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Tell Duke No Nuke! We Want Low-Cost Efficiency and Renewables!

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Sincerely

Miss Susan Besselman 590 W Main St Up Madison, OH 44057-3136 (440) 428-8398

From: "Sandra Rutkowski"

To: "ContactThePUCO@puc.state.oh.us"

Subject: Tell Duke No Nuke! We Want Low-Cost Efficiency and Renewables!

Sent: 9/5/2010 9:14:11 PM

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Sincerely

Ms. Sandra Rutkowski 100 N Monroe Ave Columbus, OH 43203-1856 (614) 405-9597

From: "Joseph Epperson"

To: "ContactThePUCO@puc.state.oh.us"

Subject: Tell Duke No Nuke! We Want Low-Cost Efficiency and Renewables!

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Please consider the environment and the damage fossil fuels is doing to the quality of our air. There are safer and cleaner fuels to use is it not time to change??

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Mr. Joseph Epperson 17748 Rock Creek Rd Lot 27 Thompson, OH 44086-9761 From: "Marcia Rock"

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Ms. Marcia Rock 4207 Kinsey Rd Englewood, OH 45322-2612 (937) 771-0275 From: "Dave Wolf"

To: "ContactThePUCO@puc.state.oh.us"

Subject: Tell Duke No Nuke! We Want Low-Cost Efficiency and Renewables!

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Sincerely

Mr. Dave Wolf 4711 Behrwald Ave Cleveland, OH 44144-3606 (216) 376-1558

From: "Timothy Smith"

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Mr. Timothy Smith 112 Anderson Ferry Rd Apt 95 Cincinnati, OH 45238-5952 (513) 922-4507 From: "phyllis ballard"

To: "ContactThePUCO@puc.state.oh.us"

Subject: Tell Duke No Nuke! We Want Low-Cost Efficiency and Renewables!

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Ms. phyllis ballard 4950 W Broad St Apt 152 Columbus, OH 43228-1673 From: "Eileen Taylor"

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Mrs. Eileen Taylor 3355 Lindsay Ln Apt 25 Cincinnati, OH 45251-5181 (513) 245-0410

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Ms. Peggy Adams 19000 Lake Rd Apt 830 Rocky River, OH 44116-1745 From: "Tom Burkett"

To: "ContactThePUCO@puc.state.oh.us"

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Mrs. Jennifer Powell 12300 Steubenville Pike Lisbon, OH 44432-9709 (330) 853-0882 From: "charles nohava"

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Mr. charles nohava 8500 Eagle Rd Kirtland, OH 44094-8613 From: "Marketa Anderson"

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Ms. Marketa Anderson 1548 W Pekin Rd Lebanon, OH 45036-9786 From: "Judy Claffey"

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Mrs. Judy Claffey 15174 Hook Hollow Rd Novelty, OH 44072-9539 From: "Kenneth Adler"

To: "ContactThePUCO@puc.state.oh.us"

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Sincerely

Dr. Kenneth Adler 4913 Harroun Rd Sylvania, OH 43560-2197 From: "Elena Lemmo"

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Ms. Mooydeen Frees 3826 Portrush Way Amelia, OH 45102-2373 From: "MAX FRAZIER"

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Sincerely

Mr. MAX FRAZIER 1500 Efner Dr Columbus, OH 43227-2142 From: "Timothy Mobley"

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To: "ContactThePUCO@puc.state.oh.us"

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Dr. Mary Ann Wiesemann-Mills 171 Belhar Dr Akron, OH 44313-6748

From: "Edward Merrill"

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Sierra Club Membership Services [membership.services@sierraclub.org] on behalf of Diane

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Our governments should be looking at clean energy solutions not pursuing nuclear plants and using dirty fuels. We should be preparing for the future not taking a step backwards.

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Sincerely

Mrs. Diane Grommon 1974 Turnbull Rd Beavercreek, OH 45432-2326 From: "Thomas Engberg"

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How about doing the right thing and going with clean and renewable energy resources? Oh wait, I almost forgot...energy industries are in business to rape the earth and reap the profit. I don't know why I thought that big energy actually cared about the planet and human well-being? Silly me.

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Mr. Thomas Engberg 9214 Windy Creek Dr Columbus, OH 43240-6022 From: "B ROSE"

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Mrs. B ROSE 8568 Dutch Ridge Rd SE New Straitsville, OH 43766-9723 From: "Mary WoodConstable"

To: "ContactThePUCO@puc.state.oh.us"

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Ms. Mary WoodConstable 3524 Saint Charles Pl Cincinnati, OH 45208-1425 From: "Sara Pandolfi"

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Ms. Sara Pandolfi 165 Hollywood St Oberlin, OH 44074-1009 From: "judy kramer"

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Ms. judy kramer 162 Vincent St Chagrin Falls, OH 44022-2915 From: "beverlee williams"

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Ms. beverlee williams 11 Cecelia Dr Apt B10 Amelia, OH 45102-1977 (513) 947-9091 From: "Michael Maley"

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As a consumer is very much aware of energy efficiency in my own home, I also know that many of my neighbors are not. There is vast potential for investing in "negawatt" production that is far, far more cost effective than construction of any type of power plant. (http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Negawatt_power) Yes, it takes alot of renewable energy projects to even atart to come close to the generating potential of a nuclear plant, but that is precisely why conservation measures are so important.

Quite frankly, as a (albeit small) businessperson myself I just do't understand why Duke or other power companies would want to take on the massive expense and risk of a nuclear power plant. Not only is a nuclear plant incredibly expensive and time-intensive to build, but there are major security issues as well as the issue of nuclear waste storage. On the other hand, negawatt production is far less expensive and can have much more timely results. Renewable energy sources can also be put in operation more quickly with far less security and environmental issues. I just don't understand why companies that wants to be around in the long-term isn't truly thinking in the long-term. The writing is on the wall - renewable energy will be the energy of the future - so why not be a willing leader in that rather than being forced into it later? And besides just the business/financial aspects of the issue, why would you want to allow something like nuclear energy that has the potential to harm so very many people if something goes wrong? I want to help - or at the very least, not harm - my fellow human beings, and I simply don't understand why power companies and regulaters wish to conduct themselves in ways that could be so very harmful and hurtful to the citizens of this country. Money and profits are not the only measures of successfulness.

Yes, I know you'll say you are looking to the future - the future

beyond oil - when considering the use of nuclear power. But you haven't lived in the West like I have, to have more up close experience with the issues surrounding nuclear power. Living in Utah and Colorado for a many years, I have been very much aware of the issues of uranium mining waste and the problems associated with its safe disposal. There are issues of the long-term health affects on unranium miners and those in the processing industry. There are major issues associated with the clean-up of former nuclear processing sites, and then of course there is the truly gigantic issue of how and where to safely store nuclear waste. As someone who has lived in various locations in the United States, we need to remember that Ohio's decision on this issue can have impacts on other portions of the country. We wouldn't want Utah or Nevada to take action that creates greater health hazards for residents here in Ohio, so we need to make sure we don't create further dangers for citizens in other parts of the country.

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Mrs. Sally Small 389 E Tulane Rd Columbus, OH 43202-2227 From: "Shirley Cox"

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