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#### Written submission from Community Living Kincardine & District

#### Mémoire de Community Living Kincardine & District

In the Matter of

À l'égard de

Bruce Power Inc. – Bruce A and B Nuclear Generating Station

Request for a ten-year renewal of its Nuclear Power Reactor Operating Licence for the Bruce A and B Nuclear Generating Station Bruce Power Inc. - Centrale nucléaire de Bruce A et Bruce B

Demande de renouvellement, pour une période de dix ans, de son permis d'exploitation d'un réacteur nucléaire de puissance à la centrale nucléaire de Bruce A et Bruce B

**Commission Public Hearing – Part 2** 

Audience publique de la Commission – Partie 2

May 28-31, 2018

28-31 mai 2018



#### March 6, 2018

On behalf of Community Living Kincardine & District, I am writing to support Bruce Power's license renewal application to the Canadian Nuclear Safety Commission. As a local non-profit organization that has been providing services and supports to individuals with disabilities and their families since 1963, we acknowledge and celebrate Bruce Power's commitment to improving the quality of life for all citizens in Kincardine and the surrounding communities.

Bruce Power is a leader in social responsibility, reaching out to organization such as Community Living Kincardine & District to address local needs and priorities. Through the Community Investment and Sponsorship Program, Bruce Power has created numerous partnerships with organizations in our area and has become a positive and active corporate citizen with a proven track record of meaningful engagement and action.

Bruce Power generously gives back to our community, contributing financially as well as with talent and human resources to non-profit organizations, cultural events and community initiatives. Both the organization itself and its employees have invested strongly in our community, demonstrating their commitment to ensuring that our region continues to be vibrant and prosperous, with opportunities for all citizens, including those with disabilities.

CLKD is pleased to offer our support to Bruce Power's application for a 10-Year License Renewal and is confident in both Bruce Power's commitment to safety and the CNSC's robust review process. CLKD commends Bruce Power on their efforts to ensure clean, safe and affordable energy, now and in the future.

Sincerely,

Andy Swan, Executive Director Community Living Kincardine & District



## COMMUNITY LIVING

SUPPORTING BRUCE POWER'S 10 YEAR LICENSE RENEWAL APPLICATION TO THE CNSC

## **CLKD** Overview

 local charitable organization that provides person-centred services to individuals with developmental disabilities, supporting them to explore and achieve their personal goals, dreams and ambitions.

### Our Relationship with Bruce Power

- Bruce Power has been a major partner of CLKD for many years
- key contributor and supporter of the 2013 'Inspiring Possibilities' Capital Campaign to build a new supported housing residence for individuals with disabilities









#### **Social Responsibility**

- Bruce Power injects significant resources into local community groups to support health, youth development, indigenous programs and supports for individuals with disabilities
- active corporate citizen, reaching out to organizations to address local needs, priorities and issues. Bruce Power donates millions of dollars a year through their Community Investment and Sponsorship Program
- Core value is also reflected in the number of employees and business partners that contribute their time, talent, knowledge and funds to local organizations
- A 10 Year License and the ability to undertake the Life-Extension Program will result in Bruce Power continuing to build on their legacy of making positive differences in our communities

## Building a Safe and Inclusive Community

- CLKD is committed to building a community where all individuals are welcomed, valued and safe
- Bruce Power shares this goal and has actively supported events and programs that promote diversity, build understanding and create opportunities for individuals of all abilities to have safe places to play, learn and live
- Bruce Power's investment in the local community helps to create new, inclusive opportunities so that individuals of all abilities can explore their passions, discover their talents and express themselves







## Positive Impact on the local Economy

- The application for a 10 Year License Renewal will pave the way for Bruce Power to proceed with their Life-Extension Program
- This program is expected to positively impact the local economy, creating both direct and indirect jobs and attracting new residents to our community
- A growing local economy has benefits for many people in our community, including individuals with developmental disabilities. An increase in local jobs and more diverse local employers will create more opportunities for individuals of all abilities to obtain employment and become more financially stable



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