July 30, 2020

NOTICE OF PUBLIC MEETING

Licensee: Entergy Nuclear Operations, Inc.

Facility: Palisades Nuclear Plant

Docket No.: 50-255

Date/Time: Thursday, August 13, 2020
5:30 – 7:00 p.m. EDT (4:30 – 6:00 p.m. CDT)

Location: Webinar (advance registration required)

Purpose: The NRC staff will host a webinar to present the NRC’s assessment of safety performance at the Palisades Nuclear Plant for 2019, as described in the 2019 annual assessment letter. Following the presentation, the NRC will respond to questions specific to the safety performance of the plants and the NRC’s role in ensuring safe plant operations.

NRC Attendees: A. Nguyen, Acting Chief, Division of Reactor Projects (DRP), Branch 2
P. LaFlamme, Senior Resident Inspector, Palisades Nuclear Plant
C. St. Peters, Resident Inspector, Palisades Nuclear Plant
R. Ruiz, Project Engineer
A. Barker, Regional Government Liaison Officer
H. Logaras, Regional Government Liaison Specialist
V. Mitlyng, Senior Public Affairs Officer
P. Chandrathil, Public Affairs Officer

Public Participation: This is a Category 3 Meeting. The webinar will begin with a presentation by NRC staff on the NRC’s assessment of performance for the site during 2019. Following the presentation, members of the public will have the opportunity to ask questions specific to the safety performance and the NRC’s role in ensuring safe plant operations. The NRC staff will provide guidance during the webinar on the methods available to ask a question. Alternatively, questions may be submitted in advance to April.Nguyen@nrc.gov.
Interested members of the public must register at the website address below to see the visual portion of the presentation. In addition, interested members of the public must call in via telephone at 800-369-3153 and enter passcode 8409690 in order to listen to the presentation because the video application will have no sound. After registering, a confirmation email will be sent with details for joining the webinar, and the telephone number and passcode for the audio portion. This is a virtual public meeting where participants will be able to see the presentation on a computer screen and listen to the presenters through their phone. There is also the option to join via phone only by calling in to the number provided in the registration confirmation.

In order to participate, please register for the webinar no later than one business day prior to the August 13, 2020, meeting at: https://usnrc.webex.com/usnrc/onstage/g.php?MTID=e5fc172c3c9fe44dd83b17004da678aa

System Requirements for Attendees for the webinar:

If you have any questions or should need assistance concerning registration for the meeting, please call or email the meeting contact.

Meeting Contact: April Nguyen, Acting Chief Branch 2 Phone: (630) 829-9587 E-mail: April.Nguyen@nrc.gov

The NRC’s annual assessment letters regarding each site’s performance during 2019 (2019q4) can be found at: https://www.nrc.gov/reactors/operating/oversight/listofasmrpt.html. Additional information related to the NRC’s annual assessment process and the safety performance of each site can be found on the NRC’s website at: https://www.nrc.gov/reactors/operating/oversight.html.


The NRC provides reasonable accommodation to individuals with disabilities where appropriate. If you need a reasonable accommodation to participate in this webinar or need the meeting notice or other information from the meeting in another format (e.g., Braille, large print), please notify the NRC’s meeting contact. Determinations on requests will be made on a case-by-case basis. Persons requiring assistance to attend the webinar shall make their requests known to the NRC meeting contact no later than two business days prior to the August 13, 2020, meeting.
Meetings are sometimes canceled or rescheduled as a result of unforeseen circumstances. Please confirm the meeting schedule on the NRC website (www.NRC.gov) under public meetings.

Approved By: /RA/
April Nguyen, Acting Chief
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