



**Written submission from the  
Huron Shores Hospice**

**Mémoire de  
Huron Shores Hospice**

In the Matter of

À l'égard de

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

---

**Bruce Power Inc. - Centrale nucléaire de  
Bruce A et Bruce B**

---

Request for a ten-year renewal of its Nuclear  
Power Reactor Operating Licence for the  
Bruce A and B Nuclear Generating Station

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**





# Huron Shores Hospice

March 5, 2018

To: The Canadian Nuclear Safety Commission  
From: Huron Shores Hospice Board of Directors  
Re: Bruce Power application for a 10 year licence renewal.

To whom it may concern,

Huron Shores Hospice is a registered charitable organization whose mandate is to develop residential hospice services in south Bruce County and to champion the integration of hospice care services across the region. The organization is governed by a board of fifteen directors who are local residents and community leaders. Since the start of our "Hearts for Hospice" fundraising campaign in May 2017, our volunteer fundraising efforts have raised in excess of \$310,000 for this important cause.

Our vision, since our beginning in 2012, has been to empower individuals to live well during their end-of-life journey by providing compassionate, dignified and holistic care in a comfortable home-like setting, and to support family members and friends through the difficult time. We believe an integrated system of care delivered by an interdisciplinary team of health and social service professionals, aided by trained and committed volunteers, will provide residents of south Bruce County with the best end-of-life health care options.

The core values that guide our decisions and actions are compassion, dignity, collaboration, accountability, excellence, and respect for diversity.



Our initial goal, now effectively accomplished, is to open a one-bed residential hospice suite at the Tiverton Park Manor in April of this year. One bed will never be sufficient for our needs in south Bruce County, but having this service will provide our community with the opportunity to build expertise in hospice care, build community awareness of what hospice care is all about, and take pressure off families who are struggling with end-of-life issues.

Phase II of our planning is now underway to open a second suite at the Tiverton Park Manor location. Eventually, we expect to open a stand-alone, three-bed residential hospice in the Municipality of Kincardine, once provincial funding and approvals are available.

We understand that, as the region's largest employer, Bruce Power is a large part of the economic engine that supports most of the area's population. One of their core values focuses on social responsibility and being a good corporate citizen, committing itself to building strong roots in our communities. We have first-hand knowledge of the many ways in which the organization demonstrates its strong interest in the well-being of our residents.

Many of the Bruce Power staff have contributed personally to our special fundraising events during the past year, enthusiastically participating in the "Hike for Hospice" in May 2017 and our very successful "Handbags for Hospice" gala fundraiser last September. Since inception, Huron Shores Hospice has received contributions and support from Bruce Power's Power Workers Union and Society of Professional Engineers; each contributed sizeable grants to our cause.

From our beginning, Bruce Power has been an enthusiastic partner in our development. We have received a two-year grant of \$75,000 from the organization's "Community Investment and Sponsorship Programme" (CISP) that has been critical to our success.

We truly believe that the corporate support from Bruce Power is helping us all to improve the quality of health and life for residents in our communities. The long standing commitment of all employed directly or indirectly in the management and or



the operation of this nuclear site to ensure the strict adherence of all regulations and standards required by all levels of government and agencies is to be commended.

As the community greatly benefits from the employment Bruce Power provides and the resulting support to the many organizations that are the caretakers of health and well being of all ages the Board of Directors and volunteers of Huron Shores Hospice enthusiastically support Bruce Power's 10-year Licence Renewal application.

On behalf of the Board of Directors,



Peggy Zeppieri

Director, Huron Shores Hospice.