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MAPP Planners to Hold Community Meetings in Dorchester County, Md. Proposed 500-kV Transmission Line Will Enhance Reliability on Eastern Shore

SALISBURY, Md. – Delmarva Power will hold community input meetings during the next several weeks to gather comments and share information about its proposed 230-mile interstate electric transmission line.

Called the Mid-Atlantic Power Pathway (MAPP), 35 miles of the more than \$1 billion line would be built on Maryland's Eastern Shore. The line would connect with the Vienna substation in Dorchester County and provide immediate electricity reliability benefits to the region once it is complete.

“We believe this line is critical to supply this region’s power needs today and in the future,” said MAPP Project Manager Vincent Maione. “It is important that Dorchester County residents understand that a route has not been chosen for Dorchester County. We are taking the time to gather input before we choose a route. These meetings are an opportunity for local citizens to be a part of this process.”

Maione said the company will hold five community meetings this month and in early June at multiple locations in Dorchester County. The general public is invited to attend the meetings which will be held as information fairs, with Delmarva Power employees available to gather comments and answer questions.

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Time and locations for community meetings:

Thursday, May 22nd

Taylor's Island Fire Hall
Rt 16
Taylor's Island, Md.
6:30pm to 8:30pm

Tuesday, May 27th

Madison Fire Hall
Rt 16
Madison, Md.
6:30pm to 8:30pm

Thursday, May 29th

Church Creek Fire Hall
Rt 16
Church Creek, Md.
6:30pm to 8:30pm

Tuesday, June 3rd

Linkwood Fire Hall
Rt 50
Linkwood, Md.
6:30pm to 8:30pm

Thursday, June 5th

E.A. Murphy Community Center
104 Race St.
Vienna, Md.
6:30pm to 8:30pm

For more information please contact MAPP planners at 1-888-641-MAPP (6277) or online at

www.powerpathway.com

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