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Acushnet to Fall River Reliability Project

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Welcome

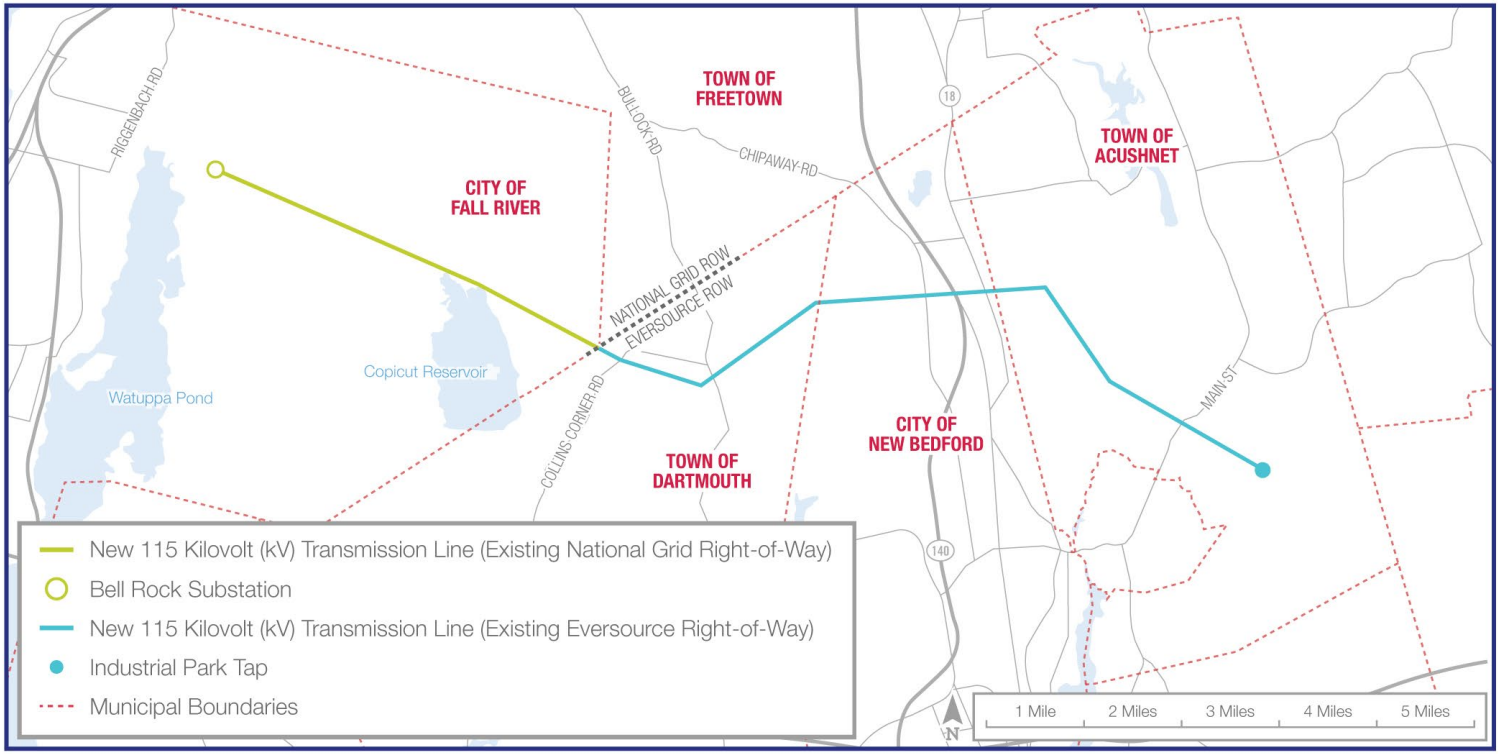
National Grid's project team members from different departments are available to answer your questions and take your feedback

- Construction
- Forestry
- Environmental
- Project Management
- Engineering
- Project Engagement



Project Overview

The Acushnet to Fall River Reliability Project is a joint project of National Grid and Eversource. This Project is one of several planned infrastructure upgrades in Southeastern Massachusetts. The project will support the growing transmission needs of the area well into the future.

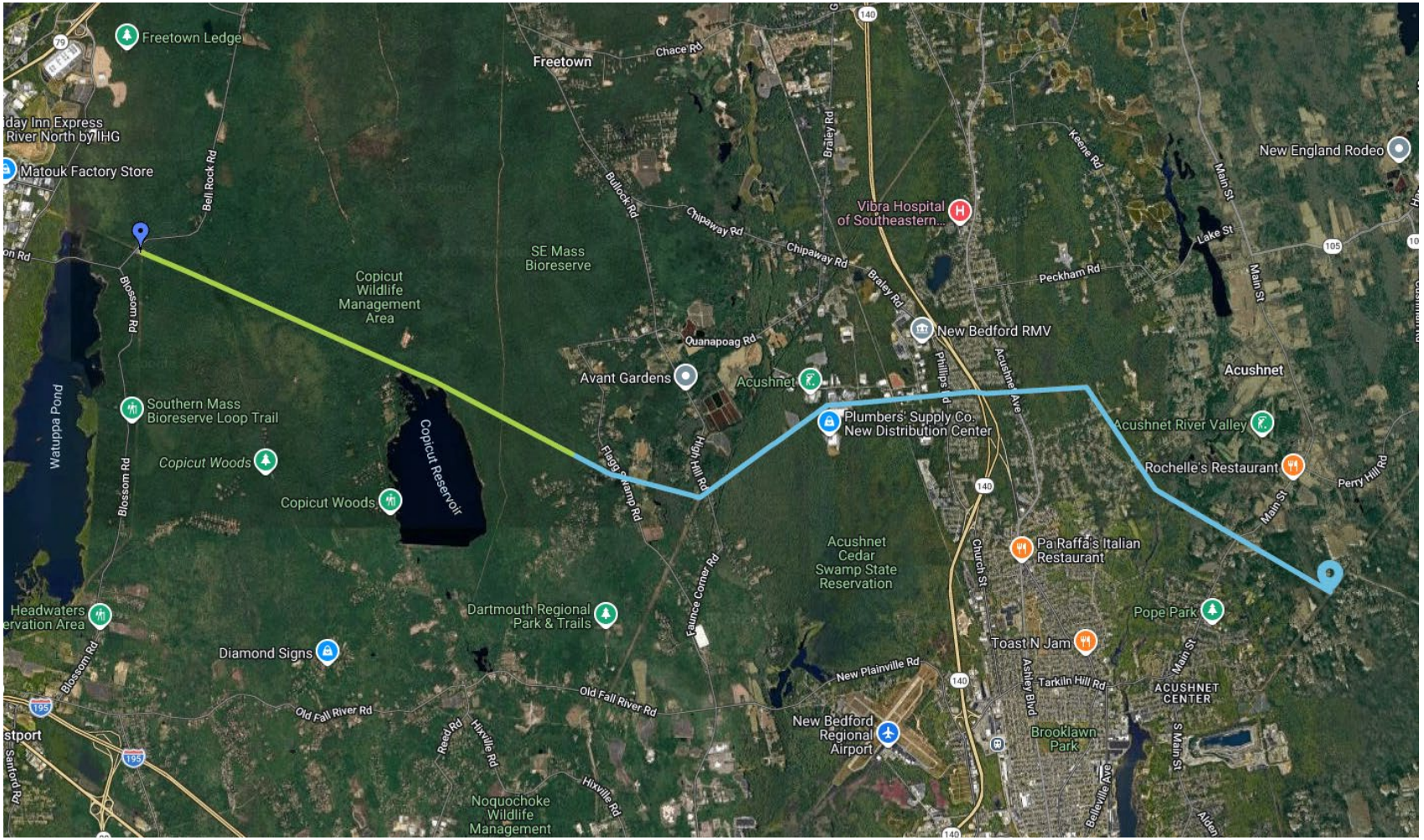


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Project Scope and Need

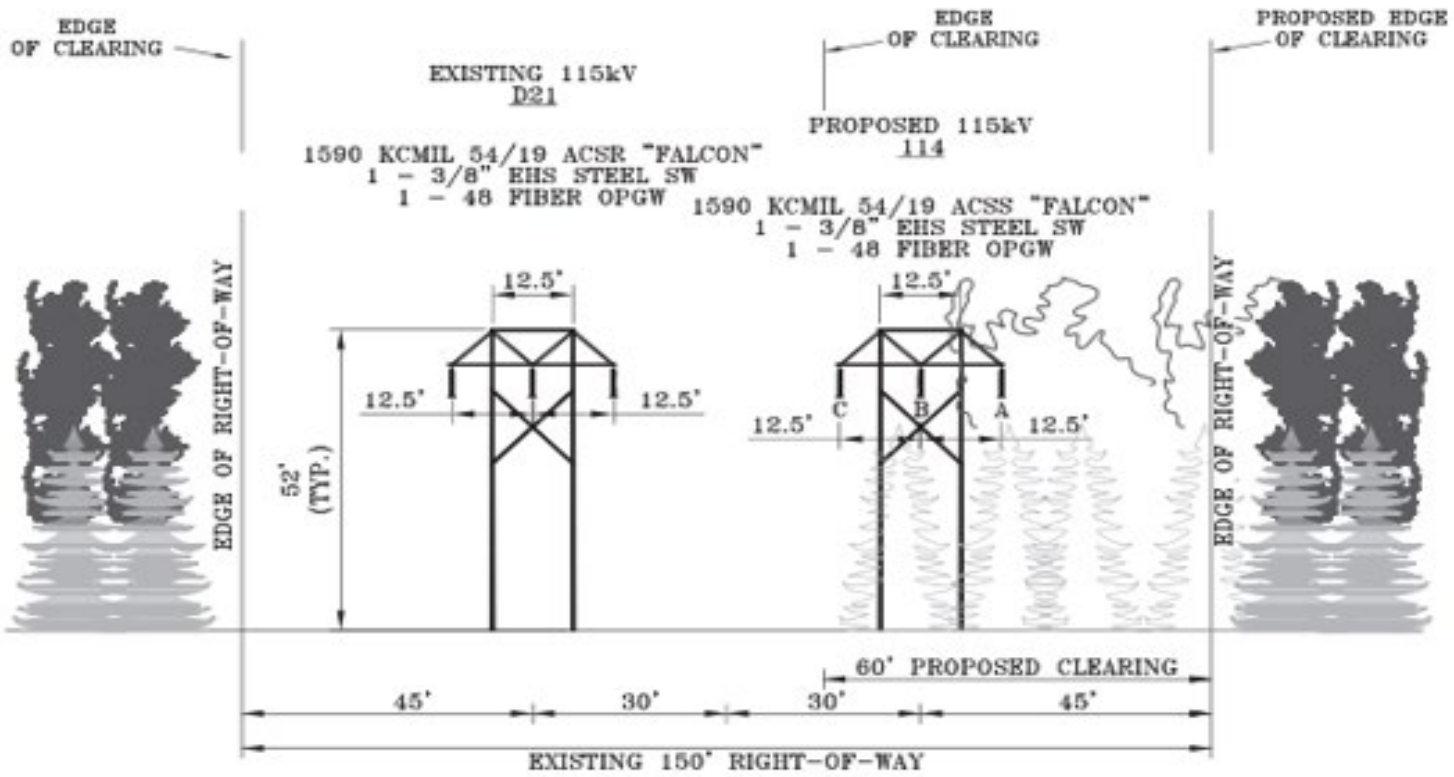
- **To improve reliability in the electrical system National Grid and Eversource Energy will be constructing a new 12.1 mile, 115-kV overhead transmission line**
- **The new transmission line will be constructed within the companies' service territories:**
  - Eversource Energy will construct approximately 7.9 miles
  - National Grid will construct approximately 4.2 miles
- **The line is to be built in an existing right-of-way:**
  - Between Eversource's Industrial Park Tap in Acushnet, MA and National Grid's Bell Rock Substation in Fall River, MA
  - On the south side of the power line corridor, alongside an existing 115 kV transmission line
- **The new transmission line will connect to National Grid's Bell Rock Substation, which was recently upgraded**
- **The proposed additional transmission infrastructure in this area will meet the increasing demand for electricity**

Area Overview:
Fall River, Massachusetts



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Project Structures Overview



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Winter Photo Simulation





Summer Photo Simulation

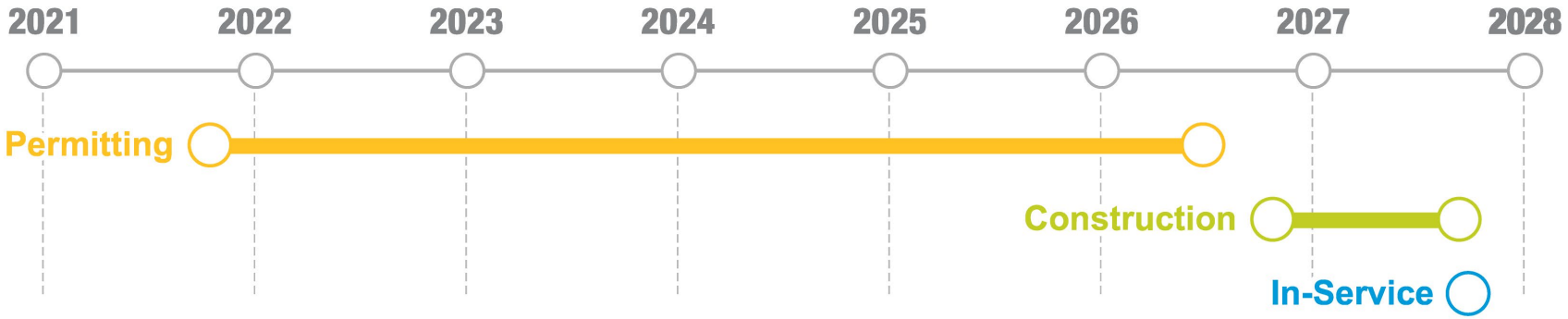




Project Schedule

**Dates subject to change*

National Grid and Eversource filed an application with the Energy Facilities Siting Board (EFSB) and the Department of Public Utilities (DPU) in December of 2021 to seek approval for this Project. In April 2026, the EFSB issued its Final Decision and Order approving the project. The Companies continue to work with federal, state, and local agencies to ensure the project meets all applicable standards.



Construction Activities and Equipment

Pre-Construction Activities



Timber Mats "matting"



Sediment Controls



Crushed Stone

Typical T-Line Construction Equipment



Excavator



Drill Rig



Terrain Crane



Concrete Truck



Pumper



Crane Bucket Truck



Puller



Wire Trailer

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Project Contacts

Thank you for attending tonight's Open House!

We appreciate the opportunity to update you on the Acushnet to Fall River Reliability Project and look forward to completing this project to better serve you, your neighbors and all our customers.

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