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I have enjoyed the discussion of time of compliance and would like to say I am in favor of the shorter timeframes (1000 yrs) for the compliance period. One important item that hasn't been discussed is that PA are not static documents. They are not prepared and set on a shelf. They are dynamic and will change over the facilities operational lifetime.

I encourage the NRC to place in their regulations a requirement for facilities to maintain their PA. The maintenance program should be used to reduce the uncertainties and sensitivities of the PA overtime. It should also be used to evaluate new information that will come out from the scientific community and discoveries that will come up resulting from operating a LLW facility.

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Thanks and have a great day!

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