# **ROSELMS-KALIDA** AREA IMPROVEMENTS PROJECT

AEP Ohio representatives plan power grid upgrades in Putnam and Paulding counties. The project involves rebuilding about 30 miles of power line and building about 10 miles of power line. The proposed upgrades improve reliability by replacing aging infrastructure and speeding recovery of service when outages occur.



## WHAT

The project involves:

- $\cdot$  Rebuilding about 30 miles of power line
- Building about 10 miles of power line
- $\boldsymbol{\cdot}$  Replacing wooden poles with steel poles

#### WHY

The improvements:

- Replace wooden poles that date back to 1960 and 1970
- Strengthen the local power grid
- $\cdot$  Reduce the likelihood of power outages
- $\boldsymbol{\cdot}$  Speed recovery of service when outages occur

### WHERE

The project area includes:

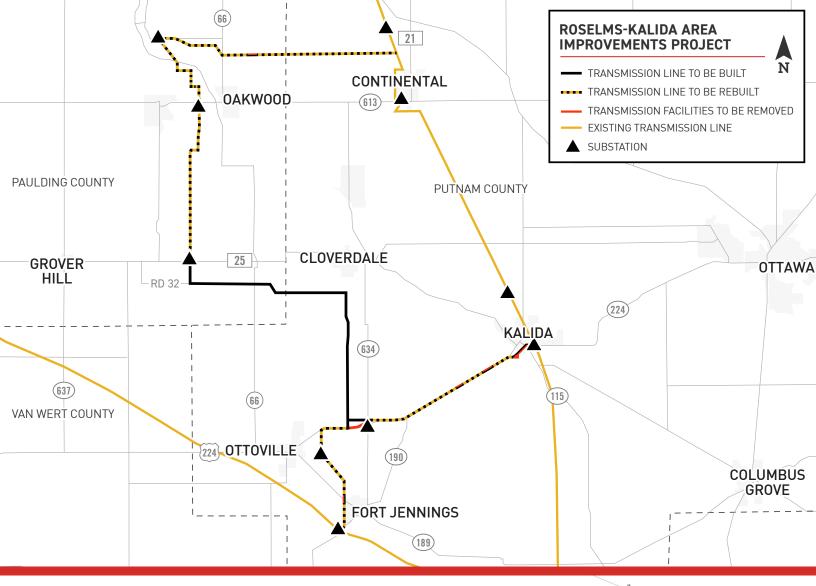
- Putnam County
- Paulding County

Company representatives plan to update, supplement and acquire new property easements where necessary to ensure the safe construction, operation and maintenance of the power lines.

#### **PROJECT SCHEDULE**

	2020	2021	2022	2023	2024	<u>2025</u>	2026	2027
PROJECT ANNOUNCEMENT Summer 2020								
RIGHT-OF-WAY COMMUNICATIONS Summer 2020 - Summer 2025								
FIELD SURVEYS & ENGINEERING	•						•	
Fall 2020 - Summer 2024		•						
PRE-CONSTRUCTION ACTIVITIES BEGIN Early 2024.								
TRANSMISSION LINE CONSTRUCTION Early 2024 - Summer 2026								•
FACILITIES PLACED IN SERVICE Summer 2026								

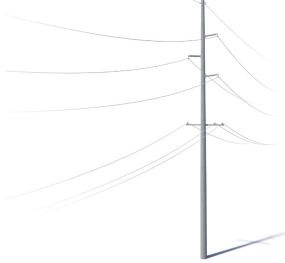
\*Timeline subject to change.



#### **TYPICAL STRUCTURES**

The project involves the use of single, steel poles.

Structure Height: Approximately 80 feet\* Right-of-Way Width: Approximately 60 feet\*



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

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