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NRC to Meet with Connecticut Nuclear Energy Advisory Council to Discuss Millstone Nuclear Power Plant Performance

Nuclear Regulatory Commission staff will discuss the 2019 safety performance of the Millstone nuclear power plant, operated by Dominion Nuclear, during a virtual meeting of the Connecticut Nuclear Energy Advisory Council on April 21.

The meeting will begin at 4 p.m. [Online registration](#) is required for members of the public to listen in on and/or participate in the session.

NRC staff responsible for plant inspections, including the resident inspectors based full-time at the site, will be available to answer questions from the public prior to the meeting's adjournment.

Millstone Units 2 and 3, located in Waterford, Conn., operated safely during 2019. At the end of the year, all inspection findings and performance indicators were green, or of very low safety significance. As a result, both units remain 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 three NRC resident inspectors and specialist inspectors from the Region I office in King of Prussia, Pa.

The [annual assessment](#) letter for Millstone, as well as the [meeting notice](#), are available on the [NRC website](#), including current performance information for [Millstone 2](#) and [Millstone 3](#).