Time to Take Back Pickering's Waterfront

The Pickering Nuclear Station's operating licence expires in 2024. By immediately dismantling the station after it closes, **Pickering can revitalize its waterfront and create thousands of good new jobs.**



The International Atomic
Energy Agency says
immediate dismantling
is the 'preferred
decommissioning strategy'
for nuclear stations



Here's why it makes sense for Pickering:

- Immediate dismantling will permit most of the Station's 600acre site to be returned to the local community by 2034 and open the door to the revitalization of Pickering's waterfront.
- Immediate dismantling will permit the people who currently work at the station to be involved in its dismantling. These are the people who know this one-of-a-kind station best and know how to safely deal with radioactive materials.
- Immediate dismantling will create 16,000 person-years of employment in Pickering between 2024 and 2034, allowing for a fair economic transition for workers and the community.
- Immediate dismantling will enable the City of Pickering to become a world leader in nuclear decommissioning. To date, 196 reactors have been shut down around the world, but only 20 have been completely decommissioned. Another 180 reactors will likely be shut down by 2030. By immediately dismantling the Pickering Nuclear Station we can develop decommissioning expertise that we can market around the world.

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The people of Pickering don't want a giant radioactive grey ghost sitting on their waterfront for another 40 years or more, which is what will happen if Ontario Power Generation gets its way. It is time to set a new course for Pickering by capturing the major community and economic benefits from revitalizing this massive waterfront site.

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calling for the immediate dismantling of the Pickering Nuclear Station after it closes

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