

Sometimes at least part of the answer actually *is* blowing in the wind.

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Virginia's demand for electricity is growing. In fact, we'll need more than 4,000 megawatts of new generation over the next 10 years alone. That's enough electricity to power 1 million new homes. Dominion is committed to making sure Virginians have the energy we need for the future—to keep our economy strong, our businesses growing and our communities vibrant.

Renewable energy is an important part of meeting that need. Like using wind-powered turbines to generate electricity. Dominion is partnering in a planned 8,000-acre wind farm near our Mount Storm power station. Much of the emissions-free energy generated there will serve customers in rapidly expanding Northern Virginia via a new transmission line Dominion has proposed. This transmission line will increase both the supply and reliability of electricity throughout the region. Dominion has proposed

a route for this line that's within or adjacent to existing transmission line rights-of-way. It minimizes the impact on Northern Virginia's communities, historical and cultural sites, and scenic vistas. And the proposed route also avoids all pre-existing conservation easements. After exploring every alternative, we're certain this new transmission line is the very best way to serve the population of Northern Virginia.

Dominion's dedication to renewable sources of energy doesn't end with wind turbines. Bio-fuels, hydro and solar power, and technologies still being developed can work in concert with conservation to help meet our electricity challenges. But these efforts alone won't be enough. Building this transmission line will prevent blackouts, provide important support for ongoing economic growth throughout the region and ensure reliable electric power every day. That's Dominion's promise to Virginia.



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