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## NRC Schedules Public Outreach to Discuss River Bend Nuclear Power Plant Performance

**ARLINGTON, Texas** — Nuclear Regulatory Commission staff will hold an [informal public outreach](#) session June 25 to explain how River Bend Station performed in 2025 and to answer questions from the community. The session will allow residents to speak directly with NRC inspectors who evaluate the plant throughout the year.

The NRC's annual assessment found that River Bend operated safely in 2025. All inspection findings and performance indicators were of very low safety significance, so the plant will continue under the agency's normal level of oversight, which includes thousands of hours of inspections each year.

River Bend is a single-unit plant operated by Entergy Operations Inc. near St. Francisville, Louisiana. The outreach will take place from 2-4 p.m. Central time at the St. Francisville Farmers Market, 9961 Wilcox St., in St. Francisville.

The NRC [Reactor Oversight Process](#) uses a color-coded system that tracks inspection findings and performance indicators.

The annual assessment [letter](#) for River Bend, including upcoming inspection plans, is available on the NRC website. Current [performance information](#) is also available and updated quarterly.

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