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**SAFELY STORE VY**  
— CONTINUE THE LEGACY —

# Nuclear Decommissioning Citizens Advisory Panel (NDCAP)

June 25, 2015

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# Introductions

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# VY Decommissioning Update

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- ▶ **Decommissioning Preparation Activities**
  - System Draining/Lay-Up (50 Systems/15 In Progress/8 Complete)
  - Building Power and Services Removal – Ongoing
- ▶ **Security Plan Changes**
  - Hardening of internal defensive positions
  - Bullet Resistant Enclosure (BRE) modifications
  - Security back-up power supply modifications
  - NRC/Nuclear Security Incident Response (NSIR) on-site review of Phase 1 changes conducted June 16-17, 2015 (5 person team)
- ▶ **Emergency Plan Drill – June 10, 2015**
  - Part of ongoing training and Emergency Response Organization (ERO) qualifications.

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## ▶ Vermont State Agency Interactions

### ◦ Public Service Board (PSB)

- A Status Conference was held before the PSB on April 29, 2015 to discuss Docket No. 8300 seeking a Certificate of Public Good (CPG) authorizing the construction of a 2<sup>nd</sup> ISFSI pad and a new 200 kW diesel generator.
- A Site Visit/Tour of VY and Public Hearing was conducted on June 4, 2015. The Public Hearing held at Vernon Elementary School included comments from six (6) members of the public.
- Response to first set Discovery requests were submitted to the PSB on June 17, 2015.
- The second round of Discovery is scheduled in July of 2015.

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## ▶ Federal Agency Interactions

### ◦ Nuclear Regulatory Commission (NRC)

- On June 17<sup>th</sup>, 2015, the NRC granted Entergy Vermont Yankee (ENVY) an exemption from the NRC's regulations that would allow Vermont Yankee to use the decommissioning trust fund to pay for costs associated with operation of the spent fuel pool and dry fuel storage installation.
  - Similar exemptions have been approved for other decommissioning facilities including San Onofre Nuclear Generating Station, Kewaunee Power Station, Zion Nuclear Power Station and Crystal River Nuclear Power Plant.
- On June 18<sup>th</sup>, 2015, Dan Dorman, NRC Regional Administrator (NRC Region 1) and Joe Nick, Deputy Director, R1 conducted a site visit and were provided an overview of the Decommissioning Project.
- The on-site NRC Resident Inspector will be transitioning to an inspection-based oversight of Vermont Yankee commencing June 26<sup>th</sup>, 2015.

# Open Communication and Transparency

- ▶ Tours for key stakeholders continue
  - Japan Engineers Federation (JEF) Site Visit – June 5, 2015 as part of "Study Mission on Nuclear Decommissioning in USA"



# Open Communication and Transparency (Cont'd)

- ▶ **SAFSTOR Matters – Monthly Cable TV Show**
  - Episode 1 – Decommissioning Overview (April)
  - Episode 2 – Emergency Planning (May)
  - Episode 3 – Dry Fuel Storage (June)



# Open Communication and Transparency (Cont'd)

Vermont Yankee Decommissioning website:

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