

# Pre-construction Activities



Transmission construction typically requires access to public and private property. Dominion has prepared this document to provide property owners important information on our construction practices and the activities that occur before, during and after installation of our transmission facilities.

#### **Initial Inspection**

Prior to the actual construction schedule start date, Dominion employees or contractors will walk the distribution and transmission corridors to assess existing facilities.

## **Surveying and Staking**

A crew utilizing medium-sized pickup trucks or small construction vehicles will mark and stake the affected area. For line-of-sight purposes, a limited amount of tree, shrub and crop clearing may be required.

#### Access Road Development

Existing roads will be used where practical. After construction is complete and the area is completely rehabilitated, we will restore roads and entrances to their original condition.

## Site Preparation: Clearing and Grading

Access roads, structure work areas, and staging areas will be graded only where necessary. The trees along the edge, or just outside of the right-of-way that could possibly fall and contact the transmission line are referred to as danger trees and will be removed.

Construction will officially begin after all regulatory approvals and permits are obtained.