Subregional RTEP Committee – Mid-Atlantic FirstEnergy (Met-Ed) Supplemental Projects

February 17, 2022

Needs

Stakeholders must submit any comments within 10 days of this meeting in order to provide time necessary to consider these comments prior to the next phase of the M-3 process

Met-Ed Transmission Zone M-3 Process



Need Number: ME-2022-001

Process Stage: Need Meeting 2/17/2022

Project Driver:

Equipment Material Condition, Performance and Risk, Operational Flexibility and Efficiency

Specific Assumption Reference:

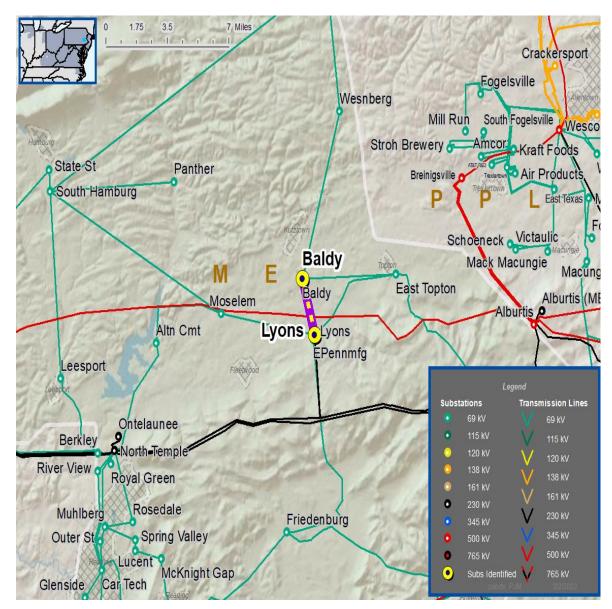
System Performance Projects Global Factors

- System reliability and performance
- Substation/line equipment limits

Upgrade Relay Schemes

- Relay schemes that have a history of misoperation
- Obsolete and difficult to repair communication equipment (DTT, Blocking, etc.)
- Communication technology upgrades
- Bus protection schemes

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Problem Statement:

- FirstEnergy has identified protection schemes using a certain vintage of relays and communication equipment that have a history of misoperation.
- Proper operation of the protection scheme requires all the separate components perform adequately during a fault.
- In many cases the protection equipment cannot be repaired due to a lack of replacement part and available expertise in the outdated technology.
- Transmission line ratings are limited by terminal equipment.

ME-2022-	Transmission Line / Substation Locations	Existing Line Rating (SN / SE)	Existing Conductor Rating (SN / SE)	Limiting Terminal Equipment
005	Baldy – Kutztown Tap 69 kV Line Kutztown Tap - Lyons	76/90 80/96	80/96 80/96	Substation Conductor Transmission Line Conductor

Update to S1761 Supplemental Project



Met-Ed Transmission Zone M-3 Process

Need Number: ME-2018-001

Process Stage: Re-present Solutions Meeting 2/17/2022

Need Presented: 9/21/2018

Solution Presented: 10/29/2018

Project Driver(s):

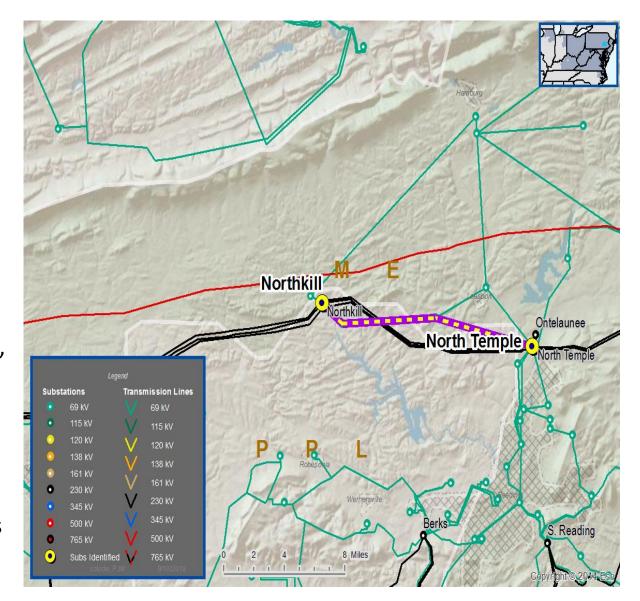
Customer Service

Specific Assumption Reference(s)

New customer connection request will be evaluated per FirstEnergy's "Requirements for Transmission Connected Facilities" document and "Transmission Planning Criteria" document.

Problem Statement

New Customer Connection - A customer requested 69 kV service for load of approximately 17 MVA near the North Temple – Northkill 69 kV line. Requested in-service date is 12/2019.







Need Number: ME-2018-001

Old Proposed Solution:

Van Reed Substation

- ■Construct new Van Reed 69 kV Ring Bus Substation
- Loop the Northkill North Temple 69 kV line into Van Reed
- Provide new 69 kV delivery point for customer

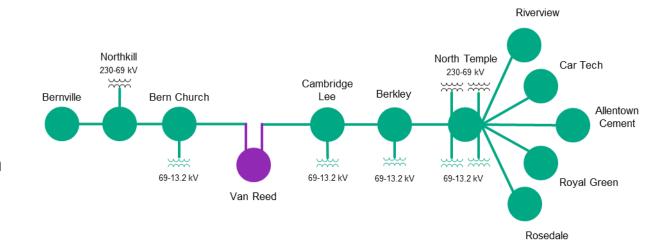
Alternatives Considered:

■ None (obligation to serve)

Estimated Project Cost: \$3.6M

Projected IS Date: 12/31/2019

Status: Conceptual



Legend				
500 kV				
230 kV				
138 kV				
115 kV				
69 kV				
46 kV				
New				



Met-Ed Transmission Zone M-3 Process

Need Number: ME-2018-001

New Proposed Solution:

Van Reed Substation

- Construct new Van Reed 69 kV Ring Bus Substation
- Loop the Northkill North Temple 69 kV line into Van Reed (Approx. 3.8 miles)
- Provide new 69 kV delivery point for customer
- Cost increase due to:
 - Transmission line estimate revisions
 - Substation estimate revisions
 - Transmission line length increased 1.6 miles
 - Transmission line has 0.5 mile of underground construction
 - More detailed engineering completed

Alternatives Considered:

None (obligation to serve)

Estimated Project Cost: \$33.7M

Projected IS Date: 3/1/2024

Status: Conceptual

Riverview Northkill North Temple Car Tech 230-69 kV 230-69 kV Cambridge Berkley Bern Church Lee Bernville Allentown Cement 69-13.2 kV 69-13.2 kV 69-13.2 kV 69-13.2 kV Royal Green Van Reed Rosedale

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Questions?



Appendix

High level M-3 Meeting Schedule

Assumptions	Activity	Timing			
, 100 ap 1101.10	Posting of TO Assumptions Meeting information	20 days before Assumptions Meeting			
	Stakeholder comments	10 days after Assumptions Meeting			
Needs	Activity	Timing			
	TOs and Stakeholders Post Needs Meeting slides	10 days before Needs Meeting			
	Stakeholder comments	10 days after Needs Meeting			
Solutions	Activity	Timing			
	TOs and Stakeholders Post Solutions Meeting slides	10 days before Solutions Meeting			
	Stakeholder comments	10 days after Solutions Meeting			
Submission of	Activity	Timing			
Supplemental	Do No Harm (DNH) analysis for selected solution	Prior to posting selected solution			
Projects & Local	Post selected solution(s)	Following completion of DNH analysis			
Plan	Stakeholder comments	10 days prior to Local Plan Submission for integration into RTEP			
	Local Plan submitted to PJM for integration into RTEP	Following review and consideration of comments received after posting of selected solutions			

Revision History

2/7/2021 – V1 – Original version posted to pjm.com