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Subject: Invitation to Participate in Revision of NUREG-0654/FEMA-REP-1 Public Meetings

Importance: High

Mr. Lochbaum:

This email is intended to follow-up on discussions you recently had with a member of my Outreach staff, Carolyn Kahler. As Ms. Kahler outlined, FEMA and the NRC are set to begin a significant initiative to revise NUREG-0654 / FEMA-REP-1, "Criteria for Preparation and Evaluation of Radiological Emergency Response Plans and Preparedness in Support of Nuclear Power Plants." As we begin planning and shaping this important multi-year project, we are planning the following public meetings to start the conversation with stakeholder groups and the interested members of the general public on the revision process and changes being initially proposed by FEMA and NRC staff:

August 22, 2012 (1-5pm Central time)
U.S. Department of Agriculture (USDA) Center
Hearing Room)
6501 Beacon Drive
Kansas City, MO 65133

September 13, 2012 (1-5pm Eastern time)
NRC Headquarters (Commissioners'
11545 Rockville Pike
Rockville, MD

In support of these public meetings, we are seeking representatives from various key stakeholder organizations to offer their insights on the proposed revision that reflect their organization's interests and concerns. As part of this broad engagement, we are seeking a representative to provide a 15 minute presentation regarding the proposed revision to NUREG-0654/FEMA-REP-1 from the non-governmental organization community's perspective. Based on Ms. Kahler's conversation with yourself, it is my understanding that you would be interested in being a presenter in at least one public meeting and assisting NRC staff in possibly identifying a presenter for the 2nd public meeting.

Unfortunately, due to federal budget constraints, we are unable to offer invitational travel for either of these two public meetings. However, we will have web/telephone conferencing capability available, and you are more than welcome to participate through web/telephone conferencing if unable to attend in person.

Due to the proximity of the 1st public meeting, we are requesting your assistance in confirming at the earliest opportunity the presenter at each these meetings. If you have any questions regarding this request or the purpose, conduct and logistics for these public meetings, please do not hesitate to contact me.

Thank you for your interest in supporting this significant emergency preparedness initiative. Your insights will be valuable in ensuring that all key stakeholders issues and concerns are considered during the initial development stage.

Sincerely,

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