

Maddox Creek - Norse Transmission Project

AEP Ohio representatives plan power grid upgrades in Van Wert County. The project provides power to a customer facility by building Norse Substation and about 2.5 miles of transmission line. If approved, crews expect construction to begin late 2027 and conclude late 2028.

What

The project involves:

- Building the Norse Substation off Stripe Road, north of U.S. 30.
- Building about 2.5 miles of 345-kV transmission lines* connecting the Maddox Creek Substation off Fife Road to the proposed Norse Substation.
- Connecting the Norse Substation to a customer facility.

* The company plans to build two separate transmission lines from the Maddox Creek Substation that will merge onto a single set of structures before connecting to the Norse Substation.

*This project requires Ohio Power Siting Board (OPSB) approval.

Why

The project supplies power to a new customer facility, with the customer covering the costs for the connections between Norse Substation and their site, as well as the power they use. The project also provides additional electric capacity to reliably support future economic development and growth in the area.

Where

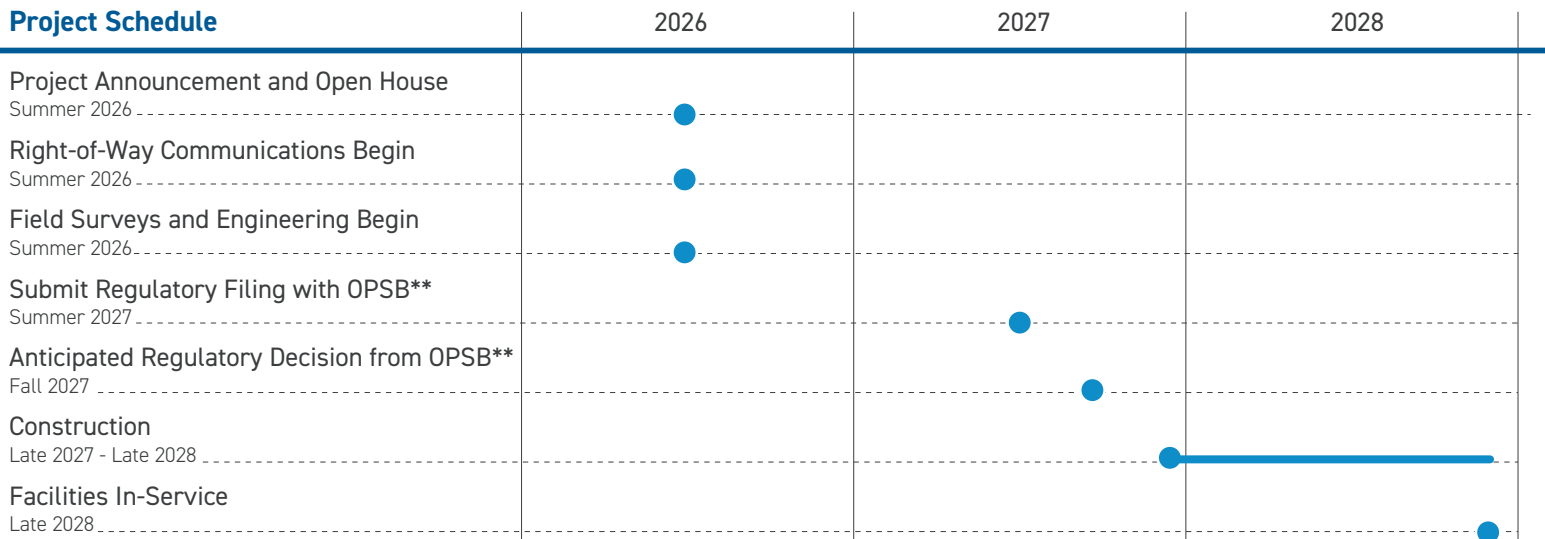
The project area includes:

- Van Wert County
- Hoaglin, Ridge, and Union townships
- City of Van Wert

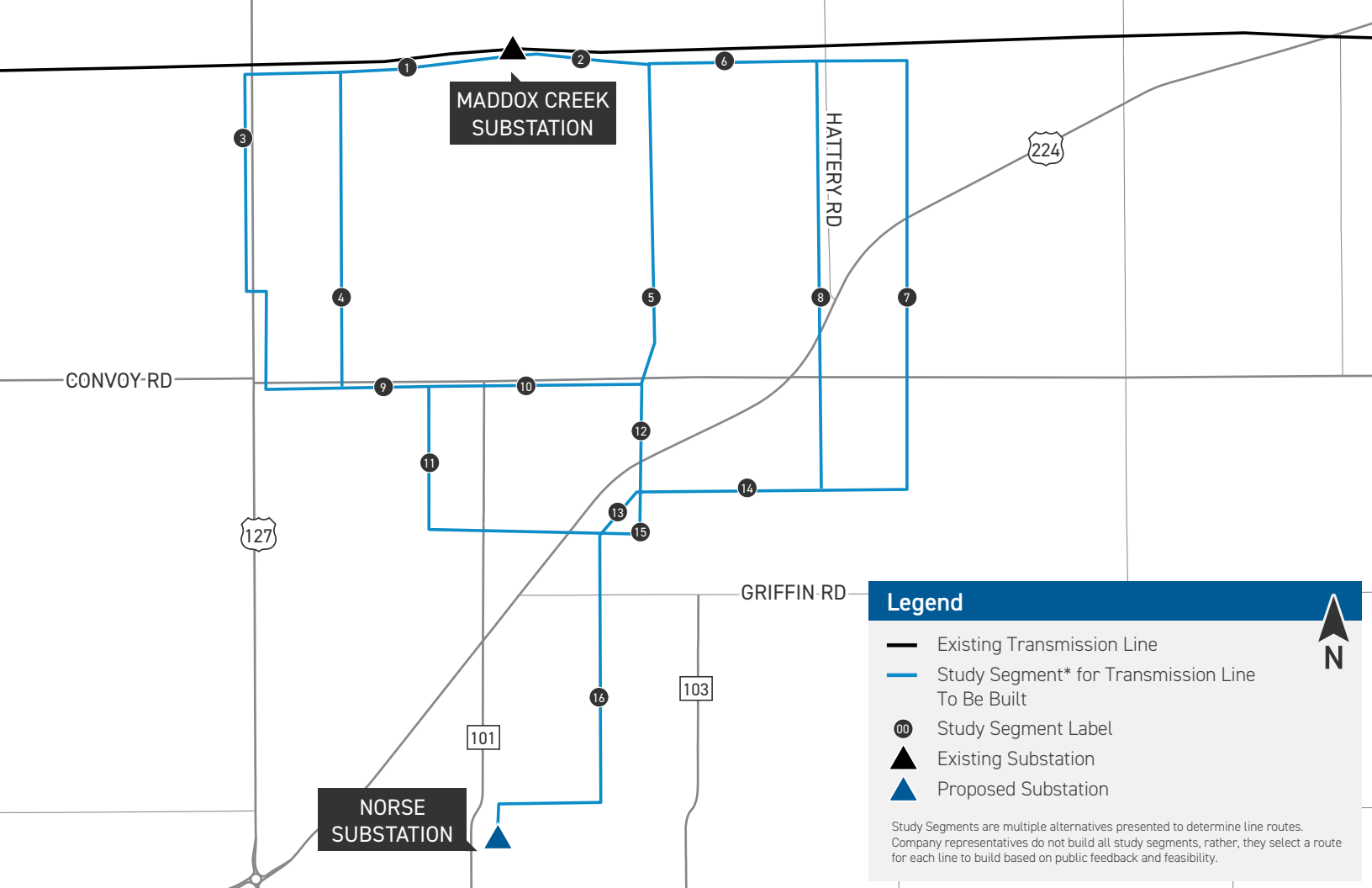
Company representatives plan to evaluate possible study segments* to help determine the location of the two power lines.

*Study segments are various options presented to help decide a power line route. Company representatives don't build all the segments. Instead, they select a route for each line based on public feedback and feasibility.

Project Schedule



*Timeline subject to change.

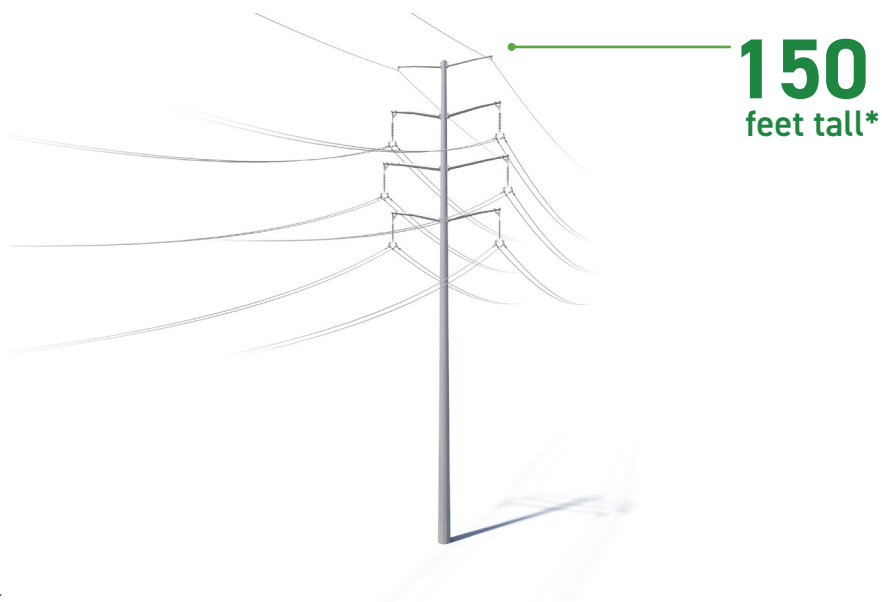


Typical Structures

Crews plan to install steel monopoles.

Typical Structure Height:
Approximately 150 feet*

Typical Right-of-Way Width:
Approximately 150 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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