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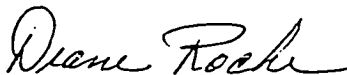
Dear Mr. Haskell,

At a recent meeting of the Old North St. Louis Restoration Group we learned of the effort being made to clean up the radioactive contamination at the Mallinckrodt Site. Because of our interest in ecology we were encouraged to know that the Corps of Engineers was looking at this dangerous piece of property located so close to our neighborhood and trying to come up with some solutions.


However, of the six Alternatives listed on the Proposed Plan, only Alternative 5 offers any real or permanent protection to the people who live nearby. To do anything short of complete excavation with off-site disposal makes no real sense.

We would like to encourage you therefore, to do chose Alternative 5 which would remove at least one of the many environmental health risks in this section of St. Louis.

Sincerely,



Sr. Diane Roche, rscj



Pastor Marge Swacker, UCC