

EAST ELKHART TRANSMISSION LINE PROJECT

Indiana Michigan Power representatives plan power grid upgrades to improve electric reliability and efficiency for customers in north-central Indiana. The East Elkhart Transmission Line Project involves connecting the proposed RV Capital Substation to the local grid by relocating about 2 miles of power line and rebuilding about 1 mile of line.

WHAT

The project involves:

- Building about 2 miles of power line to connect the proposed RV Capital Substation, off County Road 19, to an existing power pole near County Road 23.
- Rebuilding about a mile of power line between County Road 23 and County Road 123.
- Removing about 2 miles of power line between County Road 23 and County Road 19.

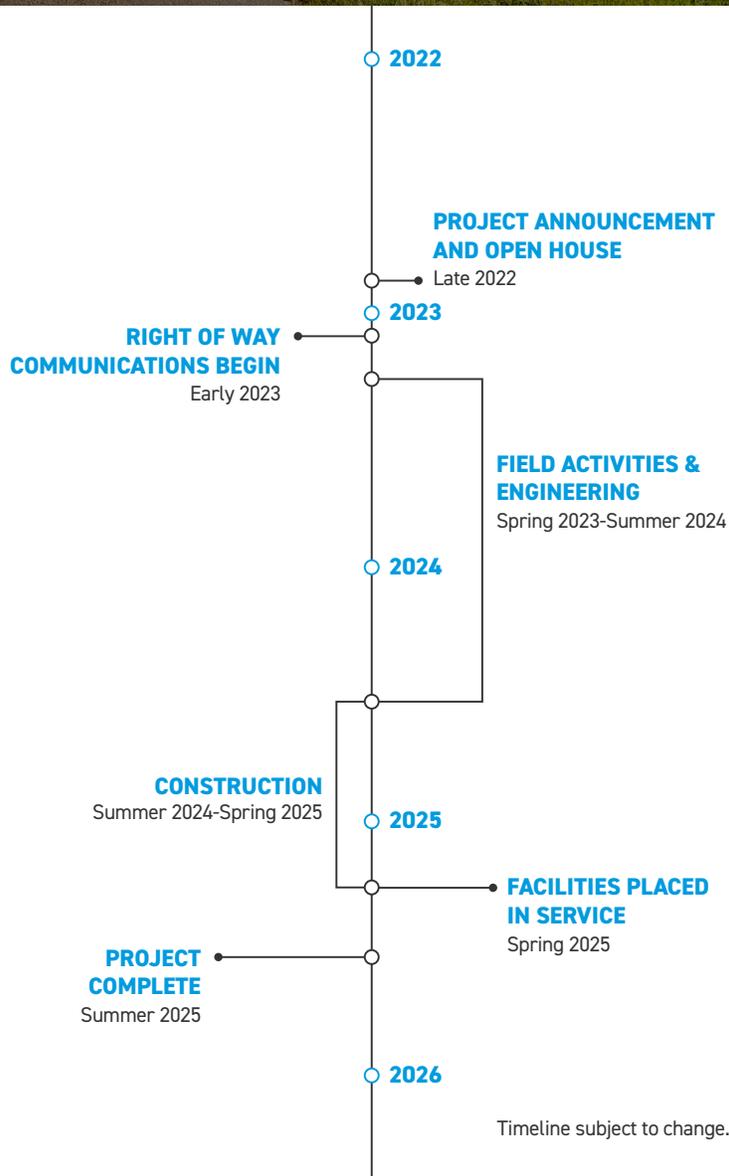
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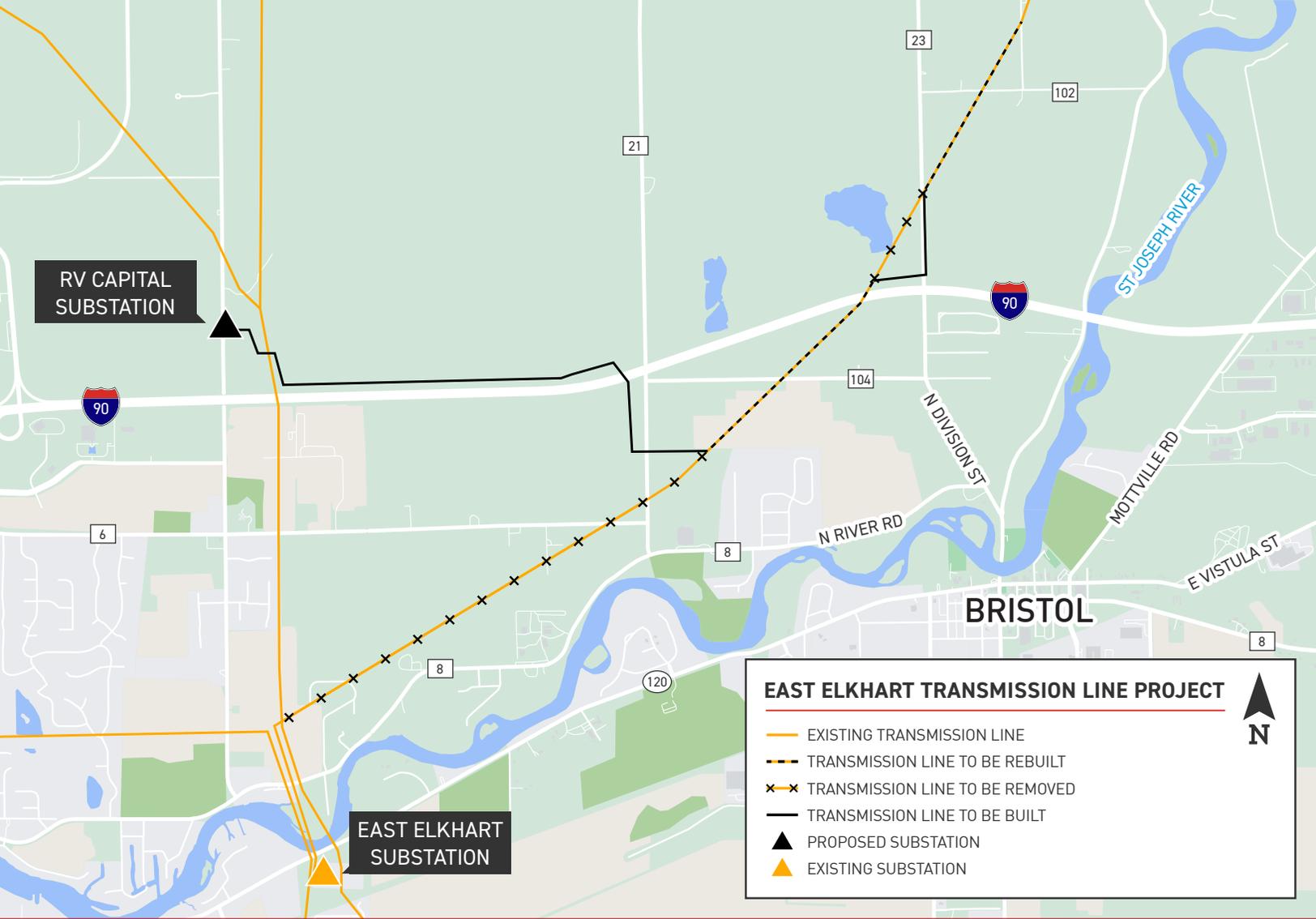
The existing 60-year-old power line consists of aging equipment that does not meet today's operational standards. In the past decade, the existing power line has experienced five service interruptions resulting in extended power outages for area customers. The planned improvements provide a new power source to strengthen the local electric power grid, provide power to a future customer in the area and support economic development.

WHERE

The project area includes:

- Elkhart
- Bristol
- Washington Township in Elkhart County



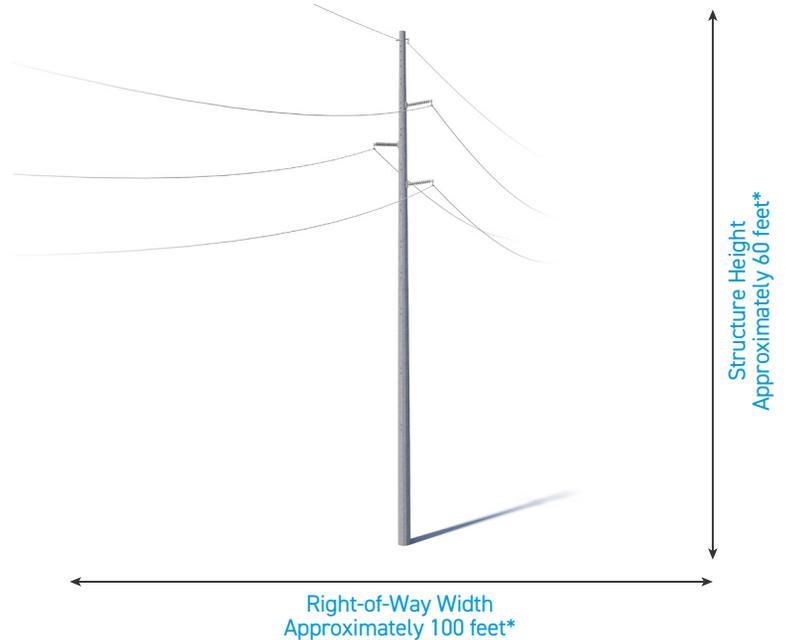


TYPICAL STRUCTURES

The project involves installing steel poles.

Typical Pole Height: **Approximately 60 feet***

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



*Exact structure, height, and right-of-way requirements may vary.

WE VALUE YOUR INPUT. PLEASE SEND COMMENTS AND QUESTIONS TO:

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