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JOIN US: VIRTUAL TOWN HALL MEETINGS

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Tuesday, September 22 from 5 to 6 p.m.

Wednesday, September 30 from 6 to 7 p.m.

We're Listening to the Community

The project team has received about 270 comments from community members since we began the Siting Study in Fall 2019. Concerns have centered on:

- Individual properties and operations
- Public health and safety
- Views affected by the project
- Proximity to homes
- Noise levels near the facilities
- Environmental issues such as wildlife, water resources, historic properties



Submit additional comments at
[XcelEnergyNorthernColoradoAreaPlan.com](https://www.xcelenergy.com/northern-colorado-area-plan).

NORTHERN COLORADO AREA PLAN: PROJECT UPDATE

Our comprehensive planning process for the Northern Colorado Area Plan (NCAP) is nearing a critical milestone, thanks to public and stakeholder participation.

This project will create a more robust and resilient power grid, by building a new substation, improving existing substations and replacing existing transmission infrastructure with new, higher-voltage lines between Ault, Eaton and northern Greeley.

The Siting Study has narrowed the route alternatives by identifying the most important criteria, focusing on issues specific to each route and how they connect to potential substation sites in Eaton. See the map below.

YOU'RE INVITED: VIRTUAL TOWN HALL MEETINGS

We will share results of this months-long Siting Study at two virtual Town Hall meetings, which take the place of our in-person Open Houses. Each Town Hall will present the same information.

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You'll have an opportunity to ask questions or schedule an appointment with an Xcel Energy representative for any follow-up questions. Please submit comments and feedback by October 17.

To join the Town Hall sessions, visit [XcelEnergyNorthernColoradoAreaPlan.com](https://www.xcelenergy.com/northern-colorado-area-plan) and click on "Join Town Hall" to view the presentation or listen by phone. A video replay and copies of materials will be available on the Public Outreach section of the website.

NEXT STEPS

Since the last series of meetings in June 2020, substation sites and routes have been narrowed to a preferred route and an alternative route. We will continue to engage the community and accept comments through October 17, then prepare an application to submit to Weld County in late 2020 or early 2021. The land acquisition team has started contacting property owners.

WE WANT TO HEAR FROM YOU

- Participate in one of the virtual Town Hall meetings
- Request a personal phone call or video meeting with an Xcel Energy representative
- Submit comments through the project website, or by emailing northerncolorado@xcelenergy.com

Stay up-to-date and involved at [XcelEnergyNorthernColoradoAreaPlan.com](https://www.xcelenergy.com/northern-colorado-area-plan)

Para información en español o si usted tiene una pregunta o comentario, por favor visite: [xcelenergynortherncoloradoareaplan.com/spanish.html](https://www.xcelenergy.com/northern-colorado-area-plan/spanish.html)

