

**DIVISION 76**  
**SPECIFIC STANDARDS FOR THE SITING OF**  
**NUCLEAR POWER FACILITIES IN OREGON**

**345-076-0010**

**Purpose**

The rules in this division supplement the general standards in OAR Chapter 345, Division 22, for the siting of energy facilities and apply to any nuclear-fueled thermal power plant or nuclear power plant, as defined in ORS 469.300 and their related and supporting facilities.

Stat. Auth.: ORS 469

Stats. Implemented: ORS 469.470

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**Rules That Apply to Nuclear Power Facilities**

(1) The rules in this division apply to site certificate applications for nuclear-fueled thermal power plants and nuclear power plants and their related and supporting facilities.

(2) In addition to these rules, the General Standards for Siting Facilities contained in OAR Chapter 345, Division 22, apply to a decision whether to grant or deny issuance of a site certificate for a nuclear power facility.

(3) The Council may adopt siting standards for nuclear power facilities if the Department receives a notice of intent to apply for a site certificate for such a facility.

(4) The Council shall not issue a site certificate for a nuclear-fueled thermal power plant until the electors of this state have approved the issuance of the certificate as required under ORS 469.597.

Stat. Auth.: ORS 469

Stats. Implemented: ORS 469.300 & ORS 469.597

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**Definitions**

In this division, the following definitions apply:

(1) The term “operation of the nuclear power facility” includes its normal operation and the accumulation and storage of wastes generated thereby.

(2) The term “nuclear power facility” means a nuclear-fueled thermal power plant or a nuclear power plant as defined in ORS 469.300 and their related or supporting facilities.

Stat. Auth.: ORS 469

Stats. Implemented: ORS 469.300

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**Federal Waste Depository**

To issue a site certificate for a nuclear power facility, the Council must find that there is an adequate federal repository for the disposal of high-level radioactive

waste as described in ORS 469.595.

Stat. Auth.: ORS 469

Stats. Implemented: ORS 469.300