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Really Simple Syndication (RSS) feeds now available for Yucca Mountain program updates

LAS VEGAS – Reporters, stakeholders, educators, and interested citizens may now keep track of important updates regarding the proposed repository at Yucca Mountain by subscribing to RSS feeds available on the Office of Civilian Radioactive Waste Management (OCRWM) website.

RSS feeds allow subscribers to receive immediate, email-free updates when new information is posted to the OCRWM website. Currently, OCRWM offers two feeds:

- What's New – news releases and important documents posted on the "What's New" menu of the OCRWM website
- Science and Technology – documents on advanced scientific research administered by the Office of Science, Technology and International

Additional feeds are planned.

To subscribe to an RSS feed, you need an RSS reader— available for free through many online services or as a stand-alone program installed on your computer.

OCRWM RSS feeds are available by clicking the orange "XML" icon on the OCRWM home page, <http://www.ocrwm.doe.gov>.

For help or additional information on RSS, please visit the OCRWM RSS page at http://www.ocrwm.doe.gov/info_library/rss/index.shtml

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Yucca Mountain, Nevada, is the site of the nation's first planned long-term geologic repository for spent nuclear fuel and high-level radioactive waste. Currently stored at more than 120 sites around the nation, these materials are a result of nuclear power generation and national defense programs. Yucca Mountain is located in a remote desert on federally protected land adjacent to the Nevada Test Site in Nye County, Nevada. It is approximately 100 miles northwest of Las Vegas, Nevada. No nuclear material is currently stored at Yucca Mountain.