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General Comment

First and foremost, I am very happy that Palisades will be shutdown in May of 2022. I live within the 50-mile radiation range and still do fear that this very old plant will meltdown before it is shutdown. I do find it unacceptable that the MI ratepayers and the already depleted Nuclear Decommissioning Trust Fund, will be further drained for non-decommissioning expenses such as irradiated nuclear fuel management and site restoration in this proposal. I also have major concern about the casks that will be used to store this fuel and it must be stored using Hardened Onsite Storage (HOSS). Also, another EIS must be done since it has been years since one was conducted. The Lake water levels are high and decommissioning will be affected by the levels with increased potential of radioactive and other toxic releases into the Lake including Tritium. All radioactive materials must be removed by Holtec because we do fear for our safety in the short and long-term. I have read about Holtec and SNC-Lavelin with its corporate dealings and am terribly concerned as a ratepayer. Thank you.