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Community Advisory Council

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Today's Agenda

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Background

- Pickering's current power reactor operating (PROL) licence includes operation of **all units until December 2024**.
- OPG is seeking approval of the Canadian Nuclear Safety Commission (CNSC) **to continue operating Pickering's Units 5 to 8 to the end of December 2026**.
- OPG submitted an **application to the CNSC in June 2023**
- The CNSC will hold a **public hearing in June 2024**
- **Units 1 and 4 will retire at the end of 2024** as planned and be placed in safe storage.



Regulatory Process

All nuclear power plants require a licence from the CNSC. To be granted a licence, a facility must meet regulatory requirements grouped under 14 topics called safety and control areas.

To obtain a licence:

01

The nuclear power plant operator must provide the CNSC with a licence application that addresses all applicable regulatory requirements.

02

CNSC reviews the application and associated materials and provides a recommendation to the Commission in the form of a CMD

03

The Commission makes decisions on the licensing of major nuclear facilities through a public hearing process which give involved parties and members of the public an opportunity to be heard by the Commission.

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Following the public hearing, the Commission decides on whether a licence should be issued

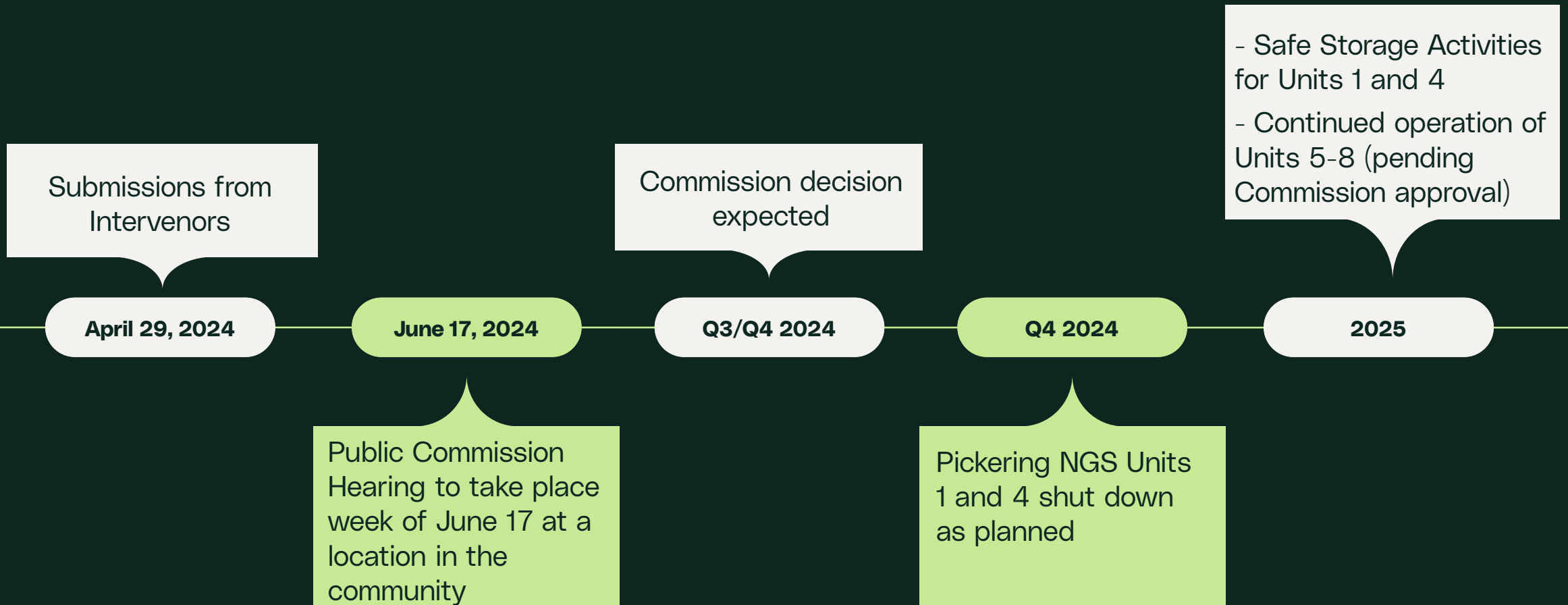
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If a licence is granted, the applicant can operate the facility for the duration and under the conditions of its licence

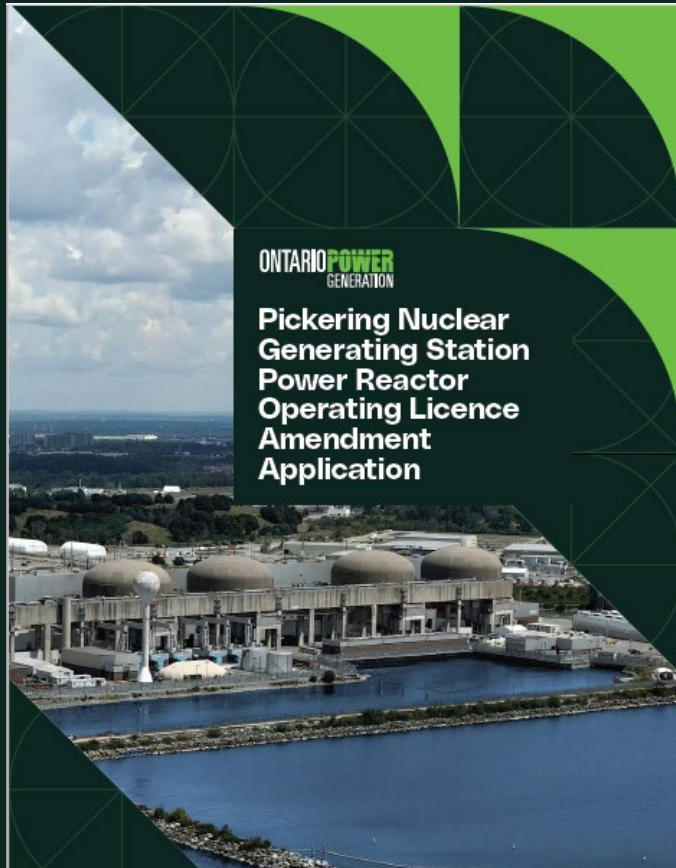
Interventions

- Persons/Organizations who have an interest or expertise in this matter or information that may be useful to the Commission in coming to a decision, are invited to comment on OPG's application.
- Requests to intervene must be filed with the Commission Registry by **April 29, 2024** using the online request form (<https://www.nuclearsafety.gc.ca/eng/the-commission/intervention/>) or email to: interventions@cnsccsn.gc.ca
- The request to intervene must include the following information:
 - a written submission of the comments to be presented to the Commission
 - a statement setting out whether the requester wishes to intervene by way of written submission only or by way of written submission and oral presentation
 - the requester's name, address, telephone number and email address

Milestones



Resources



OPG's application is available at <https://www.opg.com/power-generation/our-power/nuclear/operating-licences/P>

- *Note - written submissions from OPG and CNSC staff will be submitted on Feb. 28, 2024.*

CNSC website: <https://nuclearsafety.gc.ca/eng/>

CNSC Notice of Public hearing:
https://nuclearsafety.gc.ca/eng/the-commission/hearings/documents_browse/results.cfm?dt=17-Jun-2024&yr=2024

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