

Dear Sir,

As a supporter of the Nuclear industry in Cumbria I am totally opposed to burying waste underground by tunnelling in Cumbria.

If the waste has to be stored in this area it should only be contained at Sellafield and if need be very deep opencast mines should be dug and proper engineered concrete and steel storage bunkers constructed where rigid controls can be maintained during the construction of these bunkers. The very skilled workforce at Sellafield would then ensure the utmost care would be taken in design and construction if they were to work in the area where the waste was to be stored. This would give other local residents as much confidence in the construction of this facility as is humanly possible. The local community should not have any deep storage facilities forced on them unless the local community vote themselves to accept it in their own local area.

This is my own personal view.

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