



Oyster Creek Generating Station Fact Sheet

Generation:

- Number of units: 1 operating unit
- Total site net MW generation: 645 MW
- 2010 net generation: 4.6 million mwh
- 2010 capacity factor: 84.1 percent
- Customers served: More than 600,000 homes

Type and Manufacturer of Reactor

- Boiling Water Reactor: General Electric

Ownership:

- Exelon Nuclear: 100 percent

Construction

- Plant builder: Burns & Roe, Inc.
- When construction began: Jan. 16, 1965
- When unit entered commercial service: Unit 1: Dec. 23, 1969
- Operating license: Oyster Creek will retire in 2019

Signature Events/Key Sponsorships

Key community contributions:

- United Way of Ocean County
- Lacey Township Board of Education
- Lanoka Harbor EMS
- Girl Scouts of Ocean County

Site Features

Site Size:
Approximately 700 acres.

Location:
Forked River, Ocean County, N.J.

Number of employees:
Approximately 700

Annual payroll:
Approximately \$65 million

2010 tax payments:
Approximately \$2.4 million

Other Plant Information/Events

Oyster Creek aims to be a good neighbor and is very active in the local community. Charitable Giving & Volunteerism. Oyster Creek has the largest employee-run United Way campaign in Ocean County. In 2010, Oyster Creek employees donated \$285,000 to the Ocean County United Way. In 2010, Oyster Creek hosted 150 Boy Scouts members in the plant's control room simulator to help them earn their Nuclear Science merit badge.

Also in 2010, Oyster Creek donated \$8,500 to the Lanoka Harbor EMS for an oxygen cascade system; \$10,000 to Lacey Township Schools to support the purchase of educational equipment; and \$2,500 to the Fish Hawks Saltwater Anglers Club to support the purchase of fishing rods and equipment to be given to youth members of Big Brothers Big Sisters of Ocean County.