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Subject: Re: Opposition to RFP for Uranium Mineral Exploration in Millet Brook
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On May 28, 2025, at 2:13 AM, Barry Spearns wrote:

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Attention: Premier Tim Houston, Resource Minister Tory Rushton, Hants West MLA Melissa Sheehy-Richard and Mayor Abraham Zebian

I am writing to express my concern about the Request for Proposal issued by the Province for Uranium Mineral Exploration in Millet Brook. I am a long time resident of Nova Scotia and a new property owner in West Hants where our family has recently built a new home on Falls Lake, which Millett Brook flows into. Our home uses well water.

I am concerned about the environmental impacts that uranium mining would pose on the surrounding area and the impacts this would have on my family's health and the enjoyment of our property. There are many other families living in the area in a similar boat, and many other Nova Scotians that enjoy the Falls Lake Provincial park for recreational purposes.

As I am sure you are well aware, uranium is a valuable mineral for a reason. Uranium mining has proven significant negative impacts on its surrounding environment and the health of its residents. I am concerned about uranium exploration anywhere in our province, but if uranium exploration is part of this government's plan it's reasonable to expect that it should only be considered for unpopulated areas where it may have less direct impact on Nova Scotians.

I am opposed to uranium mining in our community and will be joining other Nova Scotians that are also opposed to this government's decision to lift the uranium ban with the intent to tender exploration licences for Millet Brook by July 11.

Please reconsider your plan to make it happen for uranium exploration at Millet Brook. Common sense dictates that uranium mining should not be conducted near communities.

Very Concerned Nova Scotian,
Barry Spearns