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Eversource 115-kV Project Update

Greetings!

Members of the community can expect to see construction at several sites in Sudbury, Stow, and Hudson related to the Eversource 115-kilovolt (kV) Underground Transmission Line Project. Eversource asks people to avoid walking on the inactive Massachusetts Bay Transportation Authority (MBTA) rail corridor.

Work Hours

Approved work hours are 7 a.m. to 6 p.m., Monday to Friday but crews are working from **7** a.m. to **3:30 p.m**. Occasional work may extend beyond the approved hours, due to unforeseen circumstances, based on approval from local officials.

Below is an overview of the active work zones. <u>View the project map</u> for additional details on the location of work crews.

Hudson

• On Forest and Wilkins Street, two crews are working in the road excavating and installing duct bank. One crew is working from MH2 to MH3, between Marlboro Street

- and Woodrow Street on Forest Ave. The second crew is working from MH4 to MH5, between Main Street and Orchard Drive, on Wilkins Street.
- From Wilkins Street to Chestnut Street, crews are working to complete the duct bank installation between two previously installed manholes (MH6 to MH7). This activity should be completed by the end of this week.
- On White Pond Road, starting next week, crews will work to connect duct bank between two manhole locations in the MBTA corridor (MH12 to MH13) and on the roadway that intersects the MBTA corridor (MH13 to MH14).
- On Chestnut Street, north of Lewis Street, crews are working to complete a
 section of duct bank between two manholes, that have been installed on either side
 of the Chestnut Street bridge. Chestnut Street will be excavated on either side of the
 bridge with a portion of the road being removed entirely. Crew are currently installing
 support of excavation (SOE) systems which keep the underground work zone stable.
 This portion of Chestnut Street will be closed until November only be open to local
 access up to the MBTA crossing at Chestnut Street/Marlboro Road.

Sudbury

- In the MBTA corridor, crews are removing a variety of species of invasive vegetation at various locations, outside of the limits of work. This work has been planned in collaboration with the Town of Sudbury.
- From Dutton Road to Peakham Road, crews are working to complete the installation of a manhole (MH17) west of Dutton Road. Crews are completing grading activities in areas where there were previously environmental restrictions. Starting next week, crews will begin installing duct bank between two previously installed manholes (MH17 to MH18) in the MBTA corridor, off Dutton Road.
- Between Horse Pond Road and Union Avenue, crews are excavating and installing duct bank between MH23-MH24, southeast of Bridle Path. Crews are also completing grading activities in areas where there were previously environmental restrictions.
- Between Horse Pond Road and Union Avenue,, initial upgrades to Bridge 127 are starting in this area.
- At the Sudbury Substation, starting next week, crews will begin installing a cable vault (MH28) on Eversource property.

*Due to the complexities of underground construction, the two-week schedule described above is subject to change.

Typical Construction

Pictured is a crew in Sudbury installing a manhole in the MBTA corridor off Dutton Road.



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