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MANKATO-MISSISSIPPI RIVER TRANSMISSION PROJECT

Join us at our upcoming open houses - in person or virtually. We need your feedback on new electric transmission line routes in your area.

Earlier this year, we held open houses to introduce the preliminary route options and get your feedback. We refined those routes based on landowner feedback.



WE WANT TO HEAR FROM YOU

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This project will improve reliability, deliver low-cost renewable energy and build new and more resilient 'backbone' electric transmission infrastructure to serve customers in Minnesota and the Upper Midwest.

This project is part of a portfolio of long-range electric transmission projects identified by the regional grid operator, MISO, to strengthen the overall grid.

PUBLIC OPEN HOUSES

Join us for in-person or virtual public open houses to learn more and provide your feedback.

- ▶ In-person open houses: Sept. 19 21 from 4 7 p.m.
- Live virtual meeting: Sept. 26 at 1 p.m.
- ➤ At your convenience, self-guided virtual open house from: Sept. 5 Sept. 30

Additional details and a project map are inside this postcard.





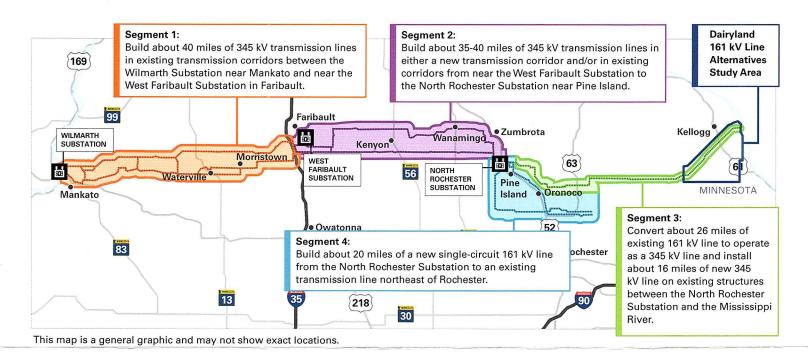




LEARN MORE ABOUT THE MANKATO-MISSISSIPPI RIVER TRANSMISSION PROJECT

The Mankato-Mississippi RiverTransmission Project includes about 120 miles of new and upgraded 345 kilovolt (kV) transmission lines between the existing Wilmarth Substation located near Mankato and a connection point at the Mississippi River near Kellogg. It also includes building about 20 miles of new 161 kV transmission lines between the existing North Rochester Substation near Pine Island and an existing transmission line northeast of Rochester, which is being relocated from its existing location to install the new 345 kV infrastructure.





OPEN HOUSE SCHEDULE

DATE	TIME	LOCATION	
Tuesday, Sept. 19	4 – 7 p.m.	Goodhue County Fairgrounds, 44279 County 6 Blvd., Zumbrota, MN 55992	
Wednesday, Sept. 20	4 – 7 p.m.	Ocuntry Inn & Suites by Radisson, 1900 Premier Dr., Mankato, MN 56001	
Thursday, Sept. 21	4 – 7 p.m.	Rice County Fairgrounds Cannon River Room, 1814 2nd Ave. NW, Faribault, MN 55021	
Tuesday, Sept. 26	1 p.m.	Live virtual open house, MMRTProject.com 🔭	
Sept. 5 through Sept. 30	At your convenience	■ Self-guided virtual open house, MMRTProject.com **	

You can also provide your feedback in other ways:



Leave a comment on our interactive map at **MMRTProject.com**



Request an information packet by calling 800-853-3365 or emailing Contact@MMRTProject.com

PROJECT TIMELINE

We currently anticipate the following schedule during project development. It's subject to change, but you can stay up to date by visiting MMRTProject.com.

2022	2023	2024 – 2026	2026 – 2028	2028
Project identified by MISO	Planning; route development process begins; public and stakeholder engagement; preliminary engineering; submit Certificate of Need and Route Permit Application	Minnesota permitting review (including public input); final engineering; negotiate with landowners to purchase easements; obtain other required permits; continued public stakeholder engagement	Construction	In-service and restoration