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With all due respect to Atomic Safety & Licensing Board members,

I am a resident of Redland Agricultural Area NW of Turkey Point Nuclear Power Plant. I opposed their expansion, and I am outraged by recent exposés of bay water pollution, overheated cooling canals, and the *very* recent mini-meltdown. The *last* thing we Southernmost Floridians need is for FPL to receive your permission to bury nuclear waste under our aquifers.

Geology 101 is all anyone needs to understand the risk of deep waste wells. Or, you can Google the frequent occurrences of leaks and pollution from these wells all around the country. The minor fines imposed for violations of construction and maintenance requirements are no deterrent, as their profits heavily outweigh the cost of ignoring the weak laws in place to protect us. The corporate mentality of energy enterprises of accepting the lowest bid on construction, materials, and safety, jeopardize our fresh drinking water, soil, streams and seas. The BP rig explosion is just one dramatic example.

FPL spends *millions* on advertising to convince us they are a clean source of energy, while suppressing independant solar enterpsies. We Floridians know FPL's profits (1.65 Billion in 2015) and their investors are priority, not their customers. Pushing for bills to force us to pay for their mistakes and line their pockets is just not right.

Injecting nuclear waste under our water would be catastrophic.

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