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## **NRC to Hold Public Meetings May 6 to Discuss Licensing Process for Tennessee Valley Authority Reactor Project**

Staff from the Nuclear Regulatory Commission will hold two public meetings in Oak Ridge, Tennessee, on May 6 to discuss the agency's process for licensing nuclear power plants.

The NRC is expecting a construction permit application from Tennessee Valley Authority to build a BWRX-300 small modular reactor at the Clinch River Nuclear Site. The meetings aim to improve the community's understanding of how the agency reviews such applications and how the community can participate.

The [first meeting](#) will be held from 1-4 p.m. Eastern time, and the [second](#) from 6-9 p.m. Eastern time, at the Pollard Technology Center, 210 Badger Ave. in Oak Ridge. The staff will hold open houses for 30 minutes at the start of each meeting for general discussion of NRC activities. The staff will then discuss the NRC's safety and environmental review processes for a construction permit and take questions from the public.

Information about TVA's Clinch River project is available on the NRC [website](#).