The Evacuation

Main Research Question:

*Do you agree with Mikhail Gorbachev? Could the realities of the Chernobyl nuclear disaster have contributed to the collapse of the Soviet Union?*

What were the citizens told?

**Source 1:**

**Source 2:**

**Source 3:**

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Return of the Real: Truths, History, & Chernobyl
What did the CIA report?

Are there any differences between what the citizens were told verses what the CIA reported?

Why could these differences exist?