## William Irving

RE: WIPP Renewal Draft Permit. My name is William Aaron Irving, I am a resident and business owner in Carlsbad. I have thoroughly researched the mission of the WIPP project over several years, and I have taken the opportunity to tour the site myself. I fully support the WIPP project and its continued service in safely disposing of nuclear waste from populated areas above ground around the U.S. to a safe, permanent underground destination. I do not support NMED's proposed modifications that would likely hamper the mission of WIPP, and take the focus of the operators off of the task at hand. Please allow this project to continue the great work it has been doing without putting barriers in the way. Thank you