

## NOTICE OF THE START OF CONSTRUCTION UNDERGROUND TRANSMISSION LINE 705 PROJECT

On or about September 24, 2024, Orange and Rockland Utilities, Inc. (“ORU”) intends to commence site preparation activities and construction associated with the new 138 Kilovolt (“kV”) Electric Underground Transmission Line 705 (the “Project”) within the Town of Clarkstown, Rockland County. The Project consists of the construction, operation and maintenance of an underground transmission line (the “Facility”) primarily within the public roadway rights-of-way (“ROW”) for a total distance of approximately 5.5 miles. The Project is scheduled for completion including final restoration in the Spring of 2026.

On March 14, 2024, the New York State (NYS) Public Service Commission (Commission) issued a certificate of environmental compatibility and public need (Certificate) to ORU, pursuant to Article VII of the Public Service Law (PSL), to construct and operate the Project. Upon receipt of a Notice to Proceed with Construction letter sent by the New York State Department of Public Service’s Office of Electric, Gas and Water, ORU will be authorized to commence construction activities on the Project.

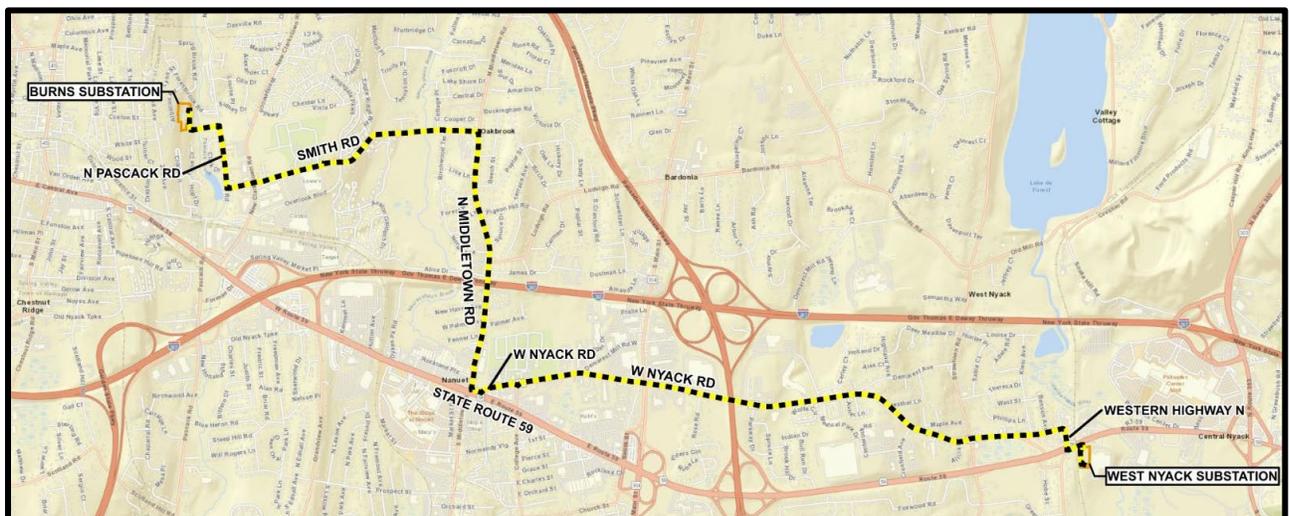
The Project is under the jurisdiction of the Commission, which is responsible for enforcing compliance with environmental and construction conditions, and questions and comments may be directed to Dan Connor, Environmental Certification and Compliance, Office of Electric, Gas and Water, New York State Department of Public Service, Three Empire State Plaza, Albany, NY 12223, via telephone at (518) 474-5541 or email at [Daniel.Connor@dps.ny.gov](mailto:Daniel.Connor@dps.ny.gov).

Any person may contact John Cioffi, Project Manager, Orange and Rockland Utilities, 390 West Route 59, Spring Valley, NY 10977, via telephone at Phone: (888) 745-8660 or email at [TL705@oru.com](mailto:TL705@oru.com) on any matter to provide comment, file complaints, or to obtain further information.

ORU has established a toll-free number or questions regarding the Project: (888) 745-8660. Additional information about the Project can be found on Orange and Rockland’s website: <https://www.oru.com/en/our-energy-future/our-energy-projects/line-705-project>.

Project documents will be available for public inspection during normal business hours at the following locations: Nanuet Public Library, 149 Church Street, Nanuet, New York 10954; The West Nyack Free Library, 65 Strawtown Road, West Nyack, New York 10994; and the New City Library, 220 N. Main Street, New City, New York 10956. Project documents will also be available for public inspection at the New York State Department of Public Service Offices in Albany (Office of Central Files, 14th Floor, Three Empire State Plaza, Albany, New York 12223). Project documents may be viewed online at the website maintained by the New York State Department of Public Service at [www.dps.ny.gov](http://www.dps.ny.gov). From the homepage, click on “Search,” and enter the case number, 21-T-0569, in the “Search by Case Number” field.

TL705 Project Map



Map of the proposed route illustrating the location of the work.