

Eversource is building a new distribution Substation in close proximity to the existing Substations off of Webster Lake Road in Franklin, NH. Webster Substation is a critical substation that serves Eversource and NH Electric Cooperative (NHEC) distribution load, in addition to Eversource generation through the 34.5kV System.

### Project Need

Due to load growth in the Franklin area, and in order to enhance customer reliability, there is a need for additional transformation and equipment adjacent to the Webster Substation site.



\*Blue area indicates approximate site of proposed new Substation and related tree clearing. This is subject to change.

### Project Schedule

The Project received necessary local permits for construction in October 2016. Tree clearing activities began in December 2016 and are expected to be complete by the end of the year. Construction activities are expected to occur mid-2017. The new Substation is projected to be in service by second quarter of 2018. This schedule is subject to change due to weather and other unexpected circumstances.

### What You Can Expect

Construction vehicles will be entering and exiting the Project work site in order to perform construction project activities, including tree clearing and trimming. These activities will occur within typical work hours: Monday through Friday between 7:00 am and 5:00 pm. This work is not expected to interrupt electric service to homes or businesses.

This Project is not related to the Northern Pass Project, which currently is in the permitting and review phase with the State of New Hampshire's Site Evaluation Committee.

### Our Commitment to You

Keeping our customers and community leaders informed about Eversource activities in the area is an important part of our work in the communities we serve. Communication with neighbors, public officials, and other stakeholders will occur before construction begins and throughout the Project process.