From: Noel Marquez [mailto:marquezarts@yahoo.com]
Sent: Tuesday, April 03, 2018 1:58 PM
To: Maestas, Ricardo, NMENV <Ricardo.Maestas@state.nm.us>
Subject: Permit Modification at WIPP

Dear Ricardo,

As a resident of Eddy County I am seriously concerned about the continued burdens on our communities to allow the nuclear industry to continue giving us up as a nuclear waste dump area. The lesson at WIPP from the failed breach has not been a warning to a few elected officials in our area who continue to ignore our concerns that will affect the health of the very young and future generations in exchange for a few bad and desperate jobs.

I ask the New Mexico Environment Department to deny the 'volume reduction' permit modification request.

This permit modification would increase WIPP's capacity by 25%.

This is a big change for WIPP and at the very least requires a public hearing.

Sincerely,

Noel V. Marquez
Resident of Eddy County