

# BWRVIP

BWR Vessel &  
Internals Project

Issue Management and Resolution

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Washington, DC 20555

Attention: Brian Sheron

Subject: BWR Utility Commitments to the BWRVIP

The purpose of this letter is to reaffirm the BWR utility commitments to the goals, objectives and products of the BWR Vessel and Internals Project (BWRVIP).

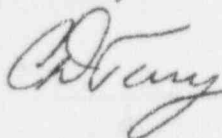
All 21 U. S. BWR/2-6 utilities identified in Attachment 1 have been active members of the BWRVIP since its inception in 1994. The BWRVIP utility members are proud of the record and successes achieved by the BWRVIP and we will continue to complete the activities of the BWRVIP with dispatch. Based on a poll of the BWRVIP Executive Committee members, the U. S. BWRVIP utility members unanimously concur with the following renewed commitments:

1. we will continue to provide financial and technical resources needed to complete the BWRVIP Program Plan,
2. we will actively participate in completing the BWRVIP Program Plan,
3. we will implement the BWRVIP products at each of our plants as appropriate considering individual plant schedules, configurations and needs,
4. if a plant does not implement the applicable BWRVIP products, the plant will provide timely notification to the NRC staff, and
5. we will continue to work closely with the NRC staff to the successful and timely conclusion of the BWRVIP Program Plan.

The BWRVIP remains on schedule to provide the BWRVIP products to the NRC staff and we look forward to prompt NRC review and acceptance of these products.

Please feel free to contact me if you have any questions on this subject.

Sincerely,



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