

UNITED STATES NUCLEAR REGULATORY COMMISSION

WASHINGTON, D.C. 20555-0001

May 31, 2019

The Honorable Kirsten Gillibrand United States Senate Washington, DC 20510

Dear Senator Gillibrand:

On behalf of the U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission (NRC), I am responding to your letter of April 16, 2019, requesting that the NRC hold a public meeting near the Indian Point Energy Center to help inform the NRC's work on identifying best practices for the establishment and operation of local decommissioning community advisory boards under the Nuclear Energy Innovation and Modernization Act (NEIMA). Over the next several weeks, the NRC staff will evaluate the requests that have been received in response to the NRC's recent *Federal Register* notice, using the direction provided in NEIMA regarding selection of meeting locations. We will consider your request for a meeting near Indian Point Energy Center as we work through the site selection process.

Please feel free to contact me or have your staff contact Eugene Dacus, Director of the Office of Congressional Affairs, at 301-415-1776, if you have questions or need more information.

Sincerely,

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