

Towantic to South Naugatuck to Beacon Falls Rebuild Project

Drone Inspections: October & November 2023

Dear Neighbor,

As a part of our everyday effort to deliver reliable energy to our customers and communities, we are performing engineering and environmental surveys within the right of way (power line corridor) to rebuild the transmission line infrastructure in Oxford, Naugatuck, and Beacon Falls, Connecticut. Maintaining the powerline infrastructure is one of the ways Eversource supports the safe and secure transmission of electricity throughout the region.

We're Always Working to Serve You Better

You are receiving this letter because you may see Eversource representatives inspecting the transmission lines and structures within the right of way on or near your property.

Over the next several weeks, drones will be used to inspect the existing transmission structures. These drone inspections are being done to evaluate the condition of the structures, wire, and other hardware. Drones are aerial devices about 2 feet wide, equipped with a camera, and manned by an approved drone operator on the ground within the right-of-way.



The benefits of using the drones include:

- Obtaining high-resolution images of the power lines, hardware, and vegetation
- Lower cost and more efficient than other inspection methods
- Ability to quickly inspect the infrastructure with minimal impact on the environment.

What You Can Expect

Drone operators will take pictures with the drone, which will only be used at or near the transmission structures located within the right of way. Here's additional information about this work:

- **Reliable Service**: Be assured that this work will not interrupt electric service to your property.
- **Drone Operators:** Approved drone operators will be conducting the inspections. All drone operators have received Federal Aviation Administration (FAA) license approvals and carry proper identification.
- **Construction Hours:** The hours of construction are 7 a.m. to 7 p.m., Monday through Saturday.

Contact Us

We are committed to being a good neighbor and doing our work with respect for you and your property. If you would like more information or need to provide information concerning our work in the transmission right of way, please contact our Project Hotline at 1-800-793-2202 or email ProjectInfo@eversource.com.