## Lockport – Batavia 112 Transmission Line Rebuild Project

## Article VII Fact Sheet November 2022

Our commitment to our customers and communities begins by providing safe, reliable service, and meeting the increasing demand for energy. To that end, National Grid will be making significant investments in our electric infrastructure to assure reliability and to meet customer needs in Western New York.

#### About the Project

To continue providing safe and reliable electric service to Western New York, National Grid is planning to rebuild the electric transmission lines that are near your property or residence. The proposed Lockport – Batavia 112 Transmission Line Rebuild Project is located in the City of Lockport, and the Towns of Lockport, Royalton, and Alabama, New York.

#### **Project Schedule**

Late Fall 2022: Article VII Application Submittal April 2025: Anticipated Construction Start March 2027: Anticipated Construction Completion

#### **Permitting Process Overview**

National Grid will need to obtain permits and approvals from state and federal agencies in order to begin construction. National Grid is submitting an application to the New York Public Service Commission for a Certificate of Environmental Compatibility and Public Need.

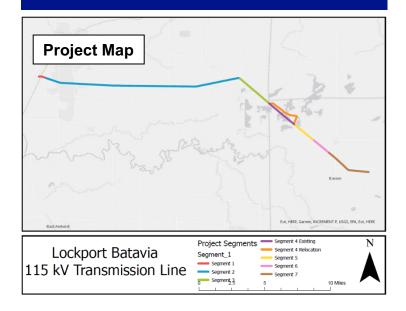
#### How to Subscribe to the PSC Service List

Once a project files an Article VII application, it is assigned a case number. If you would like to subscribe to a service list and receive updates on an Article VII project, a Service List Request Form can be downloaded from the PSC directly. Requests to be added to a project's service list can be filed anytime while a docket remains open with the PSC.

### Questions? Get in touch: 716-466-2007 (Toll-Free) www.LockportBataviaTransmission.com

#### ARTICLE VII PROCESS

- 1. An application for a Certificate of Environmental Compatibility and Public Need (Certificate) is submitted to the Public Service Commission.
- 2. The application is deemed complete and Public Statement Hearings and Public Information Forums are held.
- 3. If a Certificate is issued by the PSC, it will contain conditions on how the Project is to be built.
- 4. An Environmental Management and Construction Plan (EM&CP) is developed, detailing how the Project will be built and is filed with the PSC.
- 5. Once the EM&CP is approved by the PSC, public notifications will be required. A Notice to Proceed is issued before construction may begin.
- 6. During construction, the Project will be monitored by regulators until restoration is complete. Postconstruction monitoring may also be required.



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