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U. S. Senator Debbie Stabenow  
U. S. Representative Candice Miller  
State Senator Michael Green

From: Bay County Board of Commissioners

Subject: Opposition to Development of Nuclear Waste Facility near  
Kincardine, Ontario

Date: August 19, 2014

Attached please find a resolution adopted by the Bay County Board of Commissioners on August 12, 2014 voicing Bay County's opposition to development of an underground nuclear waste facility near Kincardine, Ontario because of the risk of polluting the Great Lakes and upsetting the ecosystem. Your support of Bay County's position on this issue is greatly appreciated.

cc: 82 Michigan Counties via e-mail

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**8/12/2014**

**RESOLUTION**

BY: VAUGHN J. BEGICK, 3<sup>RD</sup> DISTRICT COMMISSIONER

WHEREAS, A Canadian power company is proposing to develop an underground nuclear waste facility near Kincardine, Ontario; and

WHEREAS, The proposed facility would be situated less and one (1) mile from the Lake Huron Shoreline; and

WHEREAS, Storing low and intermediate level waste so close to Lake Huron, which constitutes 21% of the world's fresh water supply, jeopardizes the fragile ecosystem and is a risk that cannot be afforded; Therefore, Be It

RESOLVED That the Bay County Board of Commissioners hereby opposes the development of an underground nuclear waste facility near Kincardine, Ontario because of the risk of polluting the Great Lakes and upsetting the ecosystem; Be It Further

RESOLVED That a copy of this resolution be forwarded to all Michigan Counties, our State and Federal Legislators and the Province of Ontario.

VAUGHN J. BEGICK  
3<sup>RD</sup> DISTRICT  
BAY COUNTY COMMISSIONER

Begick - Opposition to Underground Nuclear Waste Facility - Ontario

MOVED BY COMM. Begick

SUPPORTED BY COMM. Duranczyk

COMMISSIONER	Y	N	E	COMMISSIONER	Y	N	E	COMMISSIONER	Y	N	E
MICHAEL J. DURANCZYK	✓			KIM J. COONAN	✓			MICHAEL E. LUTZ	✓		
ERNIE KRYGIER	✓			THOMAS M. HEREK	✓						
VAUGHN J. BEGICK	✓			DONALD J. TILLEY	✓						

VOTE TOTALS:

ROLL CALL: YEAS \_\_\_\_\_ NAYS \_\_\_\_\_ EXCUSED \_\_\_\_\_  
VOICE: ✓ YEAS 7 NAYS 0 EXCUSED 0

DISPOSITION: ADOPTED  DEFEATED \_\_\_\_\_ WITHDRAWN \_\_\_\_\_  
AMENDED \_\_\_\_\_ CORRECTED \_\_\_\_\_ REFERRED \_\_\_\_\_