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NORFOLK - STANTON NORTH PROJECT

November 2023

Open House Held September 19 in Norfolk

Nebraska Public Power District (NPPD) hosted an open house on September 19, 2023, from 2 to 8 p.m. at the Victory Road Assembly of God Church. There were 44 attendees who came to learn about the project’s preferred and alternative routes, potential structure types, right-of-way acquisition process, and more. Additionally, the virtual open house had 23 participants.

“We were incredibly pleased with the turnout at the in-person and virtual open houses,” said Project Manager Paul Brune. “At this point in the project, we are working to narrow down the preferred and alternative routes to a proposed route, so public comments are very important to us. We read through every comment submitted at our geographic information system (GIS) stations and from the physical and online comment forms. Each comment leads us closer to determining the final route.”






Ron Starzec, Land Management Manager, speaks with landowners at September’s open house.

Project Overview

The project consists of routing and siting a new 115 kilovolt (kV) transmission line from the Norfolk substation on the east side of Norfolk to the Stanton North substation northwest of Stanton. The line is estimated to be approximately eight miles long, with construction tentatively beginning in mid-2024 and ending late 2025.

Purpose and Need

- Increase the system’s transmission capacity to meet increasing demand 
- Accommodate current and projected future loads 

- Provide additional reliability and enhanced resiliency for the Stanton, Cuming, and Burt County areas 

Public Hearings set for December 12

NPPD will host two public hearings to present the proposed route on December 12 in Madison and Stanton Counties. Open houses will be offered one hour prior to each hearing. The open houses will be self-paced, so attendees should allow approximately 15-20 minutes before the hearings begin. At the start of the hearings, authorized NPPD representatives will give a formal presentation, followed by an opportunity for public comments.

All landowners within the original project area received this newsletter. Landowners near the newly identified proposed route should have received a certified letter inviting them to the upcoming open houses and public hearings.

The Norfolk-Stanton North Project Newsletter is published by NPPD's transmission project team. It is intended to provide a project overview and communicate project developments. If you no longer wish to receive project updates, please send an email to norfolk-stantonnorth@nppd.com.



Public Hearings

Date: December 12, 2023

Time: Open House: 12-1 p.m., CST
Public Hearing: 1-3 p.m., CST

Location: Victory Road Assembly of God Church
200 N Victory Rd, Norfolk, NE 68701

Date: December 12, 2023

Time: Open House: 6-7 p.m., CST
Public Hearing: 7-9 p.m., CST

Location: St. Peter's Catholic Church
1504 Ivy St, Stanton, NE 68779



Virtual Open House

Date: Runs December 12, 2023 - January 11, 2024

Link: norfolk-stantonnorth.nppd.com



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