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Mémoire de la municipalité de Kincardine

Regulatory Oversight Report for Canadian Nuclear Power Generating Sites in Canada: 2021 Rapport de surveillance réglementaire des sites de centrales nucléaires au Canada : 2021

Commission Meeting

Réunion de la Commission

November 3, 2022

Le 3 novembre 2022





September 14, 2022

Canadian Nuclear Safety Commission 280 Slater St. P.O. Box 1046, Station B Ottawa, ON K1P 5S9

RE: Bruce Power's Regulatory Oversight Report

Dear Senior Tribunal Officer,

As the Mayor of the Municipality of Kincardine, I am writing to acknowledge Bruce Power for their continuous efforts and commitment to safety, as well as their ongoing support for community wellbeing.

As the host municipality for Bruce Power, we understand and appreciate the strong, independent oversight role the CNSC plays, providing another layer of safety for the nuclear industry and our community. We thank the commission for the opportunity to provide input to this process. We also appreciate that the results of the independent review are available for our residents and for all Canadians to see, which highlights the transparency of the nuclear industry in Canada.

Bruce Power continues to have a strong safety record for operations of the site. This is something that we have come to expect as their dedicated and professional employees are our neighbours and friends.

The company is dedicated to making safety a top priority and works collaboratively with the municipality to enhance emergency preparedness. As one example, in the coming weeks, Bruce Power is enacting a full-scale emergency response drill and working with local municipalities, community organizations, provincial partners and various stakeholders to test our emergency preparedness. It's large undertakings like this that help improve safety and build confidence.

The Municipality and Bruce Power has had a positive and collaborative working relationship since the company was formed in 2001. Bruce Power is the largest employer in our municipality and with the Major Component Replacement (MCR) project has attracted over 30 nuclear suppliers into the community. We're a proud host of Bruce Power, appreciating the quality jobs and economic stimulus the nuclear sector provides in our region.



Bruce Power also invests back in the community. Earlier this year, Bruce Power and the nuclear supply chain provided a \$2 million donation to the Kincardine Hospital Redevelopment Capital Campaign. The company and its employees also donate to many community organizations and events each year. Throughout the covid pandemic, Bruce Power provided leadership and collaboration, working with the local health unit and area municipalities to initiate the 'Hockey Hub' mass immunization clinics, a model that was later commemorated and replicated throughout the Province.

The Municipality of Kincardine continues to have confidence in Bruce Power based on its safety record, openness, and commitment to the surrounding communities. We look forward to continuing our strong relationship with Bruce Power in the years to come.

Sincerely,

Gerry Glover, Mayor

Municipality of Kincardine