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Congress of the United States

House of Representatives

Washington, D.C.

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Dr. Glenn T. Seaborg
Chairman
Atomic Energy Commission
Washington, D. C. 20545
Sir:

The attached communication
is sent for your consideration.
Please investigate the statements
contained therein and forward me
the necessary information for re-
ply, returning the enclosed corre-
spondence with your answer.

Yours truly,

M. C.

Enc: Letter from Mrs. Fiorelli
of Willoughby, Ohio

Re: Proposed Davis-Besse Nuclear
Power Plant, and danger from
pollution.

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Julius H. Rubin
For the Chairman

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J. William Stanton R-11
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Washington, D.C.
20515

Dear Congressman Stanton,

I am writing this letter in regard to the proposed building of the ~~Sevier River power plant~~ ~~hydroelectric station~~. I am ~~opposed~~ to the building of the power station because of the damage it can cause to Lake Erie. With Lake Erie already so polluted, I can't see what we could gain by ruining it even more.

Radiation which would be emitted from the station would collect in the lake and make it unsafe to drink the water and air in our. To eat any fish caught in the lake. Also, exposure to the radiation while swimming could be harmful.

I am also concerned about the thermal pollution that the station would cause. Thermal pollution already affects fish and plant life. Raising the water temperature any higher may prove to be very dangerous. Also, while the pollution caused by the station at first would probably be minimal, since production of electricity will probably increase greatly in the future, this increasing the pollution.

I see Lake Erie all the time and see the millions of dead fish littering the shore and the raw sewage floating on the surface. Therefore, I think it is foolish to add to these problems. However small any help that you could offer would be greatly appreciated. Thank you.

Belinda Froude