

NUCLEAR WASTE TRANSPORTATION THROUGH YOUR MUNICIPALITY QUESTIONS TO THE CANDIDATE – MUNICIPAL ELECTION 2026



Dear Candidate,

Thank you for running for public office. Your willingness to serve the public interest and commitment to improving lives in your community is appreciated.

One of the many larger issues – provincial and national – that bear directly on the safety and wellbeing of residents is the proposed transportation of radioactive waste. While municipalities have no legal authority over nuclear matters, municipal councils have an influential voice, and have responsibilities for roads, emergency response and drinking water which are all integral or imperiled by the transportation of nuclear waste through communities.

Please take a few minutes to complete this simple **two-question** survey (online) by October 10th. We will be releasing and posting results the week of October 12th.

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The Nuclear Waste Management Organization has a plan to transport, process, bury and then abandon all of Canada's high-level nuclear fuel waste at the Revell site between Ignace and Dryden in northwestern Ontario.

NWMO's plan will involve **2-3 shipments per day for more than 50 years**, with each truck hauling 35 tons of radioactive waste per trip. Over 90% of the shipments will come from southern Ontario, averaging 1,700 km per trip, with most of those kilometres travelled on the poorly maintained and mostly 2-lane roads of northeastern and northwestern Ontario.

Do you have concerns about the transportation of high-level radioactive waste through your community?

☐ Yes

☐ No

☐ Undecided

Many municipalities, First Nations and treaty organizations have passed resolutions expressing concern or opposition to NWMO's project or calling for a robust impact assessment process.

Many of the resolutions follow the same general format, but each resolution is tailored to the community's interests, concerns and location, often emphasizing either the risks for those along the transportation route or concerns about negative impacts on water in downstream communities.

Would you support your municipality passing a resolution expressing your community's concerns related to the NWMO's project?

☐ Yes

☐ No

☐ Undecided

Comments: _____

Name _____ Email _____ Tel _____

Telephone number is for verification purposes

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