

June 14, 2006

Mr. Harry Ruth
Friends of Lake Anna
230 Heather Drive
Bumpass, Virginia 23024

RE: Federal Consistency Certification Review, North Anna Early Site Permit
Application, New Information Review, 2006: Public Comment Period
Extension
DEQ-05-079F

Dear Mr. Ruth:

The Department of Environmental Quality (DEQ) has decided to extend the public comment period for this review from the June 16, 2006 deadline which appeared in the public notices to at least August 31, 2006.

We understand that the Nuclear Regulatory Commission (NRC) may publish its Supplemental Environmental Impact Statement soon, and we are exploring the possibility of holding a joint public hearing or meeting with the NRC. We expect to publish a public notice in a few days; that notice will include determinations on the time, place, and agency responsibilities for the public hearing.

I hope this information is helpful to you.

Sincerely,

Ellie L. Irons
Program Manager
Office of Environmental Impact Review

cc: Michael P. Murphy, DEQ-DEE
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