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April 25, 2024

VIA EMAIL

Hon. Michelle L. Phillips
Secretary to the Commission
3 Empire State Plaza
Albany, NY 12223-1350

Re: Matter No. 21-01188 – In the Matter of the Indian Point Closure Task Force and Indian Point Decommissioning Oversight Board.

Dear Secretary Phillips:

Please accept for filing in the above-captioned matter, the April 25, 2024 Indian Point Decommissioning Oversight Board meeting presentation. Should you have any questions regarding this filing, please contact me. Thank you.

Respectfully submitted,

A handwritten signature in blue ink that reads "Tom Kaczmarek".

Tom Kaczmarek
Executive Director
Indian Point Decommissioning Oversight Board



Indian Point Decommissioning Oversight Board

Meeting

Decommissioning Oversight Board

April 25, 2024 | 6:00 PM
Cortlandt Town Hall | Zoom

Board Members

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- **Chair:** Tom Congdon, Department of Public Service
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- Lou Picani, Teamsters Local 456



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Meeting Logistics

- In-person panelists: **Use mic when speaking.**
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- For Zoom participants:
 - Please reserve the “Chat” feature for reporting technical issues (e.g., audio visual issues). Only questions captured in “Q&A” field are able to be saved for review.
 - Virtual participants are encouraged to use custom video layout features to enhance personalized view of speakers and presentation content. Go to support.zoom.us to learn how.
- All panelists and participants: **Indicate your name before speaking.**



Agenda

- Welcome
- Task Force Updates
- State Oversight Updates
- Holtec Operational Updates
- Water Management Options Analysis
 - Storage Onsite
 - Shipment Offsite
- Public Statements
- Next Steps and Adjourn



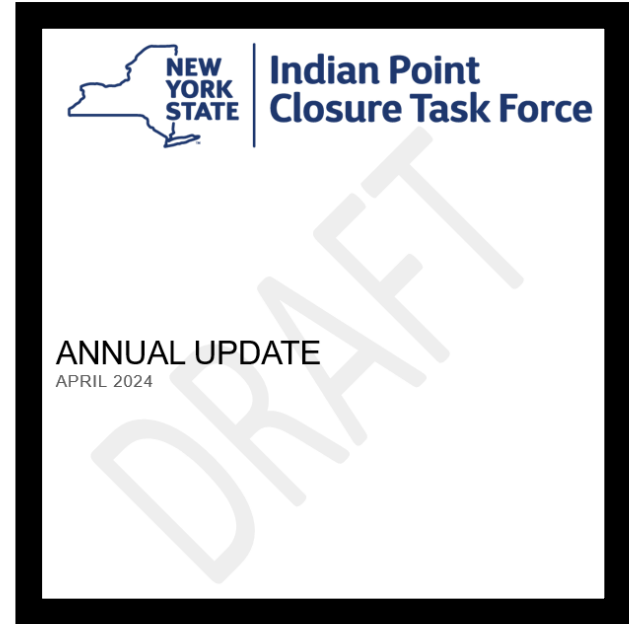
Indian Point Closure Task Force

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Draft Annual Report to be posted for public comment Fri., Apr. 26

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State Oversight Updates

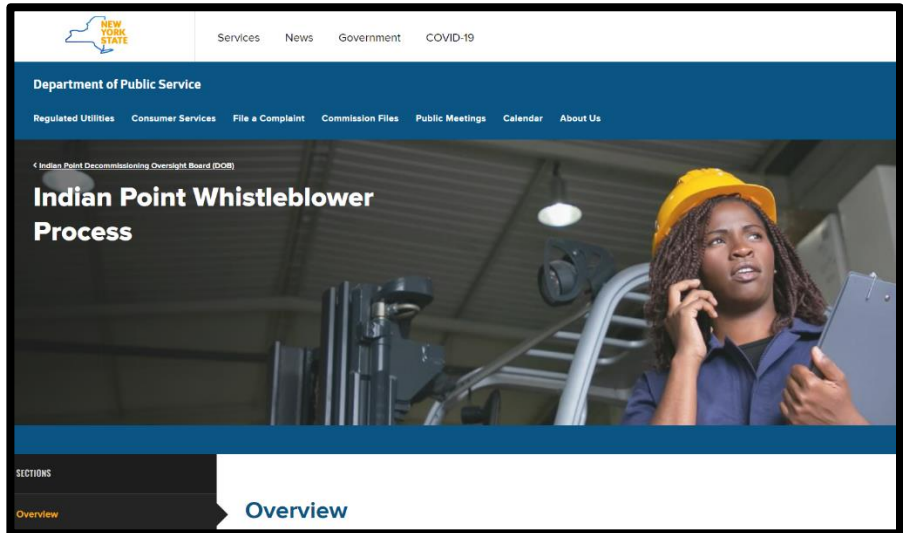
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Email: IP.Tips@dps.ny.gov

Phone: 518-486-1487

[Webform](#)



Monitoring Updates

RM-6 Current Value

ESE - Broadway, Buchanan

0.0073 mR/hr

4/17/2024 11:30:00 AM

RM-7 Current Value

SE - Broadway at Entrance to Service Center, Buchanan

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RM-8 Current Value

SSE - Broadway Across from IP3 Entrance, Buchanan

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RM-9 Current Value

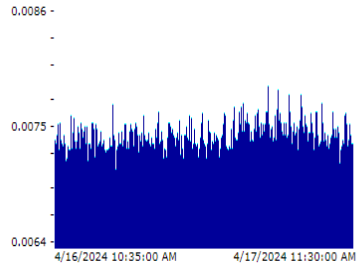
S - Broadway at St. Patrick's Cemetery, Verplank

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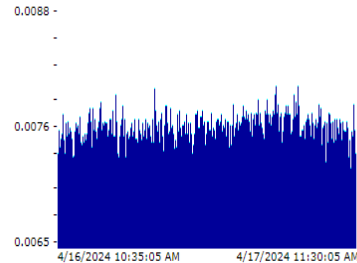
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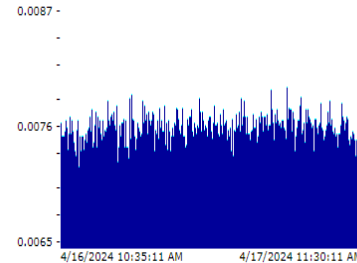
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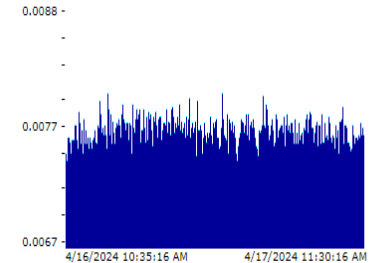
RM-8 Trend

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RM-9 Trend

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Values are consistent with historical readings.



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DPS Oversight Activities

- 2021 Joint Proposal required minimum trust fund balances and financial and project reporting to New York State – unique safeguards and oversight mechanisms in terms of decommissioning nuclear power plants in the United States
- State agencies (DPS, AG, DEC, NYSERDA) reviewed trust fund balances w/Holtec in Aug. 2021, Jun. 2022, Sept. 2022, Jun. 2023, Dec. 2023, and Apr. 2024
- Holtec reported at its most recent review that it remains in compliance with its minimum trust fund balance obligations



DPS Oversight Activities

Indian Point decommissioning trust fund balances*

	IP 1	IP 2	IP 3
2021	\$655 M	\$786 M	\$931 M
2022	\$558 M	\$619 M	\$742 M
2023	\$611.8 M	\$564.7 M	\$648.8 M

*As reported by Holtec in annual decommissioning trust fund reports to U.S. N.R.C.
Balances are as of Dec. 31 of the year listed
IP Trust Fund Balance reports to NRC viewable on [DOB website](#).



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DPS Oversight Activities

- Agency staff (including State Inspector) reviewed Holtec filings:
 - Proof of Financial Protection 10 CFR 140.15
 - Indian Point Emergency Plant revision 23-04
 - Onsite Property Damage Insurance 10 CFR 50.54(w)(3)
- State regulators have been present at Holtec monthly project meetings, and Holtec has provided the information required under the Joint Proposal at each meeting.
- Petition to transfer switchyard equipment from Holtec to Con Ed.

To comment: Search for 24-E-0106 at www.dps.ny.gov.

Public comment period ends May 20, 2024.



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DPS Oversight Activities – State Inspector

Notable on-site observations:

- U2 Condensate motor lift preparations.
- On-site pond overflow affecting CertainTeed access road.
- U2 Reactor Head cutting
- U2 Cavity leak repair preparations
- U3 Feedwater heater removals
- U1 Containment Safety walkdown

Tracking corrective actions associated with:

- Decommissioning Trust Fund violation
- RP Technician injury



Fabrication Violation

Fabrication Inspection Notice of Violation and Safety Determination issued by NRC January 30, 2024.

[ML24016A190](#) | [ML24018A085](#)



DEC Administrative Consent Order Req'ts

Remedial Investigation (RI) Work Plans

- Investigations will be conducted in a series of RI Work Plans.
- Approved work plans will be announced via fact sheet distributed to the public.
- Work plans can be found linked at the bottom of DEC's Indian Point Decommissioning web page: <https://www.dec.ny.gov/chemical/126311.html>
- DEC approved the draft Remedial Investigation Work Plan for the IPEC Lafarge / Former Spectra Construction Area (AOC 118) on October 23, 2023.
- Holtec notified DEC on March 13, 2024 that field activities for AOC 118 would commence on March 28, 2024.



DEC Oversight Activities – Facility Permits

SPDES # NY0004472 – Governs Discharges from Main Facility

- Expired on April 30, 2022. Holtec submitted a timely renewal application. Facility continues to have coverage under the existing SPDES permit pursuant to the State Administrative Procedure Law.
- DEC undertaking a review of the permit application to determine if a permit modification is necessary.
 - DEC requested additional information from Holtec necessary to continue the full technical review of the SPDES permit. DEC received additional information from Holtec on November 8, 2023.
- Once DEC review is complete, a **Draft SPDES Permit will be provided for public review and comment in accordance with DEC regulations.**
- DEC is evaluating whether, and to what extent, the recent legislation signed by Governor Hochul will result in any possible changes to the Facility's SPDES permit.



DEC Oversight Activities – Facility Permits

Major Oil Storage Facility (MOSF) License

- DEC continues to oversee closure and assessment of all tanks associated with the MOSF license on site.



Discussion

Holtec Operational Updates

Frank Spagnuolo

Holtec Decommissioning International



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Discussion

Water Management Options



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Shipment Offsite
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Public Statements



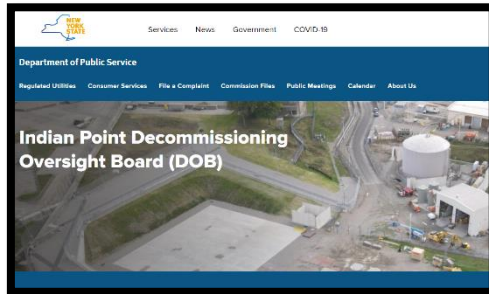
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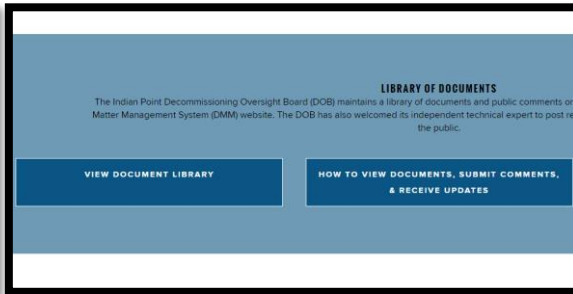
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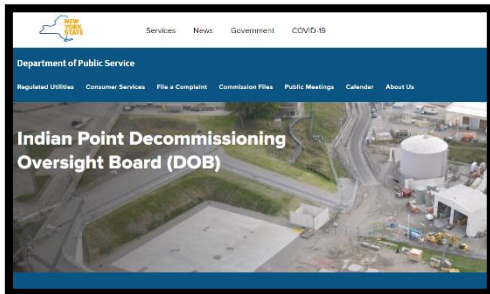
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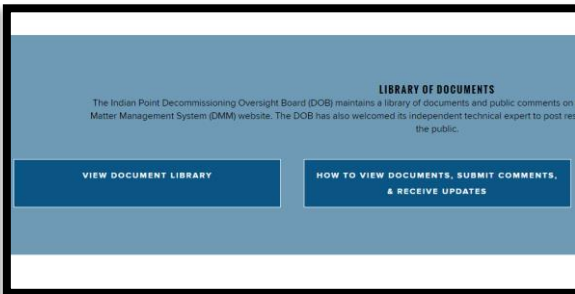
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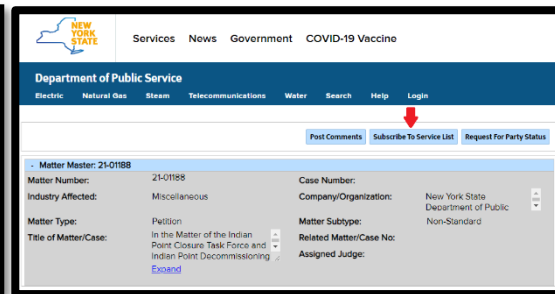
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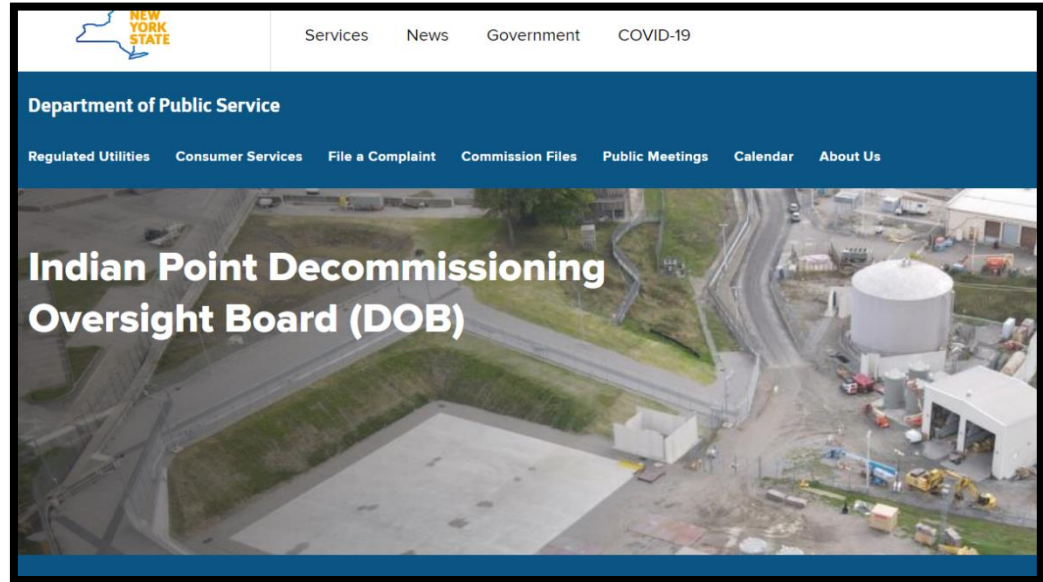


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**Next Meeting
June 13, 2024**



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Meeting Adjourned



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