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DATE OF MEETING

12/11/2002

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Docket Number(s)	50-395
Plant/Facility Name	Virgil C. Summer Nuclear Station
TAC Number(s) (if available)	MB 5227
Reference Meeting Notice	ML023440208
Purpose of Meeting (copy from meeting notice)	To discuss the environmental scoping process for Summer License Renewal Application. To solicit comments from the public that the NRC should include in its review.

NAME OF PERSON WHO ISSUED MEETING NOTICE

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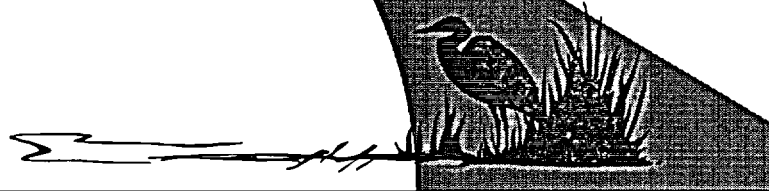
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Environmental Scoping Meeting Virgil C. Summer

Nuclear Regulatory Commission
December 11, 2002



Purpose of Today's Meeting

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- Discuss NRC's license renewal process
 - Describe the environmental review process
 - Identify environmental areas that the staff typically evaluates
 - Provide the review schedule
 - Accept any comments you may have today
 - Describe how to submit comments



Virgil C. Summer License Renewal

- Current operating license expires in 2022
- Application requests authorization to operate unit for an additional 20 years

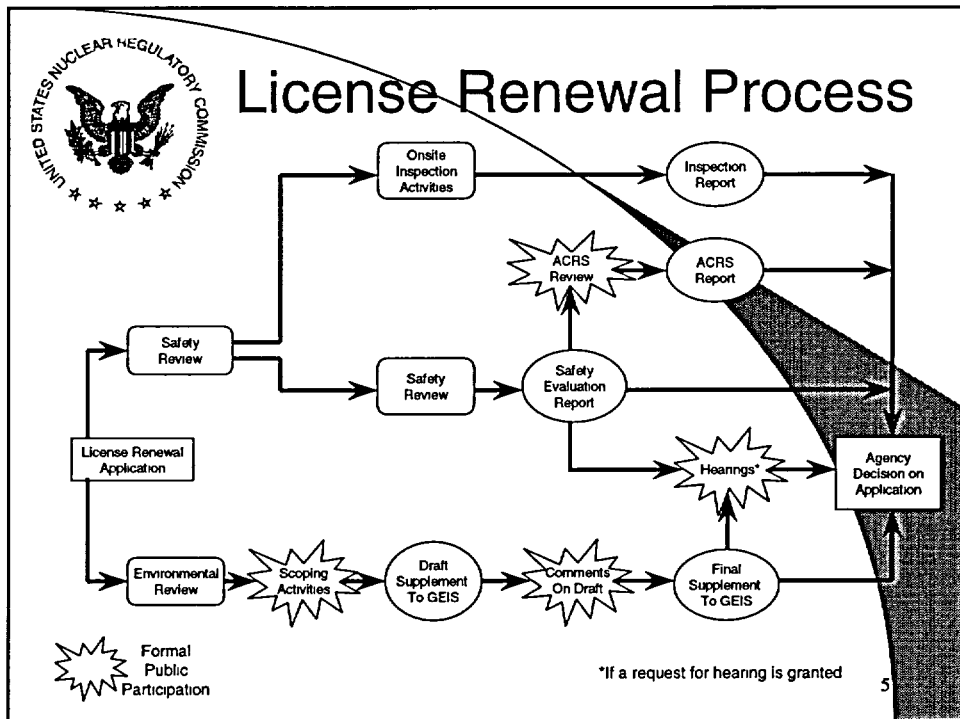
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NRC's License Renewal Review

- Safety review
- Environmental review
- Plant inspections
- Advisory Committee on Reactor Safeguards (ACRS)

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National Environmental Policy Act

United States Nuclear Regulatory Commission

- NEPA requires Federal agencies to use a systematic approach to consider environmental impacts.
- An Environmental Impact Statement (EIS) is required for major Federal actions significantly affecting the quality of the human environment
- Commission has determined that a supplement to the "Generic EIS for License Renewal of Nuclear Plants" will be prepared for a license renewal application.

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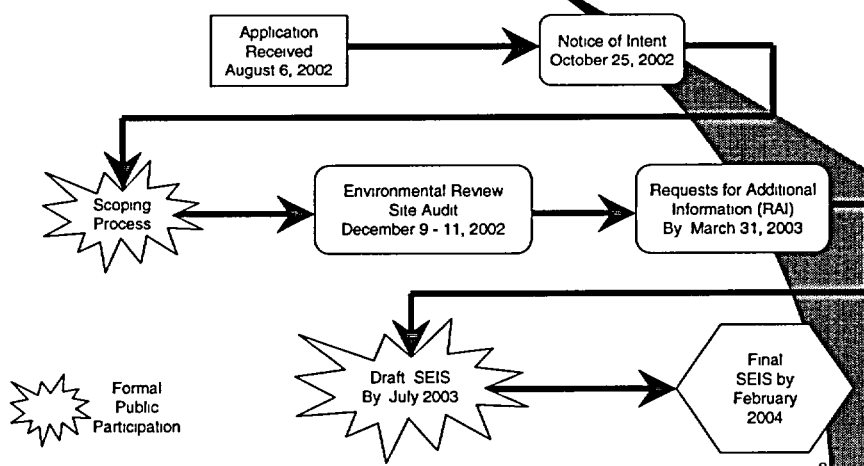


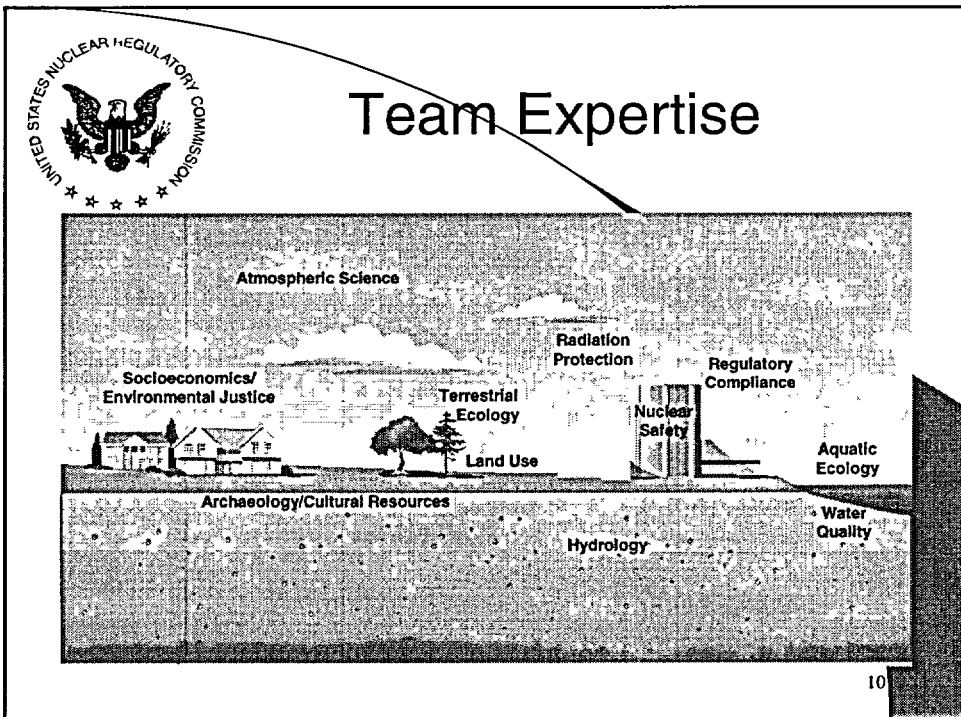
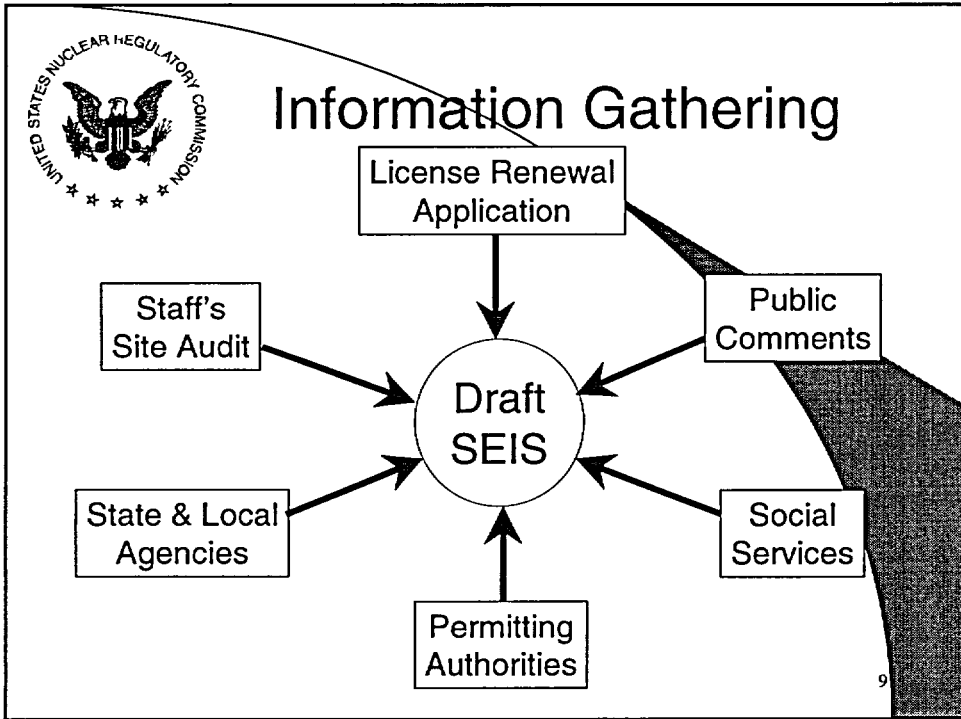
Decision Standard for Environmental Review

To determine whether or not the adverse environmental impacts of license renewal for V.C. Summer are so great that preserving the option of license renewal for energy planning decisionmakers would be unreasonable.



Environmental Review Process for License Renewal







Environmental Review Milestones

- Scoping & Comment period – 10/25/02 to 01/06/03
- Issue draft SEIS – July 2003
- Issue final SEIS – February 2004

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- Documents are located at the Fairfield County
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- Documents can also be viewed at the NRC's
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