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**Subject:** Disposition of Railcars

Paula Call,

I urge you and DOE to select Alternative 3 relative to the disposition of the Hanford Railcars. One of the railcars and the locomotive should be preserved and parked near B Reactor.

Preservation of the history of the Manhattan project here at Hanford is and will be accomplished through the displays and artifacts at the B Reactor. That history would not be complete without the description the all important equipment of the Hanford rail system. . One of the railcars and the locomotive would be a precious element in the preservation of that history.

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