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Subject: Response to RFI on Private Initiatives to Develop Consolidated SNF Storage Facilities.

We need a better thought out solution that the industry can get behind other than unregulated private sites for nuclear waste going forward.

As the lead proposals for centralized interim storage (de facto permanent parking lot dumps) are private initiatives (in fact, there are no proposed federal government owned/operated parking lot dumps), all of the public comments submitted to DOE during its so-called "consent-based siting" public comment period in 2016 still apply. (The lead private initiative is by Waste Control Specialists, LLC in Andrews County, West Texas, followed by the Eddy-Lea [Counties] Energy Alliance in Hobbs, New Mexico (less than 50 miles from WCS); AFCI in Loving County, TX; and Culberson County, TX. Note that not only WCS, but also AFCI, have close connections to Trump's pick for Energy Secretary, former TX governor Rick Perry, representing a blatant conflict of interest and ethical violation http://www.beyondnuclear.org/radioactive-waste-whatsnew/2017/1/7/radioactive-waste-is-good-for-you-or-how-i-learned-to-stop-w.html.)