Coalition Against Nuclear materials in Tonawanda (CANiT)

CANIT Public Informational Meeting
Wednesday, January 26, 1994 - 7:00 P.M.
Herbert Hoover Middle School
249 Thorncliff Road
Kenmore, New York 14223

Dear Resident:

The Coalition Against Nuclear materials in Tonawanda has scheduled a public informational meeting for Wednesday, January 26, 1994 beginning at 7:00 P.M. The purpose of the meeting is to provide residents an update and an opportunity to comment on the U.S. Department of Energy's (DOE) recommendation for remediating the four radioactively contaminated properties in the Town of Tonawanda. The DOE has recently released a Proposed Plan and Feasibility Study which recommends that low level radioactive waste now stored at the four sites be consolidated into a permanent single containment cell in the Town of Tonawanda.

Recently at a meeting of CANiT, members decided not to accept the DOE's recommendation. CANiT is a coalition of local government officials which came into existence to prevent the DOE from shipping nuclear material from Colonie, New York to Tonawanda for permanent storage; to have the DOE remove existing low level radioactive materials at four sites in the Town of Tonawanda; and to transport the Tonawanda material to a site out-of-state for permanent storage.

Comments received at the informational meeting will be submitted to the DOE for response. We urge your participation at this very important meeting. By becoming actively involved in the decision-making process, you will have a critical role in the final determination of where the radioactively contaminated material is to be permanently stored.

For additional information, please contact Mary Sonntag of the Erie County Department of Environment and Planning at (716) 858-7762.

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