



Three Mile Island: The Accident Without End

In the Beginning

LAKE FREDERIC

YHPC, LLC
Water Power for the Future

KEY:
Boat Launch
Station
Lock
No Boating Area
Power Area
Boat Trail
Portage Trail
Project Boundary
Recreation Area
Shaded Power Area
Private Facilities



YORK HAVEN PROJECT

RECREATION TIPS:

Canal Lock Boat Launch, Goodling, Goosehorn, Shelly, Battery Islands & York Haven Hydro Station.

HELP KEEP THIS AREA CLEAN:

By observing our "carry-in/carry-out" program. Please take refuse with you for proper disposal or recycling!

OPEN MEMORIAL DAY TO LABOR DAY

No alcoholic beverages, hunting, overnight camping, anchorage (except for legal fishing) or firearms. Open to all without discrimination.

BOATING AND FISHING LAWS:

All state boating and fishing laws apply on Lake Frederic and are enforced by the Pennsylvania Fish & Boat Commission.

INTERNATIONAL WATERWAY WARNING

SAILBOATERS-USE EXTREME CAUTION!

POWERBOATS CROSS LAKE FREDERIC AT THE LOCATIONS NOTED:

Vessels over 20 ft. in length are prohibited in these areas. Vessels over 21 ft. in length are prohibited in the above areas noted in the "No Boating" areas.

CONTACT WITH THESE LINES CAN RESULT IN DEATH OR SERIOUS INJURY

YHPC recommends that NO SAILBOATS operate when the River Stage Elevation exceeds 5.5 ft.

For current river conditions, contact the National Weather Service at 800-481-7555. Listen to the River Stage Report for more info.

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FOR FURTHER INFORMATION
CALL 717-245-1654.

WARNING INFORMATION:

Warning buoys at the main dam and head race channel, and the boat barrier at Red Hill Dam (East Channel Dam) are removed each winter in December and reinstalled the following April. Please maintain safe

distance from all dams at all times and exercise extreme caution when these safety devices are not in place.

York Haven Power Company typically performs dam maintenance and repair work each year beginning the week following the July 4 holiday and extending throughout the low water period which ordinarily ends

in October. (The actual dates and duration of work will be posted here 2 weeks prior to the start of work.) During this period of time river levels may need to be lowered to facilitate construction. Boaters must be aware that river levels may be reduced below those ordinarily encountered and adjust boating activities accordingly.



The Beginning

The meltdown at Three Mile Island began on March 28, 1979. The accident was caused by a rapid loss of cooling and human error. There were significant radiation releases into the air and river.

The Nightmare Begins



Restart

The proposed restart of Three Mile Island Unit-1 was met with unabashed enthusiasm by Governor Shapiro and the legislature.

Three Mile Island will have one client: Microsoft. The marriage between Microsoft and a zombie nuclear plant is exclusive, and benefits Amazon's facilities in Chicago, Virginia, and Ohio.

PUBLIC BAILOUT

TMI-1 was built with rate payer dollars, and enjoyed a bailout to transition to deregulation.

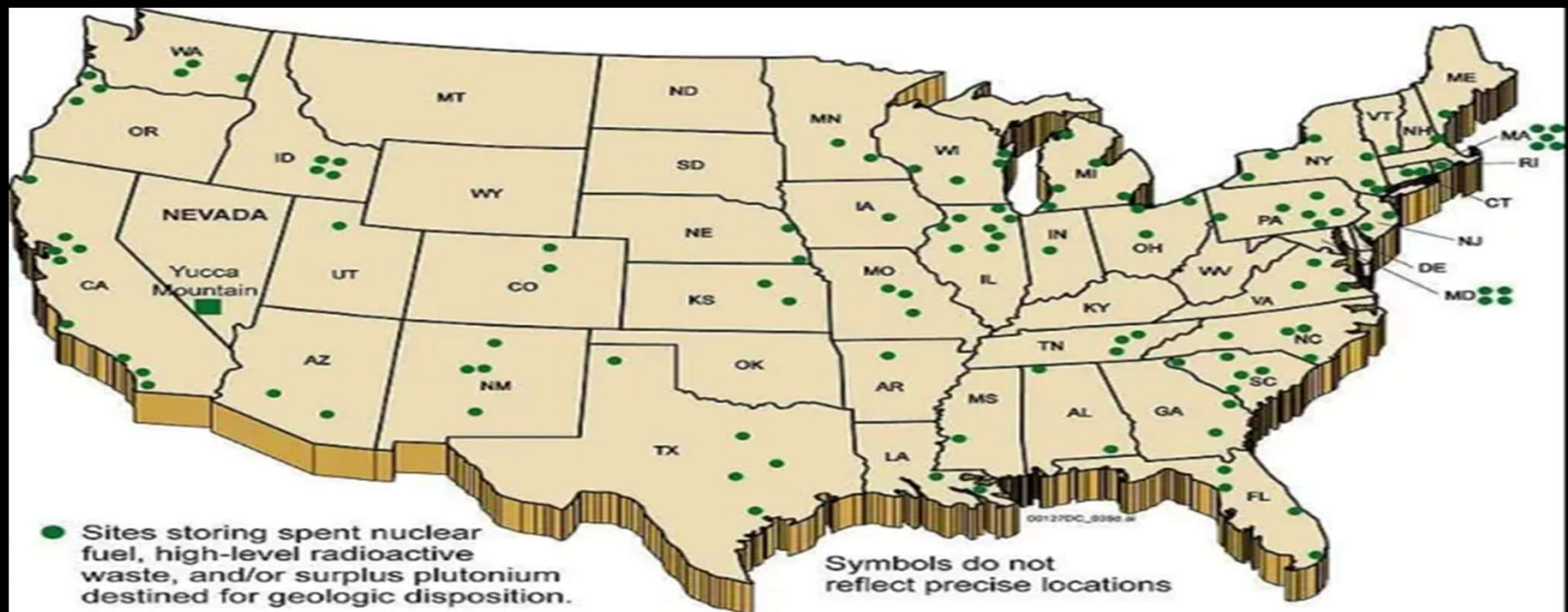
TMI complained they couldn't compete in the marketplace. They were right. TMI-1 lost \$300 million over eight years, and the free market closed the plant in 2019.

A graphic featuring two large, grey, hourglass-shaped cooling towers of a nuclear power plant. From the top of each tower, thick white smoke billows out, and within the smoke are several white dollar signs (\$). The towers are set against a dark, cloudy sky. The base of the towers is a green and yellow field. At the bottom of the graphic, the words "THREE MILE ISLAND" are written in a small, black, sans-serif font, and below that, the word "ALERT" is written in a large, bold, yellow, serif font with a black outline.

Three Mile Island
**What was once too
cheap to meter, is now too
toxic to clean up.**
tmia.com

Waste Island

If TMI-1 operates for another 20 years, central Pennsylvanians will be asked to baby sit an additional 600 tons of toxic trash with no forwarding address.

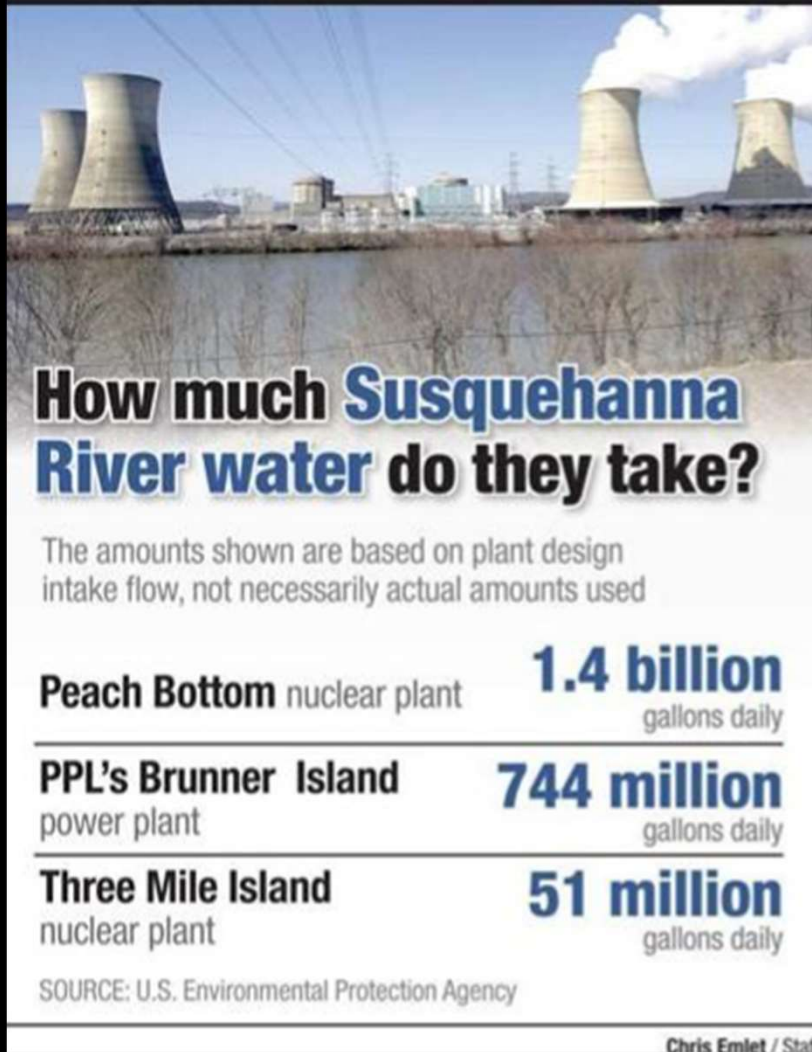


Air and Water Impact

What about nuclear power's impact on air and water?

Nuclear power is water intensive and devastating to aquatic life. Effluent discharges and thermal pollution cause fish kills, wreak havoc on habitats, and tritium discharges have been a historic problem at TMI.





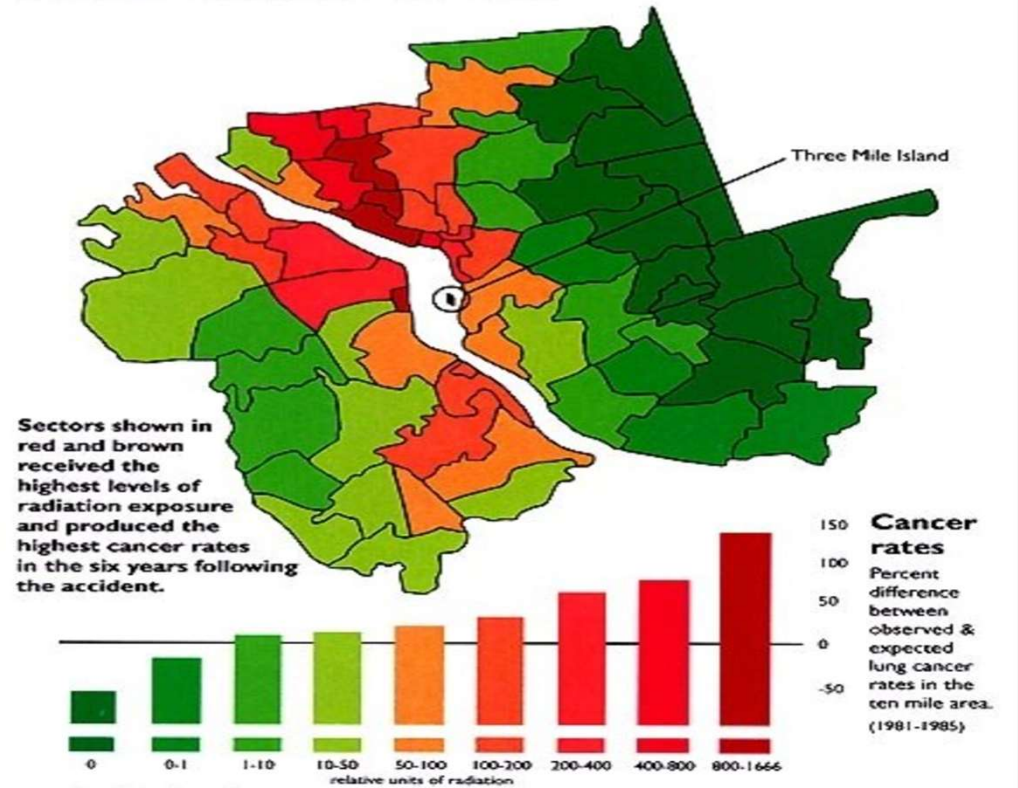
Water is a Limited Public Resource

Nuclear power plants use millions of gallons daily to cool their superheated reactor core. There are three nuclear generation stations on the Susquehanna River. Peach Bottom and TMI-1 are located on the Lower Susquehanna. Three Mile Island applied to withdraw up 72.3 million gallons of water per day.

The accident at Three Mile Island is not over



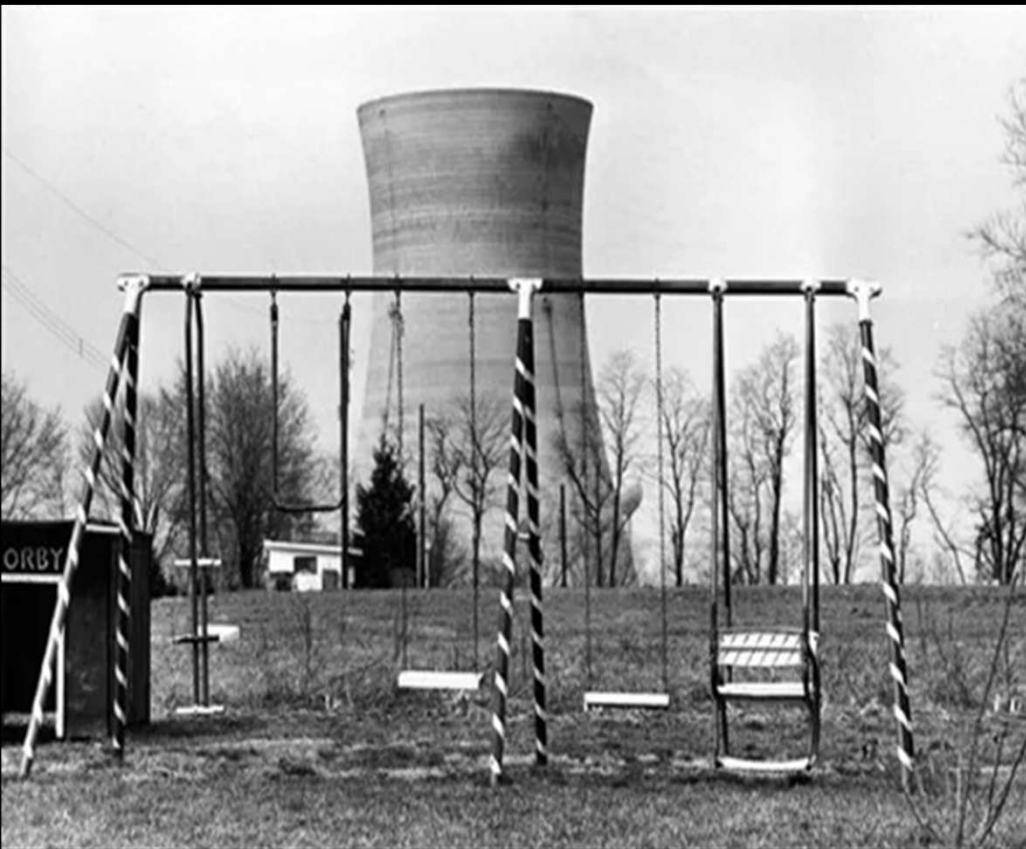
Radiation Emissions and Cancer Incidence within 10 miles of TMI



Data Source: *Environmental Health Perspectives*, Volume 5, Number 1, January 1997
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“The Past is Never Dead. It’s not Even Passed.” – William Faulkner



What can you do?

- 1) Activists across the country should call in during Nuclear Regulatory Commission's dog and pony shows.
- 2) Residents of Maryland, New York, and Pennsylvania should contact the Susquehanna River Basin Commission and express opposition to the June 4, 2026 decision their state voted to allow Three Mile Island to withdraw 73.2 million gallons of water.

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