

Franklin-Southampton Area Chamber of Commerce Serving the community since 1954 P.O. Box 531 Franklin, VA 23851

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To: Whom It May Concern U.S. NRC

On behalf of the Franklin-Southampton Area Chamber of Commerce Board of Directors we echo the remarks made by Bryan Stephens, President and CEO of the Hampton Roads Chamber.

As a neighboring community and as a member of the Hampton Roads Chamber Alliance we strongly support Dominion's application to operate its two nuclear reactors at Surry Power Station for an additional 20 years. The energy generated at this facility supplies customers throughout our region. The availability of this clean energy is of the utmost importance when recruiting businesses to locate or expand in our community.

We appreciate your consideration of this request and ask that this application be approved.

Sincerely,

Teresa B. Beale, IOM

Executive Director

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