacted by the donations our students have received.

My only concern with the increase to high level radiation is the security of the site. There are several possibilities that could arise such as foreign and domestic terrorism and general lack of knowledge from the residents in the area. I do believe that with the assistance of our local police and sheriff departments along with a revamped security department that this site will be secure and safe. However, there are several scenarios that should be addressed.

I would like to extend my gratitude for your diligence in this matter and for considering my opinion.

Sincerely,
Charlie Falcon