

**Notification of Intent to Close [40 CFR § 257.102(g)]
Tennessee Valley Authority
Gallatin Fossil Plant Ash Pond Complex
Gallatin, Tennessee**

This document provides notice of intent to close the Ash Pond Complex (APC) located at the Gallatin Fossil Plant (GAF) as required by 40 CFR § 257.102(g). The APC is comprised of Ash Pond A, Ash Pond E, Middle Pond A, and the Bottom Ash Pond. As of June 21, 2019, the Tennessee Valley Authority (TVA) has completed construction of temporary facilities to convert the bottom ash handling facilities from wet to dry. Therefore, pursuant to 40 CFR § 257.101(b)(1) and § 257.103(a)(2), TVA has ceased placing waste streams into the APC and is initiating closure of the APC in accordance with the requirements of 40 CFR § 257.102.

The closure of the APC is subject to the completion of all necessary environmental reviews. TVA is currently reviewing the closure of the APC and will prepare an Environmental Impact Statement (EIS) that will address the alternatives of closure by removal of the APC to an on-site landfill and/or to a beneficial reuse facility with the potential for some unusable coal combustion residuals (CCR) to be disposed of in an on-site or off-site landfill in accordance with applicable state and federal laws. As reflected in the current Closure Plan, and subject to the completion of the EIS, the method of closure proposed for the APC is closure-by-removal pursuant to 40 CFR § 257.102(c).

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