



# MARKLE EXTENSION TRANSMISSION LINE PROJECT

Indiana Michigan Power (I&M) representatives plan power grid upgrades in Huntington County. The upgrades support Heartland Rural Electric Membership Corporation (REMC) and address the growing power demand in the area, enhancing electric reliability for customers. Crews expect construction to begin summer 2026 and conclude fall 2026.

## WHAT

The project involves:

- Building about 3 miles of 138-kilovolt (kV) power line.
- Installing switch equipment to connect the new power line to an existing 138-kV power line.

## WHY

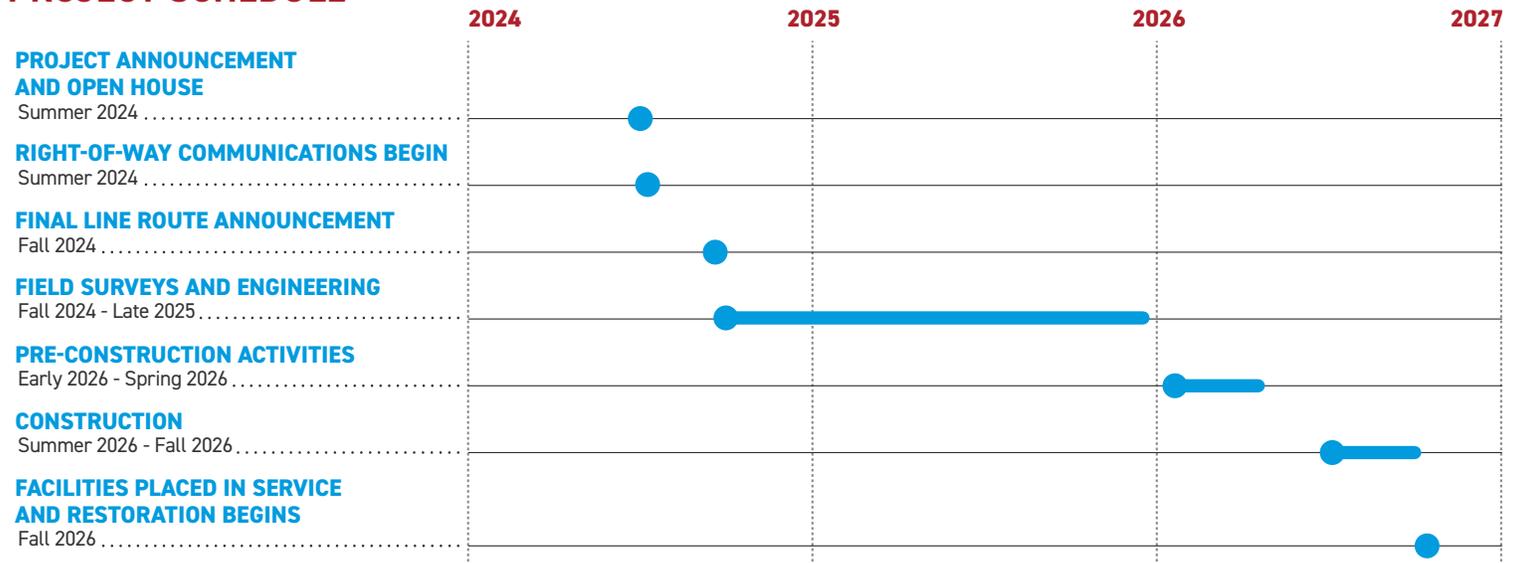
The improvements:

- Provide electric service to the future Heartland REMC Markle Substation located off Novae Parkway, north of Markle.
- Address the area's growing demand for electricity by linking the substation to the power grid.
- Allow equipment isolation during power outages to limit the number of impacted customers, ensure power grid functionality and operational flexibility.

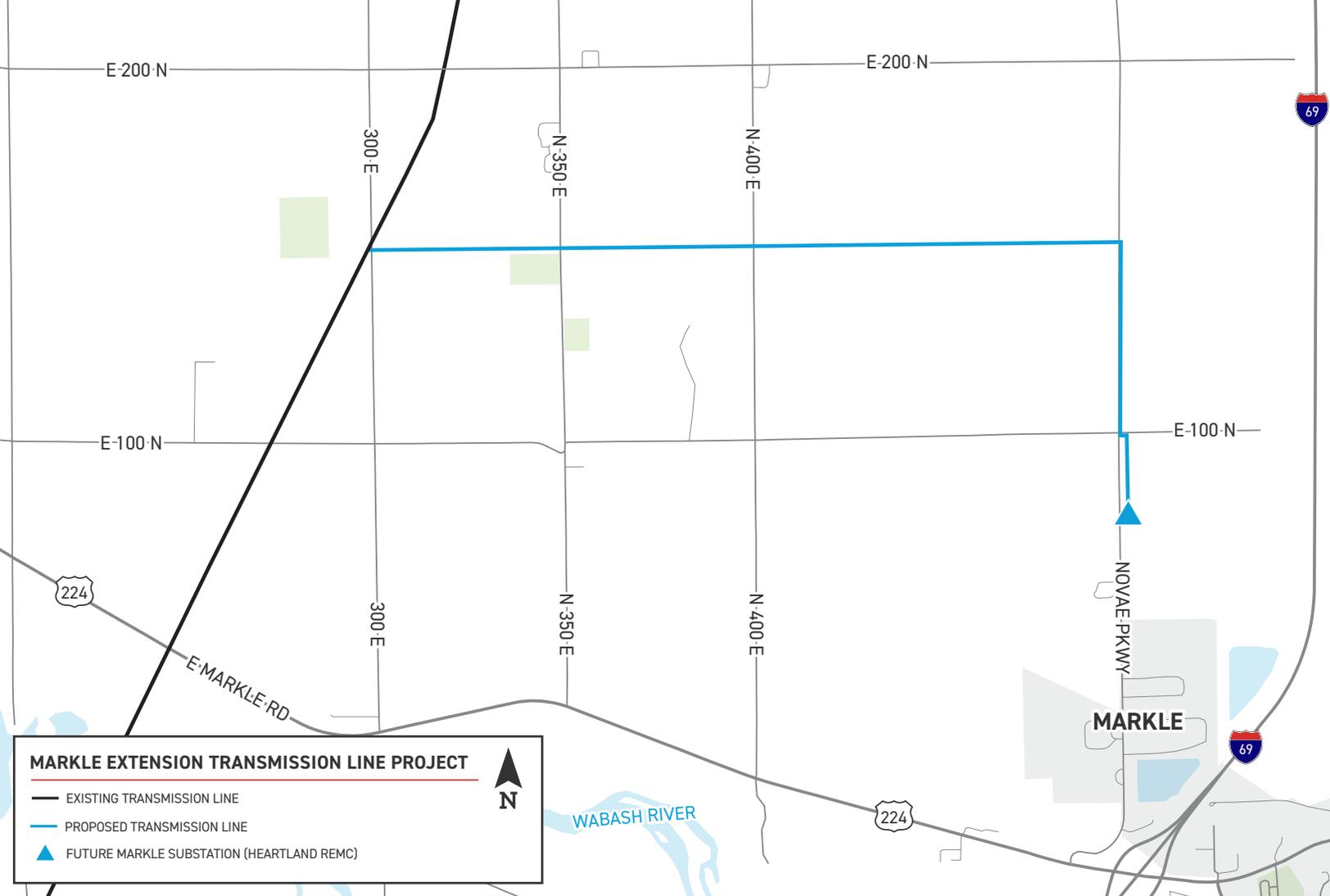
## WHERE

- Huntington County
- Union Township
- Town of Markle

## PROJECT SCHEDULE



\*Timeline subject to change.

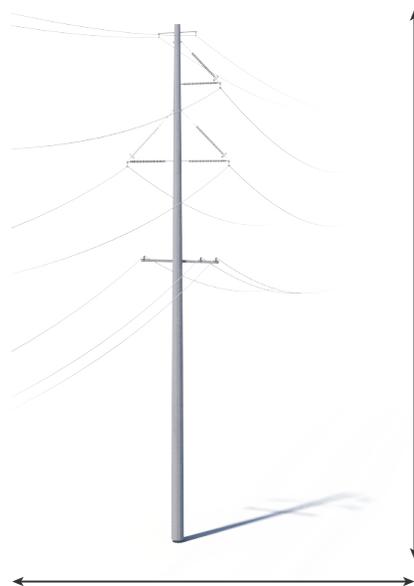


## TYPICAL STRUCTURES

The project involves installing steel poles.

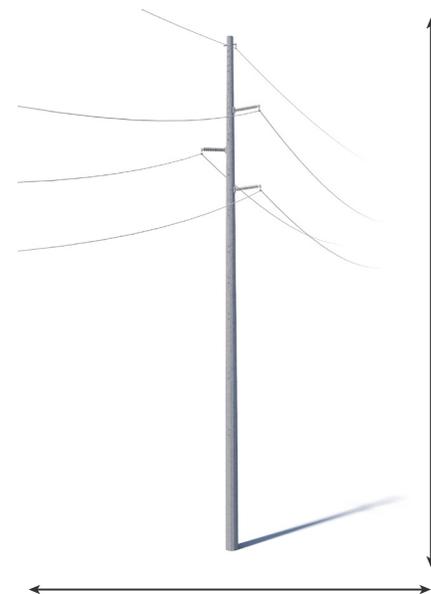
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Typical Right-of-Way Width: **Approximately 100 feet\***



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\*Exact pole, height and right-of-way requirements may vary

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