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REQUEST FOR INFORMATION ("RFI")

Exploring Nuclear Energy in Alberta

Extended Timeline for Municipalities Version

Ministry of Affordability and Utilities

RFI Re-Issued Date: November 24, 2025

RFI Response Date: December 19, 2025

Email: Nuclear.Engagement@gov.ab.ca

INTRODUCTION

The objective of this Request For Information ("RFI") is to collect information from respondents interested in nuclear energy development in Alberta that could support the Province in its nuclear energy initiatives. **Appendix A** includes specific questions and subjects that Respondents are requested to respond to.

Note: *This RFI* is *not a competitive bid process and will not result in a contract award*.

1. RFI PROCESS

2.1 RFI Definitions

Terminology used throughout this RFI is defined as follows, unless otherwise indicated:

- "ATIA" means the *Access to Information Act*, (Alberta), as amended from time to time;
- "Personal Information" means "personal information" as defined in ATIA or POPA, or ATIA and POPA, as the case may be, as provided for in this RFI.
- "POPA" means the *Protection of Privacy Act*, (Alberta), as amended from time to time;
- "Request for Information" or "RFI" means this document, including attached appendices.

2.2 RFI Schedule

RFI Issue Date: August 25, 2025

RFI Response Date: December 19, 2025 (NEW!)

Respondents are requested to submit Responses by the RFI Response Date. Responses received by this date will facilitate a timely review of the information provided. Responses received after this date will be reviewed at the discretion of the Province. The Province may extend the RFI Response Date or amend or cancel this RFI.

2.3 Respondent Questions

In order for the Province to deal effectively with Respondent questions concerning this RFI, Respondents are requested to submit their questions regarding this RFI in writing to Nuclear.Engagement@gov.ab.ca. Questions received will be answered as time permits, and if appropriate, the question and response may be shared anonymously with other municipalities or municipal associations.

2.4 Access to Information

The Respondent acknowledges that:

- a) ATIA applies to all information and records relating to, or obtained, generated, created, collected or provided under the RFI and which are in the custody or under the control of the Province. ATIA allows any person a right of access to records in the Province's custody or control, subject to limited and specific exceptions as set out in ATIA;
- b) POPA applies to the collection, use and disclosure of Personal Information for the purposes of this RFI; and
- c) The Respondent, if it considers portions of its Response to be confidential, shall identify those parts of its Response to the Province considered to be confidential and what harm could reasonably be expected from disclosure. The Province does not warrant that this identification will preclude disclosure of information under ATIA or Personal Information in accordance with POPA.

2.5 **RFI Responses**

Responses should be delivered by email to <u>Nuclear.Engagement@gov.ab.ca</u>.

A completed Response Submission Form found in Appendix A, or a cover letter containing similar information in the Response Submission Form should be submitted with the Response.

2.6 Response Return

Responses will not be returned but will be retained by the Province.

3. PROJECT OVERVIEW: EXPLORING NUCLEAR ENERGY IN ALBERTA

Information provided by Respondents in this RFI may be used for analysis in shaping Alberta's nuclear energy policy and regulatory development, or Alberta's engagement with other jurisdictions, including the federal government and regulators. The contact information provided by Respondents will be used for the purpose of analysis and follow-up should the Ministry of Affordability and Utilities have any questions. The Government of Alberta will not use or disclose information provided by Respondents for any other purpose without written consent or unless required to do so by law. If Respondents have any questions or wish to request the change or removal of information provided, please contact by email at Nuclear. Engagement@gov.ab.ca.

Please visit https://www.alberta.ca/nuclear-energy-engagement to learn more about the province's engagement in the development of a nuclear energy industry in Alberta.

Appendix A
Response Submission Form

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Email: Nuclear.Engagement@gov.ab.ca

RE: Request for Information (RFI) Reference Number AU-2025-RFI-001

Respondent's Name or	
Organization/Community:	
Address:	
Contact Name:	
Contact Telephone:	
Title within organization (if	
applicable)	
E-mail Address:	
Primary sector for	Choose one of the following:
organization/community	Municipality, Municipal Association, Regional Municipal Board,
	Municipal Non-Governmental Organization

Response:

The Respondent consents, and has obtained written consent of any individuals identified in the Response, to the use of the Personal Information in the Response by:

- a) the Province;
- b) the Province's employees; and
- c) individuals and organizations under contract to provide services to the Province, to enable the Province to review the Response and use this information for other program purposes of the Province.

The Respondent acknowledges that it will provide those written consents within two Business Days of a request by the Province to do so.

RFI Response Details

Respondents should provide a response to each question that they choose to address with a focus on meeting the objectives as described in section 3. Responses to the questions below should not exceed 5 pages in length.

- 1. What is your organization's current or envisioned future role related to the nuclear energy industry in Alberta?
- 2. What are the potential benefits to your organization, and for Albertans, if you can achieve your envisioned role in nuclear energy?
- 3. What do you see as challenges and barriers to achieving your organization's envisioned role in nuclear energy development? Consider financial, legal, information, investment attraction, policy certainty, knowledge and awareness, environmental, etc.
- 4. How could the Government of Alberta help your organization overcome the identified barriers and challenges?
- 5. Are there key challenges and opportunities your organization will face regarding national/international nuclear policies?
- 6. Do you foresee any challenges and barriers to the Government of Alberta pursuing a nuclear industry in Alberta? If so, please identify the challenges and barriers along with recommendations on how they can be addressed by the government.
- 7. Are there other organizations that you recommend be involved in exploring nuclear energy development in Alberta?
- 8. Do you have additional information that you would like to share with the Government of Alberta regarding nuclear energy?