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INDIAN POINT SITES - BUCHANAN, WESTCHESTER COUNTY

The Indian Point Nuclear Energy Center (IPEC) is located on the shore of the Hudson River in Buchanan, New York. Three electric utilities have operated the three nuclear power plants at this site. Until September 2001, Consolidated Edison was the owner and operator of Units 1 and 2; the New York Power Authority (NYPA) operated Unit 3. Entergy Corporation purchased Indian Point Unit 3 in 2000 and Indian Point Unit 2, along with the permanently shut down Unit 1, in 2001. Unit 1 was shut down on October 31, 1974, Unit 2 on April 30, 2020, and Unit 3 on April 30, 2021.

In May of 2021, all three units of Indian Point Energy Center were purchased by Holtec International in a deal that allowed the site to enter immediate decommissioning. The deal enables decommissioning and site release for alternate uses decades sooner than previously anticipated.

Additional information on the reactors is available at:

<http://www.nrc.gov/info-finder/reactor/ip2.html>

<http://www.nrc.gov/info-finder/reactor/ip3.html>

<https://holtecinternational.com/company/divisions/hdi/our-fleet/indian-point/>

Indian Point is regulated by the US Nuclear Regulatory Commission and is required to submit annual effluent monitoring reports. These reports are available to the public and may be found at: <http://www.nrc.gov/reactors/operating/ops-experience/tritium/plant-specific-reports/ip2-3.html>

The Indian Point Decommissioning Oversight Board (DOB) was established in 2020 to advise on and assess how to protect the financial, environmental, and physical interests of the communities affected by decommissioning, including the interests of the current workforce as it relates to continuing the public safety of the surrounding communities. Additional information on the DOB can be found at:

<https://dps.ny.gov/indian-point-decommissioning-oversight-board-dob>

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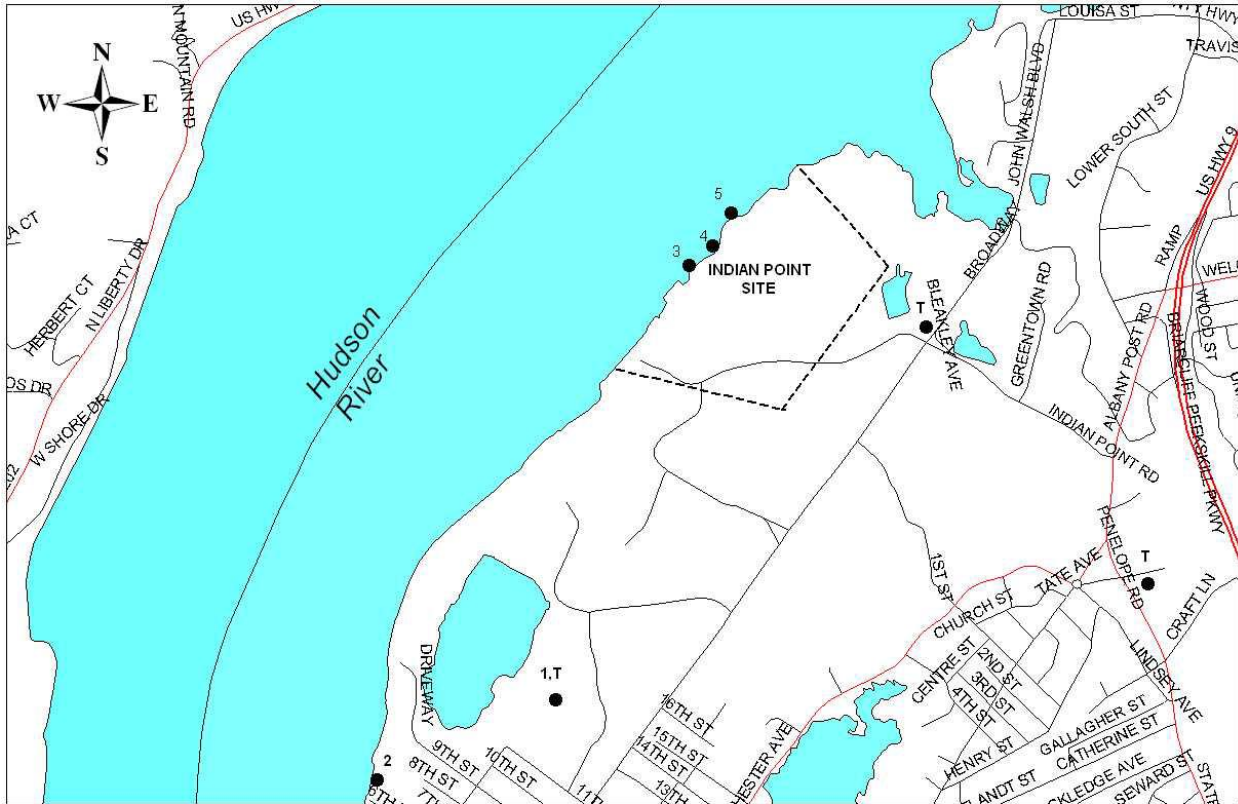


Figure 2.2-4. Indian Point Site Sampling Locations