

Docket, Hearing

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I am in favor of closing down Indian Point Power Plant for many reasons, including:

- 1) There can be no workable evacuation plan in the event of a disaster.
- 2) If there were a disaster a la Chernobyl or Fukushima, it would render acres and acres of densely populated land, cities and towns uninhabitable for decades, including New York City, Westchester and Fairfield counties.
- 3) It puts more than 20 million Americans at risk in the event of a disaster. Any such incident would be a huge blow to USA's economy.
- 4) We don't need Indian Point's power. A 2011 study commissioned by Riverkeeper and NRDC found that without Indian Point, the region would have a surplus of power through 2020, and could replace Indian Point many times over with investments in renewable energy, efficiency and transmission. The cost would be as little as \$1-\$5 per month for the typical homeowner.

Please shut down the Indian Point Power Plant.

Sincerely,

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