

## WEST VALLEY CITIZEN TASK FORCE

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November 14, 2005

Honorable George E. Pataki Governor, State of New York Executive Chamber State Capitol Albany, New York 12224

Re: West Valley Demonstration Project Budget

Dear Governor Pataki:

The members of the West Valley Citizen Task Force received a copy of your October 21, 2005 letter to Samuel W. Bodman, Secretary of the U.S. Department of Energy, requesting that \$95 million be placed in the FY'07 budget to continue the cleanup of the West Valley Demonstration Project (WVDP) site. We commend you for this action and could not agree more with your reasons.

Knowing that expressions of gratitude are not given often enough, we thank you for supporting the WVDP cleanup budget and the personal support you have given to this project on behalf of the West Valley Citizen Task Force.

Sincerely.

William T. King

On Behalf of the West Valley Citizen Task Force

cc:

U.S. Senator Charles Schumer

U.S. Senator Hillary Clinton

U.S. Representative John Kuhl, Jr.

U.S. Representative Thomas Reynolds

U.S. Representative Brian Higgins

U.S. Representative Louise Slaughter

NYS Senator Catharine Young

NYS Assemblyman Joseph Giglio

Peter Smith (NYSERDA President)

Paul Piciulo, Ph.D. (NYSERDA - Director/West Valley Site Management Program)

Hal Brodie (NYSERDA - Deputy Counsel)

Samuel Bodman (U.S. DOE - Secretary)

Robert Warther (U.S. DOE - Director/Ohio Field Office)

John Swailes (U.S. DOE - Director/West Valley Office)

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