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Public Comment: Dear Mr. Thibadeau,

When I heard Dr. Walter Tamosaitis' story I was appalled. Is Hanford really a culture where doing the right thing -- speaking up to make our nuclear facilities safer -- is career suicide? How do contractors like Bechtel get away with quieting employees through fear and intimidation?

It seems to me like our first and foremost priority should be to move forward with the Hanford cleanup with integrity, in a safe, accountable and sustainable manner. I support the DNSFB recommendations to the Secretary of Energy for improving the safety culture at the Hanford site.

Thank you for considering these comments.

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