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Please express my appreciation to Ms. Valerie Dilks for her coordination of the tours. Ms. Dilks' professionalism, conscientiousness and thoroughness ensured that the necessary administrative details were completed timely and efficiently.

As a result of your efforts, staff who participated in the tours have an enhanced understanding of the scope and complexities involved in operating a nuclear power plant safely and securely. Thank you.

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