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Transportation of the highly radioactive materials should be included in the impact assessment as we have a very high number of accidents on our highways in northern Ontario.

The NWMO report considers the geological site to be safe for burial, but an article in the Thunder Bay Chronicle Journal on July 5, 2025 suggests there have been earthquakes in that area. This is confirmed by a government of Canada map of where earthquakes have occurred. That sounds very unsafe for a repository there.

As the nuclear waste is radioactive for thousands of years and the NWMO would only manage it for 160 years, how will that area be monitored for safety after that time period? There are risks for the environment, people and wildlife.

Thank you for considering our concerns.

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