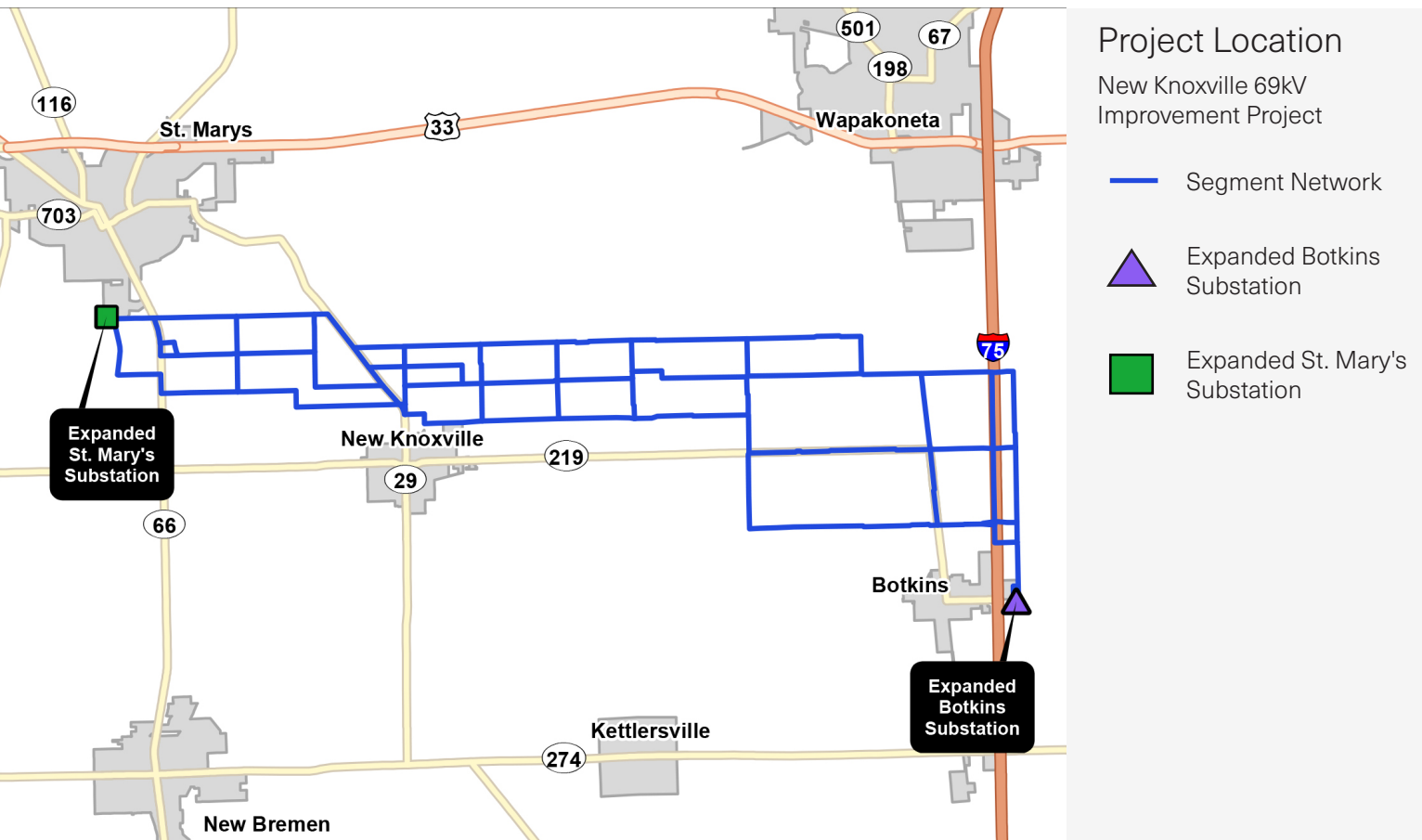


New Knoxville 69kV Improvement Project

AES Ohio is proposing a new single circuit 69kV line connecting the Botkins Substation in Botkins and the St. Mary's Substation in St. Mary's to the Village of New Knoxville. This new 69kV transmission line will connect through a three-way tap to support the Village of New Knoxville. These enhancements introduce an additional capacity and redundancy into the Village of New Knoxville area. Additionally, these facilities will support operational flexibility for preventative maintenance on other transmission lines and transmission substation equipment within the region. A map showing the project area and several potential route options for the new transmission line is shown below.



What

- The Project includes:
- Expanding the current Botkins 69kV Substation
- Expanding the current St. Mary's 69kV Substation
- Constructing a 69kV transmission line connecting Botkins Substation to St. Marys Substation
- Constructing a three-way tap to connect to the Village of New Knoxville

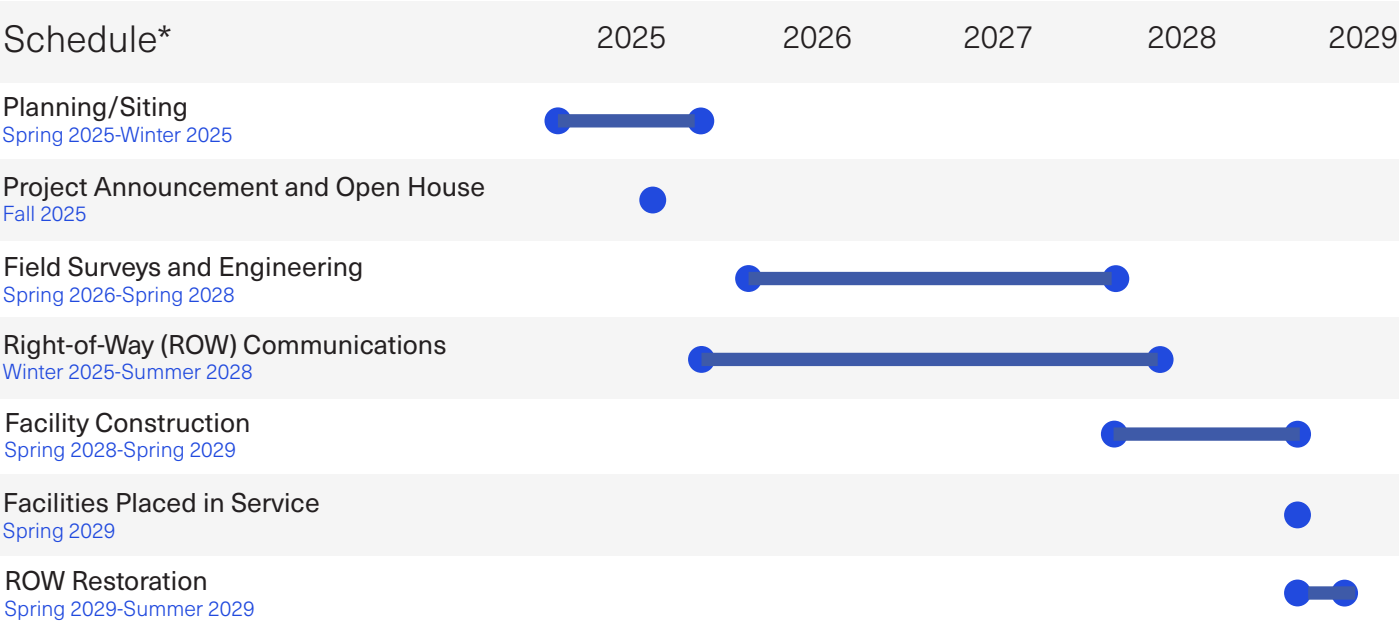
Why

AES Ohio is dedicated to accommodating the load growth near the Village of New Knoxville, Ohio. The latest load requests necessitate an increase in transmission support by 2030. These network enhancements are designed to serve the new load and provide increased capacity, flexibility, and redundancy for Auglaize and Shelby counties and their communities.

Where

- Auglaize County
- Shelby County
- City of St. Marys
- Village of New Knoxville
- Village of Botkins

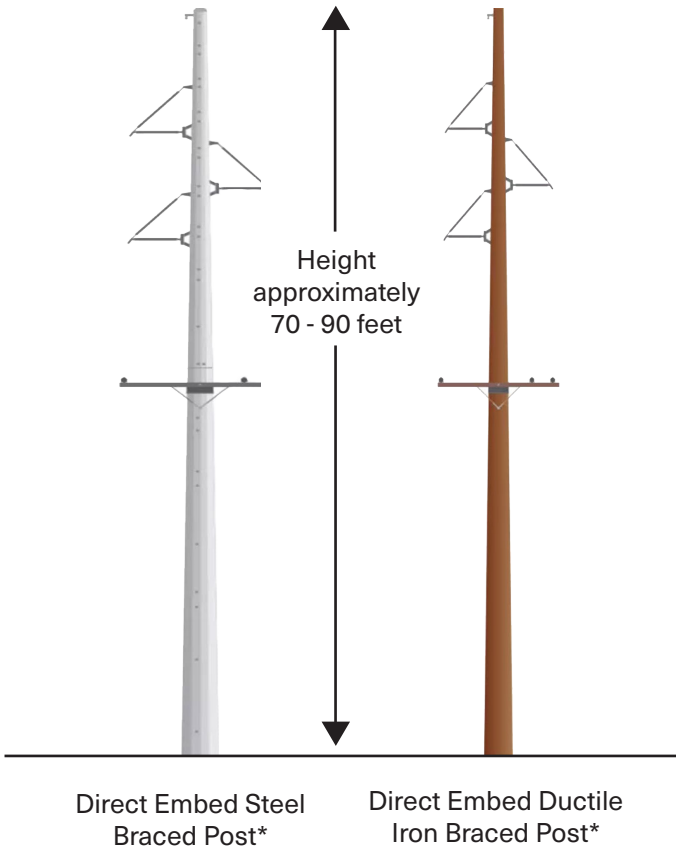
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*Schedule is preliminary and subject to change.

Typical Structures

The Project involves the use of both steel and ductile iron poles, with heights ranging from approximately 70 - 90 ft. with an approximate ROW easement width of 30 - 75 ft.



*Final structure height, structure type, and ROW easement width vary.

Where Can I Get More Information?

AES Ohio Values your input.

Please visit the project website, call, or email us using the contact information below to leave feedback.

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Company Overview

Serving 539,000 customers across 24 counties

- Approximately 18,000 miles of transmission, distribution and underground lines
- 6,000 square mile service territory
- Employing more than 900 people

AES Ohio invests our equipment and technology to create a stronger, safer and more efficient electrical system. We know our customers depend on us to provide the electricity they need to power their lives.

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