



Oral Presentation

Submission from the Saugeen Valley Conservation Authority

In the Matter of

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

Commission Public Hearing – Part 2

May 28-31, 2018

Exposé oral

Mémoire de Saugeen Valley Conservation Authority

À l'égard de

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

Audience publique de la Commission – Partie 2

28-31 mai 2018



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Canadian Nuclear Safety Commission

March 22, 2018

Re: Bruce Power Application to renew the reactor operating licence for the Bruce Nuclear Generating Stations A and B, reference 2018-H-02

Dear Commission Members,

Please consider this communication as a letter of support for Bruce Power as part of its application for renewing its power reactor operating licence. We understand that Part 2 of the Hearing process is scheduled to take place in May of this year.

Saugeen Conservation is a corporate body established in 1950 under the Conservation Authorities Act of Ontario to manage renewable natural resources on a watershed scale in partnership with our 15 member municipalities, the Province of Ontario and our watershed residents. We collaborate with numerous organizations in furthering the work of conservation across our vast watershed which covers 4,675 sq. km (1,805 sq. miles). Stewardship initiatives remain an important part of what we do as they constitute the “on the ground” programs and services for which we are known.

Bruce Power has been a strong supporter of Saugeen Conservation with respect to numerous stewardship and conservation education initiatives including:

- Stewardship work in the Penetangore River watershed including native vegetation planting at a storm water pond in Kincardine.
- Support for the Bruce Grey Forest Festival where 900 grade 7 students learn hands on about the valuable natural features of forests.
- Funding for the purchase and monitoring of 138 traps to identify the penetration and movement of the destructive Emerald Ash Borer insect.
- Full program and bussing funding annually to allow students from 64 schools to attend our DEER Program (Discover Energized Environmental Resources) which provides hands on conservation education.
- Significant financial support to the annual Grey Bruce Water Festival that provides interactive education to 2,000 grade 4 students.
- Experiential Site education in the Pine River watershed.
- Tree planting in the Greenock Swamp.
- Funding to support removal of the Lockerby dam resulting in improved fish habitat and migration
- Aquatic habitat and stream restoration funding
- Surface water monitoring on Bruce Power’s site



Watershed Member Municipalities

Municipality of Arran-Elderslie, Municipality of Brockton, Township of Chatsworth, Municipality of Grey Highlands, Town of Hanover, Township of Howick, Municipality of Morris-Turnberry, Municipality of South Bruce, Township of Huron-Kinloss, Municipality of Kincardine, Town of Minto, Township of Wellington North, Town of Saugeen Shores, Township of Southgate, Municipality of West Grey

Bruce Powers concern for the local fish population is well known and appreciated by Saugeen Conservation staff. Bruce Power is a good steward of its own property as witnessed by tree planting, wetland management, surface water quality monitoring and animal habitat improvements. In addition, Bruce power contributes to events that improve the wellness and happiness of local residents.

Saugeen Conservation recognizes the importance of clean carbon free energy produced by Bruce Power with respect to the positive impact it has on climate change and the natural environment relative to some other power sources.

Saugeen Conservation very much appreciates its relationship with Bruce Power and the important support we receive for our numerous programs and initiatives. The Bruce Power staff that we interact with have a true devotion to enhancing the local environment.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Wayne Brohman". The signature is fluid and cursive, with a long horizontal stroke at the end.

Wayne Brohman
General Manager / Secretary - Treasurer
Saugeen Conservation