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The project involves:

- Building Beckwith Substation near the intersection of Wells Street and Mildred Avenue
- Expanding Industrial Park Substation off Investment Drive
- Retiring approximately 4 miles of transmission line between Industrial Park Substation off Investment Drive and Spy Run Substation off Spy Run Avenue

Retiring the existing 4-mile line involves removing transmission wires and tops of poles. Lower-voltage distribution wires, third-party utilities and associated poles may remain.

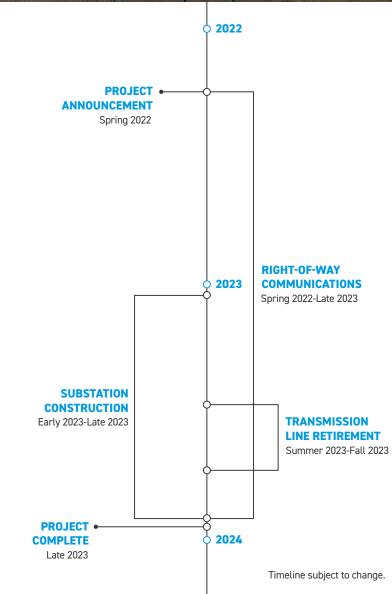
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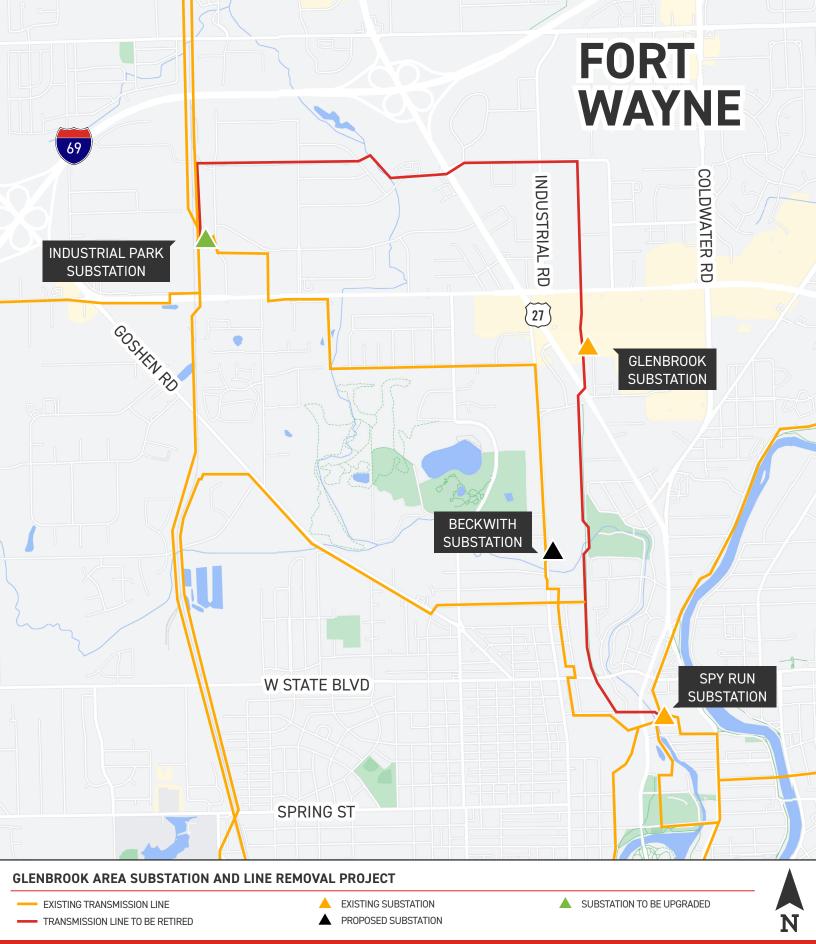
The project strengthens the electric transmission system in the area by reconfiguring the power grid to allow I&M representatives to retire deteriorating infrastructure from the 1960s. Building the new substation allows the company to retire the 4-mile transmission line. The new substation connects to a higher voltage transmission line along Wells Street allowing for future economic development in the area.

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The project area includes:

- · City of Fort Wayne
- \cdot Wayne and Washington townships in Allen County







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