Susan Crockett

NMED has introduced a new requirement that "On an annual basis, the volume of stored TRU mixed waste emplaced in a HWDU from LANL must exceed the volume of stored TRU mixed waste from all other individual generator sites." The provision threatens WIPP premature closure form events completely out of control by the permittees. The new conditions are unnecessary and unrealistic. Los Alamos's inability to process waste in a safe and timely manner to prioritize them. Also, proposing a date for closure is short sited since the Los Alamos pit production will generate waste up to 2050. I am a proud resident of Eddy County and a former County Commissioner; I fully support the WIPP project, and I support the original permit, not the new NMED proposal.