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NRC Schedules Hybrid Public Meeting to Discuss Safety Performance of Honeywell Facility

Nuclear Regulatory Commission staff has scheduled a hybrid [public meeting](#) for April 4 to discuss its two-year safety performance review of the Honeywell uranium conversion facility in Metropolis, Illinois.

The event will run from 6 to 8 p.m. at the Metropolis Community Center, 900 W. 10th St. in Metropolis. Members of the public and media can attend in person or view the meeting and presentation on [Teams](#). The telephone conference number for those without access to Teams is 301-576-2978, passcode 16089661#.

The meeting will begin with a short presentation from the NRC staff responsible for inspections at the facility, followed by a question-and-answer session. The NRC staff will be available to answer questions about the agency's two-year review of the facility.

The NRC assessed performance at the Honeywell facility from Jan. 1, 2022, through Dec. 31, 2023, in safety operations, safeguards, radiological controls, facility support, and other areas. The NRC staff found that Honeywell continued to conduct its activities safely and met NRC requirements for protecting workers, nearby residents, and the environment.

The NRC does not have resident inspectors at the Metropolis facility, but fuel facility inspectors from its Atlanta regional office conduct periodic inspections of various aspects of the operation. These inspections occur multiple times a year.

A copy of the NRC [letter](#) to the company about the performance is available on the NRC website.