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## General Comment

Roanè County, TN, is close to major populations centers: Knoxville, Chattanooga, Nashville and Lexington, KY, as well as to many ecologically sensitive areas. Pollution of the Clinch River and Watts Bar would be increased. I lived in East Tennessee for 15 years and I know for a fact that nuclear reactors should not be built in this area.

This is an unproven, experimental technology which is not needed. We should instead be emphasizing Solar and Wind Energy, which are much kinder to our precious fresh water. Solar and Wind energy do not endanger residents and guests in the United States, unlike nuclear energy. Small modular reactors are extremely expensive.

Thank you for denying TVA the ESP to build such a nuclear device.

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