Z126 Fiber Optic Project Fact Sheet

Millbury and Auburn, Massachusetts



As one of your regional electricity providers, National Grid regularly updates our systems to ensure that you receive the best possible service to your home and business every day.

The Z126 Fiber Optic Project will install approximately 7 miles of fiber optic communications to existing shield-wire.

WHERE?

The Project will be constructed in an existing utility right-of-way, traversing through two municipalities in Massachusetts; Millbury and Auburn. **The extent of the project is illustrated on the other side of this page.**

WHY?

A strong electrical transmission system is vital to our region's safety, security, and economic prosperity. The Project will improve communications, network resiliency, and protect reliability between substations.

WHEN?

Construction is scheduled to begin in August 2023 and be completed by October 2023.

STAY INFORMED

National Grid is committed to keeping the lines of communication open and encourages feedback from project neighbors, public officials, and other stakeholders. We are committed to keeping, residents, businesses, community groups, and local officials informed about this Project.

If you have any questions or would like additional information, please reach out to the Stakeholder Relations representative, Leah Gymziak.

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Right-of-way

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Z126 Fiber Optic Project Map



