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**Supplementary Information Oral Presentation** 

Presentation submission from Dana Jordan

In the Matter of the

**BWXT Nuclear Energy Canada Inc., Toronto and Peterborough Facilities** 

Application for the renewal of the licence for Toronto and Peterborough facilities

**Commission Public Hearing** 

March 2 to 6, 2020

Renseignements supplémentaires Exposé oral

Présentation de Dana Jordan

À l'égard de

**BWXT Nuclear Energy Canada Inc.,** installations de Toronto et Peterborough

Demande de renouvellement du permis pour les installations de Toronto et Peterborough

Audience publique de la Commission

Du 2 au 6 mars 2020



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# NO Pelleting in PTBO: Why We Need To Intervene

Dana Jordan





## Issues

### Nuclear is undebatably:

- non-renewable
- creates nuclear waste
- dirty, dangerous & expensive
- risks disaster
- Pathogenic



## **Impacts**

- not key to a safe, clean, sustainable future
- fuel bundles produce environmentally detrimental, inches
  level radioactive waste
- "extremely toxic" beryllium levels have been found to be exponentially increasing at Prince of Wales school (& the surrounding area)

# Endangering Public Health & Safety

Very little health & safety data has been released to the community

Uncertain safety violates Canadian Charter of Rights and Freedoms, s7
 & the Occupational Health and Safety Act, 1990

 Uranium (that BWXT has applied for licensing to use) has weakly radioactive properties; remaining physically radioactive in human bodies for a lifetime- in cases causing extreme illness/death

# Specialized Concern

#### **Cause for Worry**

- Born & raised in BWXT "impact zone" (myself & loved ones still live here)
- Neighbours & children at my **elementary school** may be subjected to extreme danger

#### **My Perspective**

- A youth bringing advocacy experience to *passionate activism*E.G helped lead the 2019 Student Climate Strike, GreenUp's Depave Paradise initiative, Save Catchacomba Old-Growth Forest, Stop Tech Frontier in collaboration w/ LeadNow, experience from being on environmental council etc.
- YLS graduate from Trent University's "Youth Leadership in Sustainability"
- Environmental SHSM student intending to pursue legal environmental studies
- Peterborough Downtown Plastic Abatement project & CARN member (separately)

### Thank You for Your Consideration

I hope all of the discourse that has taken place here today is <u>thoroughly considered</u> in ensuring the future of a <u>safe</u>, <u>sustainable</u> Peterborough.