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NRC to Hold Public Meeting to Discuss Status of Fort Calhoun Nuclear Station

The Nuclear Regulatory Commission will meet with Omaha Public Power District (OPPD) officials on Sep. 25 to discuss the status of performance improvement activities at the Fort Calhoun nuclear power plant. The plant, operated by OPPD, is located 19 miles north of Omaha, Neb.

The meeting will be held from 6 to 9 p.m. at the Omaha Marriot, 10220 Regency Circle, in Omaha, Neb. NRC officials will answer questions from the public after the business portion of the meeting.

The plant remains under increased NRC oversight and the discussion will center on the status of OPPD's improvement initiatives in the engineering and operations performance areas, results of self-assessment activities, and effectiveness of the corrective action process.

NRC staff will also discuss the results of a recent inspection that looked at actions taken by OPPD to address commitments described in the post-restart Confirmatory Action Letter and specifically the corrective action program. The inspection report will be available <u>here</u> at ML14261A455.

Items described in the <u>post-restart Confirmatory Action Letter</u> must be resolved before the plant would be allowed to return to the NRC's reactor oversight process. The plant restarted Dec. 18, 2013, after a shutdown of 32 months.