

June 13, 2000

Ann Banash, Chair  
Board of Selectman - Town of Gill  
325 Main Road  
Gill, Massachusetts 01376

Dear Ms. Banash:

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Sincerely,

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Glenn W. Meyer, Chief  
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Randy Phillips  
Board of Selectman - Town of Swanzey  
P.O. Box 1009  
E. Swanzey, New Hampshire 03446

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James Polhemus, Chair  
Board of Selectman  
567 Governor Hunt Road  
Vernon, VT 05354

Dear Mr. Polhemus:

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Richard Cromack, Chair  
Board of Selectman  
P.O. Box 31  
Colrain, MA 01340

Dear Mr. Cromack:

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Board of Selectman - Town of Richmond  
105 Old Homestead Highway  
Richmond, New Hampshire 03470

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James Muckerhide  
Massachusetts Emergency Management Agency  
400 Worcester Road  
Framingham, Massachusetts 01702

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P.O. Box 13  
Hinsdale, NH 03451

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Lewis Sumner, Chair  
Board of Selectman - Town of Halifax  
P.O. Box 45  
West Halifax, VT 05358

Dear Mr. Sumner:

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Richard Taferner, Chair  
Board of Selectman  
Northfield Town Hall  
Northfield, MA 01360

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Board of Selectman - Town of Bernardston  
Town Hall  
Bernardston, Massachusetts 01337

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Board of Selectman  
230 Main Street  
Brattleboro, VT 05301

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Michele Giarusso, Chair  
Board of Selectman - Town of Leyden  
Town Hall  
Leyden, Massachusetts 01301

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Board of Selectman - Town of Greenfield  
Town Hall  
14 Court Square  
Greenfield, Massachusetts 01301

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Radiation Controls Program  
Massachusetts Department of Public Health  
174 Portland Street  
Boston, MA 02114

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Jack Manix, Chair  
Board of Selectman - Town of Dummerston  
1523 Middle Road  
East Dummerston, VT 05346

Dear Mr. Manix:

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Sincerely,

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Frederick Humphrey, Chair  
Board of Selectman - Town of Guilford  
236 School Road  
Guilford, VT 05301

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Board of Selectman - Town of Chesterfield  
P.O. Box 175  
Chesterfield, New Hampshire 03443

Dear Board of Selectman:

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Board of Selectman - Town of Winchester  
14 Curtis Road  
Winchester, New Hampshire 03470

Dear Board of Selectman:

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William Sherman  
Department of Public Service  
112 State Street, Drawer 20  
Montpelier, VT 05620-2601

Dear Mr. Sherman:

I am writing to invite you to attend a public meeting designed to explain to members of the local community the Nuclear Regulatory Commission's (NRC's) Revised Reactor Oversight Program. The NRC staff has recently revised its oversight process, including how it inspects and assesses nuclear plant safety performance. The new process applies more objective, timely, safety-significant criteria in assessing safety performance at nuclear power plants, such as the Vermont Yankee Nuclear Power Plant. We pilot tested this new process at nine sites during a six-month period in 1999. As a result of the pilot test, we made improvements in the process. Initial implementation of the new process began nationwide at more than 100 commercial nuclear power plants in April 2000.

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Woodbury Fogg  
New Hampshire Office of Emergency Management  
State Office Park South  
107 Pleasant Street  
Concord, NH 03301-3809

Dear Mr. Fogg:

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Deborah Katz  
The Citizens Awareness Network  
P.O. Box 83  
Shelbourne Falls, Massachusetts 01370

Dear Ms. Katz:

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The Honorable Charles Bass  
50 Central Square  
Keene, NH 03431

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The Honorable John Olver  
57 Suffolk Street, Suite 310  
Holyoke, MA 01040

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1 Church Street, 2<sup>nd</sup> Floor  
Burlington, VT 05401

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6 Mount Grace Avenue  
Warwick, Massachusetts 01378

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