

RESOLUTION NO. 225

WHEREAS, Article VI.A.1 of the Site Certification Agreement for the Washington Public Power Supply System's Nuclear Plant No. 2 specifies that:

"The Supply System agrees to provide visitor information facilities at the Project site subject to security regulations, and such limitations as the Supply System deems reasonably necessary for the health, safety and welfare of the public and for protection of the facility."

WHEREAS, Article VI.A.1 of the Site Certification Agreement for WNP-1/4 specifies that:

"The Supply System agrees to provide visitor information facilities to serve WNP-1 and 4. At this time, a visitor information center to serve WNP 1 and 4 and WNP-2 is planned to be located in the City of Richland."

WHEREAS, By letter dated June 8, 1984, the Chairman of the Council requested that the Supply System review the projects' visitation requirements in view of WNP-2's operational status; and

WHEREAS, By letter dated July 11, 1984, the Supply System responded with (1) information on the visitors information facilities and services that they are currently providing and (2) requested that the Council find that those activities constitute compliance with the certification conditions; and

WHEREAS, Additional information on the Supply System's visitors information program and plans for upgrading the existing facilities was provided to the Council's Certificate Compliance Committee during a November 1, 1984 site visit; and

WHEREAS, The Council has completed its review of the Supply System's visitors information program for their Hanford-sited projects and is satisfied that the existing facilities, consisting of the WNP-2 Visitors Center and the lobby of the Multipurpose Facility, and the associated activities, with a continuing commitment to upgrade the facilities and display/-exhibit materials, presently meets the intent of the certification requirements.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, That the Energy Facility Site Evaluation Council hereby finds that the Supply System's current visitor information facilities and associated activities are in compliance with Condition VI.A.1 of the WNP-2 and WNP-1/4 Site Certification Agreements subject to the following conditions:

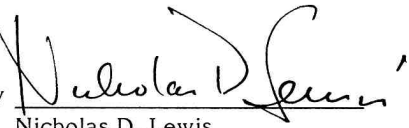
1. The double-wide modular structure that houses the existing Visitors Center at the Plant No. 2 site, for purposes of compliance, is considered to be a temporary facility, pending more definite plans on completion of construction at Plant No. 1. The Council expects to reexamine the visitation requirements and the desirability of a more permanent facility once a decision is made on the future of WNP-1. In the event that construction on WNP-1 is restarted, the Council will review the issue of a permanent facility to serve both projects.

2. The Supply System is encouraged to proceed with its plans to make improvements in the existing facilities and display/exhibit materials. The following items are to be addressed in the Supply System's consideration of proposed changes to the Plant No. 2 Visitors Center:
 - a. Incorporation of the plant scale model (currently located in the Multipurpose Facility lobby) into a permanent Visitors Center display/exhibit area;
 - b. Opportunities for the public to view, in some manner, the simulator at the Plant Support Facility;
 - c. Means for viewing the plant from the visitors center, i.e., window or with platform displays.
3. The Supply System shall report to the Council by September 1, 1985 on its investigation and evaluation of the changes proposed in condition 2, above.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, That the Council fully recognizes that the Supply System has, to date, offered an extensive program of visitors information services, including a staffed visitors information center, displays in the center and Multipurpose Facility lobby, escorted tours, brochures, etc., to meet their licensing commitments and requirements for visitor information facilities.

DATED this 10th day of December 1984

Washington State Energy Facility
Site Evaluation Council

By 
Nicholas D. Lewis
Chairman

ATTEST:

BY 
William L. Fitch,
Executive Secretary