## **Richard Martin**

I have lived in Lea County for 36 years, operating a local family-ran business, raising five children in Hobbs NM. I support the WIPP project and the necessary function of the site. I do not support any permit changes that would hinder the quality and important work of WIPP. The site has proven to be safe, both to humans and the environment. The site is also important to the economy of Lea and Eddie Counties.

Thank you -Richard Martin, president Martin Boot Company Inc. 201 E Broadway St, Hobbs NM