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Section 31 Transmission Line Rebuild Construction Notice

Dear Neighbor,

We want to share an update about the upcoming Section 31 Transmission Rebuild project planned for your community. We expect construction to begin in late April in Topsham. You may see more activity in the right-of-way as we prepare for this work.

Project Scope

Section 31 is a five-mile transmission line that travels from a substation near Crooker Construction in Topsham through the Topsham Fair Mall area, across the Androscoggin River, and enters Brunswick by the Brunswick Golf Club on the way to Brunswick West Substation off Barrows Street.

We are upgrading the 50–60-year-old transmission line to strengthen the grid, reduce outages, and improve restoration times for our 8,000 customers in Topsham, Brunswick, and Harpswell.

There will be no outages impacting customers to complete this work.

Safety is always our number one priority, and we will take every precaution to carry out this work in a way that minimizes disruption to your daily routines and to the surrounding environment.

Construction Schedule

This work is expected to begin in late April and continue through 2026. We will send out updates during the various phases of construction, and we will also share updates on our website at www.cmpco.com/section31. Please note that timing of planned activities may change due to weather or field conditions.

Scan this QR code
to visit our website:



Tree Trimming & Removals

You may see crews trimming trees or other vegetation along the power line. If a tree on your property and/or outside of our easement threatens the lines, a company representative will contact you to discuss removal.

Access & Safety During Construction

We know many neighbors use the right-of-way easement area for things like fences, gardens, equipment, or sheds. As construction gets underway, we ask that work zones be kept clear for safety. Our crews will be mindful as we move through the area, and if we see anything

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that may need to be moved, we'll contact you directly to discuss it and find a solution together.

We are coordinating with Brunswick and Topsham officials to align construction with community needs, including traffic, safety, and local events. As construction begins near Columbia Street in Brunswick, signage will be posted along nearby walking paths.

Need More Information?

For more details, see the enclosed Project Fact Sheet or visit www.cmpco.com/section31 for information on construction, anticipated impacts, visual renderings, and regular status updates.

If you have questions or need a project update at any time, please contact outreach@cmpco.com or **(888) 267-0831** and reference Section 31.

We appreciate your patience, understanding, and partnership as we complete this important work.