



September 26, 2024

IMPORTANT MESSAGE ABOUT YOUR PROPERTY

«Owner_Name» «Owner_Street» «Owner_City», «Owner_State» «Owner_Zip»

RE: Brewster Second Source Reinforcement Route Announcement

Dear Neighbor,

You are receiving this letter because you own property or live in the area where AMP Transmission, LLC (AMPT) plans to upgrade the local power grid near the Village of Brewster. AMPT announced earlier this year the plan to construct the new 69-kilovolt (kV) transmission line between the existing Brewster Substation and the new AEP Alpine Substation located west of Wilmot, Ohio. We're writing to update you that a route for the Brewster Second Source Reinforcement Project has been selected.

The location and alignment of the route for the new 69-kV transmission line are identified on the enclosed map and can be accessed online: <u>www.amppartners.org/brewsterproject.</u>

The Project will improve reliability and reduce the number and duration of customer outages caused by a single transmission line outage. In addition, this improvement will accommodate future growth and economic development in the Village and surrounding area.

AMPT representatives engaged the community and solicited public comments in various ways, including in-person open houses on June 11 and 12, 2024, landowner notification letters, and postage-paid comment postcards. Additionally, AMPT contact information was provided, including an email address and phone number. As part of the route selection process, AMPT carefully reviewed and considered community input in addition to other factors, such as safety, reliability, land use, cultural and natural resources, engineering, environmental impact, and constructability. Through this evaluation process, AMPT has selected a route with the least overall impact to the community.

The next steps for the Project include:

- Right-of-Way survey permission and easement negotiations led by Emerald Energy & Exploration Land Company
- Property surveys (e.g., natural resources, cultural resources, property boundary survey)
 - May include staking to mark the Project area, crews walking the area and conducting shovel tests to identify archaeological artifacts, and the collection of information about the habitats and physical attributes of the project area.
- Engineering design
- Permitting

If you are the owner of an affected parcel or parcels along the Proposed Route where a new transmission corridor is proposed, a Right of Way (ROW) agent from Emerald Energy, a real estate

consultant firm retained on behalf of AMPT, will contact you at a later date to further discuss the Project.

More details can be viewed at the Project website: <u>www.amppartners.org/brewsterproject.</u> If you have questions or concerns about the project, please contact our real estate team via email at <u>BrewsterAMPT@e3co.land</u>, or by phone at 304.760.8901.

Sincerely,

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