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General Comment

Hello,

Thank you for coming to Columbia, SC to speak to us about our concerns about Westinghouse.

First, I would like to request that the public comment time period be extended until there is a remediation plan completely followed through on, completely. That would require, at least, that the source of the Tc-99 leak that has been leaching into the soil and groundwater (highest levels of found in well 11) be located, so it can be stopped, as the first part of remediation.

If the source of contamination can not be located, the plant should be decommissioned, with no further permits being issued, and aggressive fluid vapor recovery performed on all sites testing above the EPA standards for any toxins and radionuclides, as well as the soil being safely removed and securely stored to prevent further contamination of water, and potential release into the air and vegetation.

Also, please see SC DHEC files and test results pertaining to the contamination here:

<https://www.scdhec.gov/environment/ongoing-projects-updates/westinghouse>

Thank you,

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