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VILLAGE OF IRVINGTON BOARD OF TRUSTEES

RESOLUTION 2004-19

MARCH 15, 2004

**RESOLUTION OPPOSING THE RE-LICENSING OF THE INDIAN POINT NUCLEAR
POWER PLANTS**

Trustee Livingston offered the following resolution, which was seconded by Trustee Milano and adopted:

WHEREAS, Entergy Corp., owner and operator of the Indian Point Nuclear Power Plants, have expressed their intent to apply for, and be granted operating license extensions of 20 years for Indian Point 2 and 3, and

WHEREAS, the Village of Irvington has previously expressed its concern over the continued operation of the nuclear power plants at the Indian Point Energy Center, and is restating its intentions, and

WHEREAS, Indian Point 2 and 3 were licensed 30 years ago, based on NRC regulations promulgated over 30 years ago, and were permitted to operated based on siting regulations that are no longer valid, and if they were to initially apply for a license to operate a nuclear power plant at the Indian Point site today, it would not likely be granted by the NRC under its current standards and regulations. Specifically – NRC's current regulations prohibit the siting of nuclear power plants based on population density considerations, and, in addition, according to the findings of the Witt Report, the evacuation plan presently in place is simply not workable, and

WHEREAS, Taking into consideration the current NRC licensing requirements for a nuclear power plant, Indian Point's aging plants and equipment, the multiple, newer energy options available today, and the constant threat of being a prime target for an act of terrorism, it is the responsibility of this lawmaking body, in the interest of public safety, to call on the Nuclear Regulatory Commission to dismiss future applications and not grant their renewal, now therefore be it

RESOLVED, that the Board of Trustees of the Village of Irvington opposes the re-licensing of Indian Point 2 and Indian Point 3 when their current licenses expire in 2013 and 2015, respectively, and that the NRC prohibit Entergy Corp.'s Indian Point 2 and 3 from being re-licensed, and to make this finding as soon as possible so that all concerned and involved parties can devote their time and resources to finding alternatives to the existing nuclear power plants, and be it further

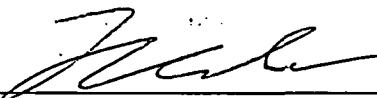
RESOLVED, that the NRC should modify, through its GEIS process, its siting regulations to reflect current considerations including that of terrorism, and be it further

RESOLVED, that the Clerk of the Village of Irvington forward the text of this resolution to the Westchester County's State and Federal Delegation, Nuclear Regulatory commission and Entergy Corp., so that the intent of this Honorable Board be widely known.

The vote resulted as follows:

AYES: 4 (Mayor Flood, Trustees Klassen, Livingston, Milano)
NAYS: NONE

I certify that the above resolution is a true and accurate copy of the Minutes of the meeting of the Board of Trustees of the Village of Irvington.



Lawrence S. Schopfer
Clerk-Treasurer