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NRC Names New Senior Resident Inspector at the Grand Gulf Nuclear Power Plant



The U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission has selected Matt Young as the new Senior Resident Inspector at the Grand Gulf nuclear power plant, located in Port Gibson, Miss.

“Matt Young’s technical experience and regulatory perspective will assist the NRC in carrying out its mission of protecting people and the environment and ensuring the safe operation of Grand Gulf,” said NRC Region IV Administrator Marc Dapas.

Young joined the NRC’s Region IV office in Arlington, Texas, in 2006. He graduated from the agency’s Nuclear Safety Professional Development Program. Young has also worked as a reactor inspector in the Division of Reactor Safety, performing engineering inspections. He holds bachelor degrees in mechanical and nuclear engineering, and a master’s degree in nuclear engineering from Pennsylvania State University. For the past 20 months he has served as a Resident Inspector at the Arkansas Nuclear One plant in Russellville, Ark.

Each U.S. commercial nuclear power plant has at least two Resident Inspectors. Young joins Resident Inspector Neil Day. They serve as the agency’s eyes and ears at the facility, conducting inspections and monitoring significant work projects.

The Grand Gulf Resident Inspectors can be reached at 601-437-4620.