

Project Website

A Project website will be developed. This website provides Project information, including background, updates, and contact resources. TNEC will keep the Project website up to date for the duration of the Project. A dedicated e-mail address will be made available for interested parties to send questions or comments. The Project e-mail is listed in all Project outreach materials, including fact sheets, mailings, the website, and signage at community events.

Project Hotline

A toll-free phone number and a local phone number will be designated as the Project Hotline for the Project. The Project Hotline numbers will be listed in all Project outreach materials, including fact sheets, mailings, the website, and signage at community events. A Project representative staffs the toll-free hotline and TNEC pledges to respond within two business days to all inquiries – most often on the same business day whenever practical.

Abutter Communications

TNEC representatives expect to meet individually with any Project abutters who have questions specific to their properties through the life of the Project. In addition, the project team will be sending letters via U.S. Mail to keep them abreast of Project developments throughout the Project schedule.

Door-to-Door Outreach

TNEC will engage in a door-to-door outreach campaign, canvassing all residents and any businesses adjacent to Project activities. The purpose of this outreach is to provide information and answers to questions. If a resident is not available, a TNEC representative will leave Project-related information at the door. A similar effort will be undertaken with affected businesses along the project route.

Construction Communication Plan

Building off the existing outreach and communications plan, TNEC will develop a comprehensive construction communication plan to update residents, businesses, fire, police, emergency personnel, and municipal officials on work schedules, work locations, and construction activities. In addition to the Project website, hotline, and email, this plan will include, as needed, work area signage, construction notifications, and direct contact with Project abutters.

TNEC's Project representatives will be responsible for coordinating outreach during construction and serving as a single point of contact for the public. The Project website will be kept up to date throughout Project construction. Project information also will be communicated through various town and businesses websites as permitted.

Advertising

TNEC will, in addition to the efforts outlined in the sections above, advertise Project Open Houses, and important Project information to augment and support these communications efforts. For this project, advertising will be placed in local media, including with the Southern RI Newspapers group (*East Greenwich Pendulum, North Kingstown Standard-Times*), which serve as the community

newspapers of record and other publications, as needed, to ensure maximum visibility in the community.

Project Collateral

TNEC will also produce project collateral – fact sheets, frequently asked questions and other background materials for dissemination to affected project abutters and elected officials. This Project collateral will also be placed on the Project website to optimize availability of the Project information.

3.4.7 Estimated Project Costs

TNEC has prepared Project cost estimates as identified in Table 3-1. The cost estimates presented have an accuracy of +/- 25%. Estimated costs include costs of materials, labor and equipment, escalation, contingency and risk.

TABLE 3-1 ESTIMATED PROJECT COSTS

PROJECT COMPONENTS	ESTIMATED COST (\$M)
L190 Transmission Line Facilities	\$56.9

3.4.8 Project Schedule

The overall construction of the Project is expected to take approximately 18 months to complete. The Company expects final engineering and the licensing and permitting process to continue through the third quarter 2022. Construction is anticipated to begin in the fourth quarter 2022 with completion in the third quarter 2024.

TNEC has developed a preliminary schedule based on time estimates for planning and engineering, permitting and licensing, and construction (Table 3-2). The overall ready for load date is anticipated by second quarter 2024.

TABLE 3-2 PRELIMINARY PROJECT SCHEDULE

ACTIVITY	ESTIMATED START DATE	ESTIMATED COMPLETION DATE
Planning and Engineering	Q2 2019	Q3 2022
Permitting and Licensing	Q1 2021	Q3 2022
Construction	Q4 2022	Q 4 ³ 2024
Facilities Ready for Load	Q 4 ² 2024	
Final Restoration	Q 2 ³ 202 5 ⁴	