Central Corridor Pipeline Project



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CONSTRUCTION UPDATE

Construction of the Central Corridor Pipeline is at the nine-month mark. By the end of November, installation will be about 90%-95% complete. This means we are on target to complete pipeline construction by the end of December.

Restoration efforts, including street paving, new curbs and hyrdroseeding, have been completed in most project areas as shown in photos throughout this issue of the newsletter. Final restoration in some areas may not be complete until spring/summer 2022 due to weather conditions and other municipal project work.

The remaining construction effort is at the southern end of the pipeline route. We have multiple crews working in Amberley Village, Golf Manor and Roselawn. Work also continues at the C350 Norwood Station and Highpoint Park Station, the southern and northern end points of the project.

Pipeline Testing Starting Soon, Intermittent Noise Impacts Expected

Once pipeline construction is complete, the entire 13-mile pipeline will undergo rigorous cleaning and testing to ensure it is free from any defects and ready for operation. This cleaning and testing process, which will begin in mid-December and last through early February, involves several steps. Throughout this time, residents and businesses near the C350 Norwood Station and the Highpoint Park Station will hear intermittent noise lasting from several hours up to 18 hours at a time depending on the cycle. We will be using various sound-muffling measures at both stations to help reduce the noise disruptions to the adjacent neighborhoods. We will communicate detailed information to those directly impacted when the pipeline cleaning and testing process gets closer. Our goal is to have the pipeline fully operational in February 2022.

For updated construction information by community, please visit the project website at **duke-energy.com/CentralCorridor**.

Stay safe, everyone, and have a happy Thanksgiving.

Sincerely,

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Senior Project Manager

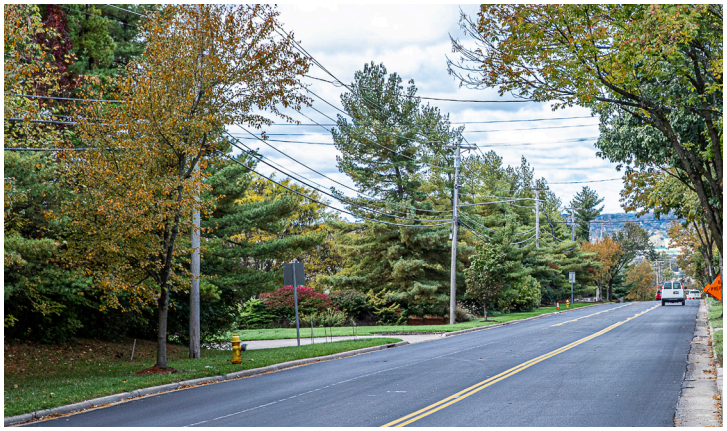
RESTORATION COMPLETE IN THE VILLAGE OF EVENDALE

After many months of heavy construction, lane closures and restrictions, we are happy to report that construction and restoration are finally complete in the Village of Evendale.

In total, more than 11,000 feet (2-plus miles) of pipe were installed along Glendale Milford Road and Evendale Commons Drive, with the majority being along a busy residential section of Glendale Milford Road. The area in front of the Norwood Hardware store also experienced lengthy construction.

Restoration in these areas included road paving, curbs, driveway aprons and hydroseeding. Please contact the project hotline if you have any questions or concerns about the restoration in these project areas.

Again, we would like to thank the Village of Evendale, residents and businesses for the cooperation and patience exhibited throughout this process. We couldn't have worked through these areas without your patience.



Restoration on Glendale Milford Road at Sharondale Road

MAJOR MILESTONES REACHED

- ✓ Pipeline construction is 90%-95% complete
- ✓ Approximately 12 miles of pipeline installed, with 1 mile remaining
- ✓ 75% of impacted areas have been restored

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HIGHPOINT PARK STATION IN SHARONVILLE

The Central Corridor Pipeline runs approximately 13 miles between Sharonville and Golf Manor. The northern end point for this project is the Highpoint Park Station. This new station is located on several acres of Duke Energy-owned land on School Road, east of Francis RecreAcres.

Highpoint Park Station was designed specifically for the Central Corridor Pipeline. The station was built earlier this year, next to the end point of an existing transmission line. The station allows the Central Corridor Pipeline to be connected to this existing transmission line.

Highpoint Park Station was created as a tie-in point to assist in regulating natural gas pressure when transitioning flow from a transmission line to a distribution line. The Central Corridor Pipeline is a distribution line. This new line makes natural gas more readily available for residents to connect to and allows us to retire two obsolete propane peaking facilities that help supplement natural gas supplies to customers on the coldest days of the year.

Highpoint Park Station will be remotely monitored 24/7 by Duke Energy to ensure that natural gas is delivered safely and reliably to customers.



Highpoint Park Station in Sharonville

RESTORATION PROGRESS



Road restoration on Evendale Commons Drive in Evendale



Restoration of soccer fields and walking trail at Great Parks of Hamilton County's Francis RecreAcres



New grass growth and seeding at Summit Park in Blue Ash

ADDITIONAL PROJECT AND CONTACT INFORMATION

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