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Subject: Insights on nuclear disasters from those in charge



The Fukushima Nuclear Accident

Lessons for California from then Prime Minister Kan and other distinguished speakers.

Concerned citizens of Southern California are honored to announce that the former Prime Minister of Japan, Naoto Kan, will be their guest on June 4th to share his perspectives on nuclear safety and the future of sustainable alternatives. Kan was prime minister in March 2011 when an earthquake and tsunami triggered the catastrophe at the Fukushima-daiichi nuclear plant. He was confronted by three reactor meltdowns and a nuclear crisis that persists to this day. Other distinguished speakers will include top names in the industry.

Date: Tuesday, June 4, 2013

Location: [Map](#)

Chambers of the County Board of Supervisors,

1600 Pacific Highway,

San Diego, CA, 3rd Floor

Time: Doors open at 8:00 AM (come early for parking)

Webcast begins at 8:30 AM (PDT)

Q&A will be taken at the end of the event for as long as time permits.

Please join and promote our [Facebook event](#)

Speaker Bios:



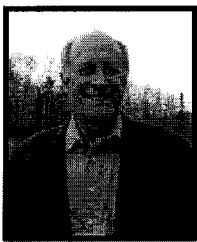
Naoto Kan, Former Prime Minister of Japan

In 2011, Mr. Kan was Japan's Prime Minister during the Fukushima nuclear disaster. At one point Japan faced a situation where there was a chance that people might not be able to live in the capital zone including Tokyo and would have to evacuate. Mr. Kan declared the need for Japan to end its reliance on atomic power and promote renewable sources of energy, such as solar that have long taken a back seat in the resource-poor country's energy mix. Mr. Kan resigned as Prime Minister in August 2011 and now serves the Democratic Party of Japan to garner support for alternative energy policies.



Gregory Jaczko, Former Chairman of the Nuclear Regulatory Commission

Mr. Jaczko was first sworn in as a Commissioner of the U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission (NRC) on January 21, 2005. On May 13, 2009, President Obama designated him the organization's Chairman. During the Fukushima crisis, Chairman Jaczko recommended that Americans evacuate 50 miles outside Fukushima. On February 9, 2012 Mr. Jaczko cast the lone dissenting vote on plans to build the first new nuclear power plant in more than 30 years when the NRC voted 4-1 to allow Atlanta-based Southern Co. to build and operate two new nuclear power reactors at its existing Vogtle nuclear power plant in Georgia. He cited safety concerns stemming from Japan's 2011 Fukushima nuclear disaster, stating, "I cannot support issuing this license as if Fukushima never happened." His pro-safety stance caused much friction with the other commissioners, resulting in his departure from the NRC. He has since been appointed to a post on a Congressional panel overseeing the National Nuclear Security Administration.



Peter A. Bradford, former member of the NRC

Mr. Bradford was a member of the United States Nuclear Regulatory Commission during the Three Mile Island accident. He was also the former chair of the New York and Maine utility regulatory commissions, Peter Bradford has taught at the Yale School of Forestry and Environmental Studies and currently is an Adjunct Professor at Vermont Law School teaching "Nuclear Power and Public Policy". A member of the China Sustainable Energy Policy Council, he served on a recent panel evaluating the reliability of the Vermont Yankee nuclear power plant, on the European Bank for Reconstruction and Development Panel advising how best to replace the remaining Chernobyl nuclear plants in Ukraine, a panel on the opening of the Mochovce nuclear power plant in Slovakia, and the Keystone Center collaborative on nuclear power and climate change. He is the author of

"Fragile Structures: A Story of Oil Refineries, National Securities and the Coast of Maine" and many articles. He is a graduate of Yale University and the Yale Law School and is Vice Chair of the board of The Union of Concerned Scientists.



Arnie Gundersen, Chief Engineer, Fairewinds Associates

Arnold "Arnie" Gundersen is chief engineer of energy consulting company, Fairewinds Associates. Arnie Gundersen has 40-years of nuclear power engineering experience. He attended Rensselaer Polytechnic Institute (RPI) where he earned his Bachelor Degree cum laude while also becoming the recipient of a prestigious Atomic Energy Commission Fellowship for his Masters Degree in nuclear engineering. Arnie holds a nuclear safety patent, was a licensed reactor operator, and is a former nuclear industry senior vice president. During his nuclear power industry career, Arnie also managed and coordinated projects at 70-nuclear power plants in the US.

Recent San Onofre News:



Southern California Edison Playing Hide-And-Seek With Public And Regulators

Forbes 6/1/2013

Both Edison and Mitsubishi Heavy knew before the actual leaks that

vibrations could be "disastrous." Sen. Boxer wants Justice Dept probe on troubled San Onofre nuclear plant

DONATIONS

Please continue to help as we intensify our campaign. We are not holding back our efforts in the least. In fact we are doubling them now, knowing that this debate is actually far from over. We have special events, advertising and activities planned to raise awareness on this critical issue. You can use PayPal or send a check (not deductible) to:

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San Clemente, CA 92673.

Thank you!



SPECIAL ANNOUNCEMENT

Petition to Keep San Onofre Shut Down now exceeds our goal of 5000 signatures. A poll in the Union Tribune asking "Should Edison Shut Down San Onofre" has more than 1000 more YES votes than NO. Both are still open and need your participation and promotion. [Please go to this link.](#)

Thank you!

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From: Capt.D <captddd@gmail.com>
Sent: Monday, June 03, 2013 11:31 AM
To: Capt D
Subject: Fwd: FMR JAPANESE PM & EX-HEAD OF U.S. NRC TO DISCUSS FUKUSHIMA'S LESSONS FOR SOCAL June 4th, San Diego

FYI

Tomorrow in San Diego, CA, starting at 8:30 a.m. PDT!

Best

Don aka CaptD

From: Radiation Bulletin <radbull@energy-net.org>
Subject: [Radbull] Major event on June 4th - will be online

... June 4, 2013 San Diego/National/Japan News Advisory ...

FORMER JAPANESE PRIME MINISTER AND EX-HEAD OF U.S. NUCLEAR REGULATORY COMMISSION TO DISCUSS FUKUSHIMA'S LESSONS FOR SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA

***** Webcast and Audio Feed Available to Media Outside of San Diego *****

Against Backdrop of Debate About Fate of Troubled San Onofre Reactor, Two Public Officials Who Led During Time of Japanese Reactor Crisis Appearing Together.

SAN DIEGO, CA.///News Advisory///Two public figures who led the response in Japan and the United States to the Fukushima reactor crisis will appear together Tuesday for the first time to outline the lessons of Fukushima for Southern California, which now awaits the decision on whether or not the crippled San Onofre reactors near San Diego will be restarted.

Former Japanese Prime Minister Naoto Kan will discuss his concerns about the inherent dangers posed by nuclear reactors. He will be joined by former U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission Chair Gregory Jaczko, who has emerged as a leading critic of safety at U.S. nuclear power plants.

The event will be available live both to reporters in San Diego and via phone feed and Webcast to members of the news media elsewhere in the U.S.

News event speakers will be:

- The Honorable Naoto Kan, former Prime Minister of Japan from June 2010 to August 2011;
- Gregory Jaczko, former chair of the U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission from May 2009 to July 2012;
- Peter A. Bradford, adjunct professor at the Vermont Law School, a former member of the U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission (NRC), and a former utility commission chair in New York and Maine;
- Arnold "Arnie" Gundersen, chief engineer of the energy consulting company Fairewinds Associates, and a former nuclear power industry executive; and
- Dave Roberts, County Board of Supervisors, San Diego.

FOR REPORTERS OUTSIDE OF SAN DIEGO: A live Webcast from this news event will be available to reporters outside of San Diego, CA., starting at 8:30 a.m. PDT/11:30 a.m. EDT on June 4, 2013, at <http://av4b.com/live/>

FOR REPORTERS IN SAN DIEGO: Members of the media in the San Diego area are invited to attend the seminar starting at 8:30 a.m. PDT on June 4, 2013, at the Chambers of the San Diego County Board of Supervisors, 3rd Floor, 1600 Pacific Highway, San Diego. (MAP)

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