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NRC to Hold Public Meeting to Discuss 2018 Performance of Seabrook Nuclear Power Plant

Nuclear Regulatory Commission staff will discuss the 2018 safety performance of Seabrook Station, operated by NextEra Energy Seabrook, LLC, during a public meeting on April 24 in Hampton, N.H.

The meeting will be held at the Best Western Plus – The Inn at Hampton, 815 Lafayette Road, from 6-8 p.m. NRC staff responsible for plant inspections, including the resident inspectors based full-time at the site, will be available to discuss its performance. NRC staff and a representative from the Federal Emergency Management Agency will also discuss each agency's role in emergency planning at Seabrook and respond to questions.

Seabrook operated safely during 2018. At the end of the year, all inspection findings and performance indicators were of very low safety significance, or green. As a result, it remains under the NRC's normal level of oversight, which entails thousands of hours of inspection each year.

The NRC Reactor Oversight Process uses color-coded inspection findings and indicators to measure plant performance. The colors start at green and increase to white, yellow or red, commensurate with the safety significance of the issues involved. Inspection findings or performance indicators with more than very low safety significance trigger increased NRC oversight.

Inspections are performed by two resident inspectors and specialist inspectors from the Region I Office in King of Prussia, Pa.

The [annual assessment letter](#), as well as [the meeting notice](#), are available on the NRC website. Information on Seabrook's current [performance](#) is also available and is updated quarterly.