

EXHIBIT 2



Tennessee Valley Authority, 400 W. Summit Hill Drive, Knoxville, Tennessee 37902-1401

January 24, 2023

Mr. Daniel Metzger (dmetzger@selctn.org)
Southern Environmental Law Center
1033 Demonbreun Street, Suite 205
Nashville, TN 37203

Dear Mr. Metzger:

This concerns your request under the Freedom of Information Act (5 U.S.C. § 552) dated December 22, 2022, for records related to TVA's cooperation with the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) regarding the Final Environmental Impact Statement for the Cumberland Fossil Plant Retirement. Your request has been assigned tracking number 23-FOI-00039.

We are unable to complete your request within 20 business days from its receipt due to the need to obtain and review records from TVA offices separate from this one. Additional time may be needed for consultation with EPA on the responsive records.

In fairness to all our requesters, the FOIA requests which cannot be answered within 20 business days are placed in the multi-track system in accordance with TVA's FOIA regulations, 18 C.F.R. § 1301.5, and are generally answered in the order we receive them within each track.

Your request has been placed in Track 3 which is for the requests we expect will take the longest time to process. The processing time will depend upon the number and complexity of the requests in Track 3 ahead of yours.

If you have questions or would like to discuss ways your request could be processed quicker you may contact me at foia@tva.gov.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads 'Denise Smith'. The signature is written in a cursive, flowing style.

Denise Smith
TVA FOIA Officer