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Bill,
I spoke with the Pamunkey Indian Chief yesterday and he didn't know anything about the North Anna Unit 3. I was hoping we could make sure a letter was mailed to the tribe. When I mentioned the public meeting he expressed interest in sending a letter in and wanted an address to mail it in. His contact information is:

Kevin Brown, Chief
Kbdobro@aol.com
(804)843-2087

Here is a summary of our conversation, I've sent Mr. Brown an email with this summary to confirm this is what he said. I'm waiting for a reply back. When I receive a response back I will let you know if he had any edits to my summary. I also sent him a link to information about the North Anna Public Meeting from the NRC website.

Mr. Brown hadn't heard about North Anna Unit 3 and requested an address to mail comments/Questions to the NRC. Mr. Brown's tribe is dependent upon the Pamunkey River in

several different ways. They fish for Shad along the Pamunkey River and have for several hundred years. This takes place for about two months during the spring months. Fishing has become difficult for this tribe due to some upstream dams that were built and due to farmers putting down chemicals on their crops along the river. Some recent Virginia laws regarding what farmers can put on their crops have eased this slightly. They eat the fish they catch and also sell it as a form of income for the tribe. They also have a hatchery on the reservation where they raise Shad and release them into the river. They also hunt migratory birds (ducks) along the Pamunkey River. The tribe has a guided hunting business. They take customers out into the marshes along the river to hunt. They don't do any crop irrigating on the reservation. Mr. Brown stated his tribe has a high rate of diabetes and a hereditary nerve disorder.

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