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TVA is pursuing an undeveloped, expensive, risky technology known as [Small Modular Reactors](#) (SMRs) at their previously abandoned Clinch River Site, near Kingston, TN. [See fly-in video here](#) to learn where this project could be located. TVA submitted an early site permit application last year with the U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission (NRC) for possibly 800-megawatts of new nuclear power generation. **The NRC needs your input about what local concerns should be considered as they evaluate this project.**

SACE feels that these reactors are **not needed** and are **extremely expensive**, with no actual approved reactor designs. SMRs are significantly **more water-intensive than clean energy choices** such as wind, solar and energy efficiency and conservation. And just like existing nuclear power plants, **they produce long-lived, highly radioactive nuclear waste** for which no safe management and permanent storage exists.

Please join us on May 15th to express your concerns!

- When: May 15; hearing #1 from 2-4PM, hearing #2 from 7-9PM; more info

[here](#)

- Where: [Pollard Technology Conference Center Auditorium](#), 210 Badger Avenue, Oak Ridge, TN

Can't attend? You can [submit written comments to the NRC](#) by June 12, 2017:

- By email: ClinchRiverESPEIS@nrc.gov
- By mail: Cindy Bladey, Office of Administration, Mail Stop: OWFN-12-H08, U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission, Washington, DC 20555-0001

Find more information on SMRs [here](#). Contact sara@cleanenergy.org if you have questions.

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