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September 27, 2005

To: All Local Elected Officials, Westchester County's State and Federal Delegates

Dear Official,

Please be advised that the Town Board of the Town of Rye adopted the attached Resolution on September 20, 2005, in support of the "Opposition to the Re-licensing of Indian Point Nuclear Power Plant".

Your support of this Resolution will be greatly appreciated.

Yours truly,

Frances C. Nugent
Town Clerk

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RESOLUTION

On motion of Councilperson Walter , seconded by Councilperson Lagana, the following Resolution was adopted:

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

WHEREAS, Indian Point 2 and 3 were initially licensed based on Nuclear Regulatory Commission (NRC) regulations promulgated over 30 years ago, and if plant owners were to 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 prohibiting the citing of nuclear power plants based on population density considerations, and

WHEREAS, taking into consideration the current NRC licensing requirements for a nuclear power plant, Indian Point's aging plants and equipment, the multiply, 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 Town Board of the Town of Rye 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 citing regulations to reflect current considerations including that of Terrorism, and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the Town Clerk of the Town of Rye forward the text of this resolution to the Westchester County's State and Federal delegation, to all legislative bodies and elected officials within the 50-mile zone surrounding the Indian Point Nuclear Power Plants, the Nuclear Regulatory Commission and Entergy Corp., so that the intent of this Honorable Board be widely known.

ROLL CALL:

AYES: Councilperson Lagana, Walter, Borrelli and Supervisor Morabito

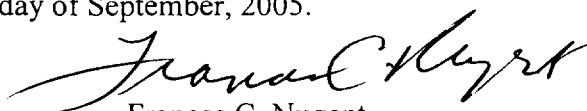
NOES: None

ABSENT: Councilperson Mendicino Daly

STATE OF NEW YORK)
COUNTY OF WESTCHESTER) SS:
TOWN OF RYE)

I, FRANCES C. NUGENT, Town Clerk of the Town of Rye, New York, do hereby certify that I have compared the foregoing copy with the copy of Resolution adopted by the Town Board of the Town of Rye, at a meeting held on September 20, 2005 at which time a quorum was present, and that the same is a true and correct transcript of the whole thereof.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed the corporate seal of the Town of Rye, New York, this 27th day of September, 2005.



Frances C. Nugent,
Town Clerk