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The Honorable Stephen G. Burns
Chairman
U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission
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Dear Chairman Burns:

I am writing to request an expert from the Nuclear Regulatory Commission participate in a Diablo Canyon Seismic Safety Town Hall sponsored by Congresswoman Lois Capps and California State Senator Bill Monning on Friday, September 25, 2015, from 3:30 to 6:30 p.m. at Cuesta College in Room 5401, located at California State Route 1 in San Luis Obispo, California.

The purpose of the Town Hall is for local elected officials and the public to receive updates from a panel of representatives from the NRC, Pacific Gas and Electric, the California Public Utility Commission and the Independent Peer Review Panel about seismic safety issues at Diablo Canyon.

Each panelist will get 10-15 minutes to make a presentation and allow for a brief question period upon the conclusion of the presentation from elected officials and selected questions from the audience. Please focus your remarks on the seismic safety issues at Diablo Canyon, potential threats from neighboring fault lines and programs utilized to maintain the power plant's infrastructure in the event of a large earthquake.

Following the panel presentations and question and answer period, the panelists will be excused and Sen. Monning will conduct a Town Hall meeting.

If you have any questions, please feel free to contact Greg Haas in my San Luis Obispo office at (805) 546-8348 (greg.haas@mail.house.gov).

Thank you for your consideration of this request.

Sincerely,

LOIS CAPPS
Member of Congress