

Board of Directors Listening Session - RECAP

- Yesterday, 38 individuals spoke to TVA's Board of Directors on a variety of issues at our public listening session. Many more voiced their opinions through comments submitted online.
- These voices represented a wide cross-section of stakeholder interest across this region, including:
 - Public power partners such as local power companies and Tennessee Valley associations
 - Businesses and industries
 - Tennessee Valley farmers
 - Environmental organizations
 - Solar organizations
 - Faith-based and non-profit organizations
 - And community improvement organizations
- Listening Session comments centered on the following main themes:
 - The Tennessee Valley public power model and TVA's ongoing relationships with 153 local power companies. Comments discussed generation flexibility for local power companies, and the need for TVA generation expansion and diversity to support reliability — including both renewables and existing baseline generation.

- Another theme was the potential for TVA to expand the amount of renewable and solar energy across this region. There were comments on the value of solar energy, as well as comments on the amount of land that solar installations use.
- Another theme was encouraging TVA to stop using fossil fuel generation, including TVA's current coal and gas assets, and TVA's future intentions for gas generation at our Cumberland site, potentially our Kingston site and in Cheatham County, TN.
- Individuals voiced concern over TVA's ongoing use of nuclear energy, as well as TVA's work in developing small modular reactors at our Clinch River site. Several individuals supported TVA's use of nuclear energy as baseload power and encouraged TVA to pursue multiple SMRs.
- Tennessee Valley region farmers discussed the impact of TVA on agriculture and the ways TVA works with farmers on flood control.
- We appreciate everyone who took the time to speak at the TVA listening session and submit comments through email or the TVA website.

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