

PUBLIC MEETING ANNOUNCEMENT

Title: Notice of Meeting to Gather Insights on Lessons Learned from Construction Oversight at Vogtle and Summer

Date(s) and Time(s): November 15, 2022, 09:00 AM to 11:00 AM ET

Location: Teleconference

Category: This is a Comment-Gathering Meeting. The purpose of this meeting is for NRC staff to meet directly with individuals to receive comments from participants on specific NRC decisions and actions to ensure that NRC staff understands their views and concerns.

Purpose: The purpose of this meeting is to gather insights from external stakeholders on lessons learned from construction oversight of Vogtle and Summer. The meeting will include an introduction by NRC to provide background and discuss potential focus areas. During the meeting, NRC staff will engage directly with participants to solicit feedback on best practices and areas for improvement.

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Comments: The purpose of this meeting is for NRC staff to meet directly with individuals to receive comments on construction oversight of Vogtle and Summer to identify best practices and areas for improvement in NRC programs and policies. In August 2021, staff announced the start of the initiative and presented the schedule for collecting stakeholder comments and providing a public report summarizing the results. Staff looks to collect feedback in the general areas listed on the agenda.

The staff will use these comments to inform a summary report on lessons learned from construction oversight. Participants may submit written comments prior to the meeting or provide verbal comments during the meeting.

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<i>Time</i>	<i>Topic</i>	<i>Speaker</i>
9:00 am	Introductions	NRC
9:05 am	NRC Staff Opening Remarks Regarding Lessons Learned Initiative	NRC
9:15 am	Public Comments	Public
11:00 am	Adjourn	

The NRC staff looks to collect feedback in the following areas:

1. What regulatory submittals, such as the inspections, tests, analyses, and acceptance criteria (ITAAC) completion schedule required by 52.99(a), could be removed because of regular NRC-Licensee interactions and meetings?
2. How could the license amendment process be optimized to accommodate the faster construction schedules of small modular reactors (SMRs), and avoid delays if the average amendment review time is 6 months? An SMR's 52.103g might be delayed if a license amendment request (LAR) is required for ITAAC-related issues but has low safety significance.
3. What would be the most helpful data for posting on our public website to communicate hours spent by the NRC?
4. With SMRs and advanced reactors now on the horizon, how can the NRC make it easier for the licensees to navigate a first-time licensing process and better accommodate challenges that a first licensee might encounter?
5. How can the number of ITAAC in a combined license (COL) and their scopes be optimized for a given design?
6. How can the Significance Determination Process, licensee-identified findings, and the low-safety-significance-issue resolution (LSSIR) better accommodate future construction and manufacturing?
7. What would the inspection program look like for new vendors of SMRs and advanced reactors, when the onsite construction period is minimal compared to the manufacturing times at a vendor location?

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