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Idylwood-Tysons 230 kV Underground Electric Transmission Project

Dear Neighbor:

At Dominion Energy, we are committed to keeping you informed about our progress on the Idylwood-Tysons Underground Electric Transmission Project. You are receiving this letter because we have some important and time-sensitive updates about the Direct Pipe® work.

Beginning mid-January 2022, crews will need to work seven days a week, including Sundays from 9 a.m. – 6 p.m. (as previously allowed by permit). This schedule change is necessary to address critical concerns related to the integrity of the tunneling operation of the trenchless construction portion of Phase H. We anticipate Sunday work will last approximately four weeks. Our team will then reassess our construction needs and update the community accordingly.

In addition, we are monitoring Total Thrust Force and other data recorded by the equipment during the Direct Pipe® Installation. Total Thrust Force is the force required to overcome friction developed by the pipe interacting with the tunnel walls as it advances, and the borehole is developed. Recent data indicates the Total Thrust Force is rising at a concerning rate. If this trend continues, the pipe could become stuck underground, requiring additional time-consuming and intrusive operations to complete the installation. To avoid this setback, we need to keep the equipment running and pipe moving often and for as long as possible every day. Allowing our crews to work on Sunday is the best solution to remedy this critical issue.

Our team is working hard to balance the needs of completing this project safely and on schedule, while also minimizing further inconveniences to the community. We ask for patience and understanding as we finish this critical phase of the project. Currently, Direct Pipe® installation is approximately 60 percent complete. We expect to fully complete this work by late February 2022.

Please visit our project website at DominionEnergy.com/tysons for updates. If you have any questions or concerns, contact us at powerline@dominionenergy.com or call 888-291-0190.

Sincerely,

The Electric Transmission Project Team