

At Dominion Energy, we are dedicated to maintaining reliable and secure electric service and meeting the growing energy needs of the communities we proudly serve.

Mecklenburg County has been successful in diversifying its economic prospects and growing new industries in the county. As data center development continues to materialize, there is a need for new electric infrastructure in southside Virginia.

As the energy needs change in the area, we are meeting that growth with significant investment in the counties of Mecklenburg, Brunswick, Lunenburg, Charlotte, and Halifax.

Recent data center expansion is driving the need for three separate electric transmission projects. Each project requires new 230 kilovolt (kV) transmission lines and related substations. These projects are in line with our commitment to safety and reliability standards while addressing increased demands on the electric grid. These projects include:

The Butler Farm Project. This project involves the counties of Halifax, Charlotte, and Mecklenburg. The project includes building a new single-circuit 230 kV transmission line from the existing Clover Substation to the proposed Butler Farm Substation. It also includes building new single-circuit 230 kV transmission line structures between the proposed Finneywood 500 kV/230 kV Substation and the proposed Butler Farm Substation. A future project will require a new single-circuit 230 kV transmission line and structures which will run parallel on shared right of way. The new Butler Farm Substation will be on data center property.

The South Hill Project. This project involves the counties of Brunswick, Lunenburg and Mecklenburg. The project includes building two new single-circuit 230 kV transmission lines parallel to one another on shared right of way into the South Hill/La Crosse areas - two different electric solutions are being evaluated: one from the north and one from the east. Also, three new substations located on data center properties will be built along with a connecting transmission line loop between the three proposed substations.

The Jeffress Project. This new project takes place in Mecklenburg County. The project includes building two new single-circuit 230 kV transmission lines paralleling one another on shared right of way from the new Finneywood Substation to the proposed Jeffress Substation, which is on data center property.

We are currently in the conceptual phase and are seeking public input prior to submitting an application with the Virginia State Corporation Commission (SCC). Doing so allows us to hear any concerns the public may have as we work to meet the projects' needs. All three projects are in various stages of development, and each has its own targeted SCC filing date. As projects develop, communities will be given project-specific details. Please visit each project's web page on dominionenergy.com/powerline to review specific project information and routing options as they are developed.

We will engage the community and gather valuable feedback, including ways to keep construction, environmental, and visual impacts to a minimum. At Dominion Energy, we know that actions speak louder.

We are looking forward to investing in southern Virginia and helping to support the region in meeting its economic and community goals.