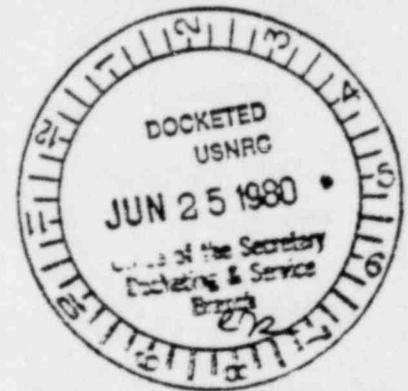


April 10, 1980

Chairman
U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission
Office of Nuclear Reactor Regulation
Washington, DC 20555



Dear Mr. Chairman:

Since nuclear power scares the hell out of me and scares the hell out of a lot of other people, I wrote the commission of which you are chairman a letter on the 28th of January, 1980.

Now, in that letter and combined with this letter, I set forth the following facts:

1. The Midland Nuclear Plant, a twin sister of TMI, is being built a mile from downtown Midland and less than three quarters of a mile as the crow flies, from my home.
2. The license to build the nuclear plant is in direct violation of Congressional intent on distance from populated areas.
3. The license violates NRC rules and regulations on siting and distance from populated areas.
4. The license to build was granted without giving adequate consideration concerning the spent fuel problem.
5. The safety implications and environmental impacts of radioactive storage on site - a mile from Midland's main street - had never been truthfully considered by the old AEC, now the NRC.
6. The issuing authority failed to consider adequately the cumulative impact caused by the spent fuel storage, especially under any expanded program.
7. Since the NRC staff have publicly admitted that a Class 9 accident did take place at TMI and, as I have explained before, Midland is a twin sister plant, it is now incumbent on NRC to stop the building of the plant because:
 - a. If at the Midland Nuclear Plant a Class 9 accident happens this type of accident would have an impact on the spent fuel even if partially loaded with spent fuel.

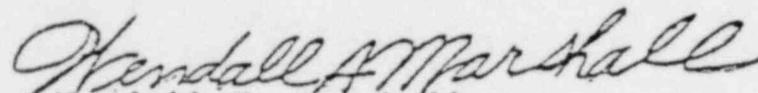
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- b. If an explosion or "melt-down" would occur at Midland, after it went into operation, what effect and to what extent would the accident have on the spent fuel pool even if partially loaded with spent fuel?
8. My rights as a citizen of Michigan and the United States are being violated by imposing upon me future radioactive abuses and degraded environmental conditions in violation of the Constitution and the NRC rules and regulations. It never was Congressional intent to abuse citizens.

I hope, Mr. Chairman, that you will take action to stop building the Midland Nuclear Plant.

To help you in your decision making process, I am sending a copy of this letter to each U.S. Senator in Congress and to the news media.

Sincerely,


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cc: U.S. Senators
Members of NRC Commission
Communications Media