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## Virginia Energy Hosting Second Energy Education Series in Southwest Virginia on March 21st

The agency continues to receive written public comment on energy developments and other Virginia Energy programs during the series.

Wise Co., VA- The Virginia Department of Energy (Virginia Energy) continues its series of educational meetings regarding energy projects in southwest Virginia and other programs the agency offers.

The next meeting will be March 21<sup>st</sup> at 6:00 p.m. at the Goodloe Center at Mountain Empire Community College located at 3441 Mountain Empire Road, Big Stone Gap.

This educational meeting will be an opportunity for the public to learn more about current projects underway, new programs funded by federal grants and the siting process for energy projects. There will also be a Question-and-Answer session on nuclear.

Questions must be submitted prior to the event, by March 13<sup>th</sup>, to <u>Tarah.Kesterson@energy.virginia.gov</u>.

Virginia Energy continues to receive written comment on the work of the agency via email at <a href="mailto:vaenergy@energy.virginia.gov">vaenergy@energy.virginia.gov</a> or comments may be mailed to:

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