Byron Generating Station

Generation
- Number of units: 2 operating units
- Total site net MW generation: 2,347 MW
- 2016 net generation: 19,600,249 mwh
- 2016 capacity factor: 95.1 percent
- Customers served: More than 2 million homes

Type and Manufacturer of Reactor
- Pressurized Water Reactor: Westinghouse

Ownership
- Exelon Nuclear: 100 percent

Construction
- Plant Builder: Utility
- Consulting engineer: Sargent and Lundy
- When construction began: 1975
- When units entered commercial service: Unit 1: Sept, 16, 1985, Unit 2: Aug, 2, 1987
- Operating License: Unit 1 is licensed to operate until 2044 and Unit 2 until 2046

Site Features
- Site Size: Approximately 1,782 acres.
- Location: Outside of Byron, Ill., approximately 20 miles southwest of Rockford, Ill., and 90 miles west of Chicago.
- Number of employees: Approximately 860
- Annual payroll: Approximately $81.6 million
- 2016 tax payments: Approximately $33 million

Signature Events/Key Sponsorships

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<th>Catherwood Memorial Playground</th>
<th>Gave $5,000 to sponsor a Boy Scout project rebuilding Stillman Valley playground and dedicate it to fallen Byron Marine Alec Catherwood.</th>
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<td>Education</td>
<td>Donated $5,000 to STEM programs in the Oregon and Mt. Morris school districts. Also gave $1,000 each in scholarships to Byron, Oregon and Stillman Valley High Schools.</td>
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Other Plant Information/Events

In addition to the signature events above, Byron Station provided financial and volunteer support for a number of community groups in 2015:

- American Cancer Society’s Relay for Life
- Autumn on Parade
- ByronFest
- Byron Police Department Operation Santa
- Leaf River Daze
- Lifeline Food Pantry
- Ogle County Fair
- Oregon Park District Candlelight Walk
- Oregon Park District summer concert series
- Rock River Valley Blood Bank blood drive (two)
- Stillman Valley annual Fall Festival
- United Way Crusade of Mercy
- And many more!
- Nearly $250,000 donated in 2016!