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Dear Mr. Leesar,

I am writing as a concerned citizen of Wilson County with respect to the pending issues attached to the potential placement of a nuclear fuel enrichment plant in Trousdale County TN.

Having spent the last 24 years in Wilson County, and having raised a family here as well, I would request that much more public information be made available prior to any decision making voting sessions that may be coming up. Information made public to date has not been sufficient to make educated opinions with respect to the long-term viability of LES or the ramifications of having such a facility so close to our families and water supply.

Trying not to address this issue from an emotional standpoint, I have refrained from voicing negative opinions to local officials and neighbors, while waiting for more technical information to be made available for citizens to make informed and educated decisions on positive or negative results attached to this situation.

I am now being advised that there is an effort afoot to push this enrichment plant through quickly without sufficient public input or approval.

I do not believe that this is the intent, so I would request that adequate time and information be made available, so that citizens can trust that the best interests of our community are being considered and that there is no hidden agenda secretly pushing through a situation that may be detrimental in the long run.

Best Regards,

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