


**COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS  
ENERGY FACILITIES SITING BOARD  
DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC UTILITIES  
NOTICE OF ADJUDICATION AND PUBLIC COMMENT HEARING  
EFSB 22-03/D.P.U. 22-21  
NSTAR Electric Company d/b/a Eversource Energy**

**You have received this Notice as your residence or business is near the proposed Eversource facilities that will be reviewed by the Energy Facilities Siting Board.** Pursuant to G.L. c. 164, §§ 69J, 72, NSTAR Electric Company d/b/a Eversource Energy (“Eversource” or the “Company”), located at 247 Station Drive, Westwood, Massachusetts 02090, has filed two related petitions with the Energy Facilities Siting Board (“Siting Board”) and the Department of Public Utilities (“Department”) in connection with the Company’s proposal to construct, operate and maintain: (1) eight new 115-kilovolt (“kV”) underground transmission lines that will be housed in a total of five new duct banks, totaling approximately 8.3 miles, in portions of Cambridge, Somerville and the Allston/Brighton area of Boston (the “New Lines”); (2) a new 115/14-kV substation, which will be located in an underground vault on a property between Broadway and Binney Streets in Cambridge (the “New Substation”); and (3) modifications to certain existing substation facilities in Cambridge, Somerville, and Allston/Brighton. This work is collectively referred to as the Greater Cambridge Energy Program, or the “Project.” The Company states that the Project is designed to address long-term reliability needs in the Cambridge area, which is experiencing rapid economic development and sustained load growth.

**The Siting Board will conduct a remote public comment hearing regarding the Project using Zoom videoconferencing on Tuesday, June 28, 2022, at 6:00 pm.** Attendees can join by clicking (or entering) the following link <https://us06web.zoom.us/j/89391678590> from a computer, smartphone, or tablet. No prior software download is required. For audio-only participation, attendees can dial in at **1 646 558 8656 (not toll free)** and then enter the Webinar ID: **893 9167 8590**. **If necessary, public comments will continue at additional hearing(s) on Wednesday, June 29, 2022, at 6:00 pm, and, if needed, on Thursday, June 30, 2022, at 6:00 pm.** The Siting Board will announce whether the additional hearing dates are needed at the hearing on June 28<sup>th</sup>, and will also post on the Siting Board’s website at: <https://www.mass.gov/info-details/greater-cambridge-energy-project>.

If you anticipate providing comments via Zoom during the public comment hearing, please send an email to [geneen.bartley@mass.gov](mailto:geneen.bartley@mass.gov) with your name, email address, and mailing address by **Monday, June 27, 2022**. If you anticipate commenting by telephone, please leave a voicemail message at (617) 305-3529 with your name, telephone number, and mailing address by **Monday, June 27, 2022**. Additional commenters may be allowed during the public comment hearing, at the discretion of the Presiding Officer.

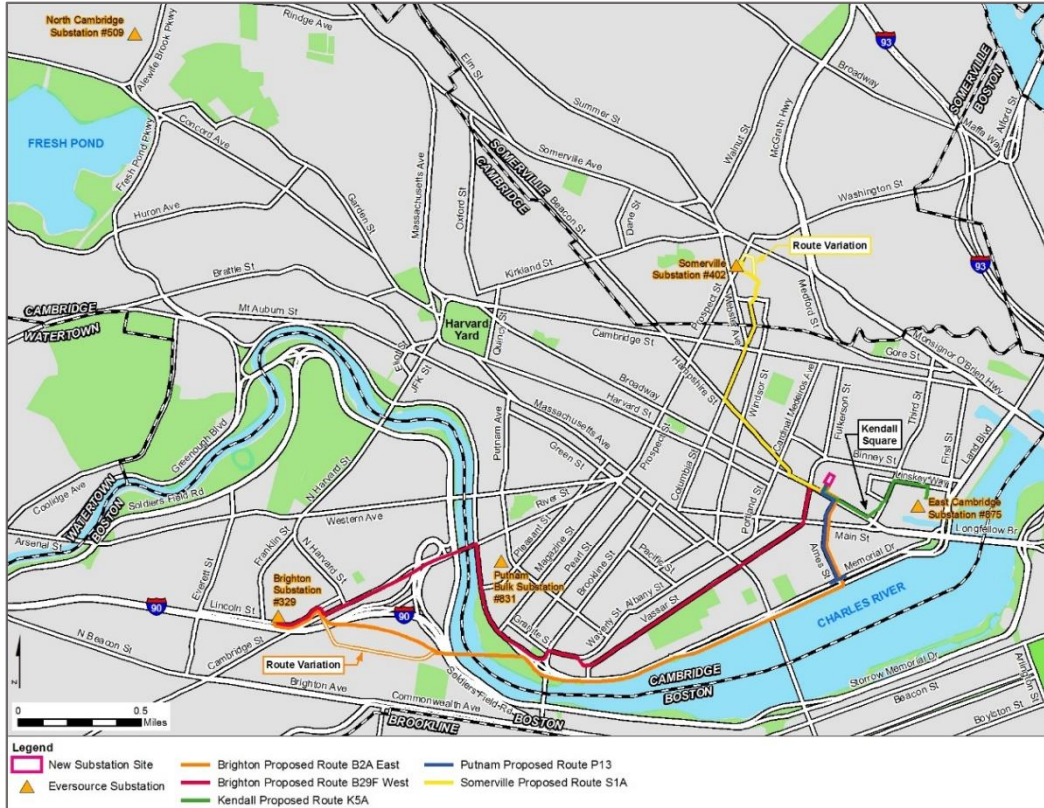
Simultaneous English-to-Spanish, Portuguese, Chinese (Mandarin), and Haitian Creole interpretation will be provided at the public comment hearing on Zoom. All attendees should select their preferred language to hear the Interpreter translate into that language. Press the globe icon  and then choose the desired language. Additional interpretation services are available upon request by email to [Donna.Sharkey@mass.gov](mailto:Donna.Sharkey@mass.gov). Reasonable accommodations for people with disabilities are available upon request to [Melixza.Esenyie2@mass.gov](mailto:Melixza.Esenyie2@mass.gov).

The Siting Board will accept written comments on the Project. Written comments will be most useful to the Siting Board if submitted by **Friday, July 22, 2022**.

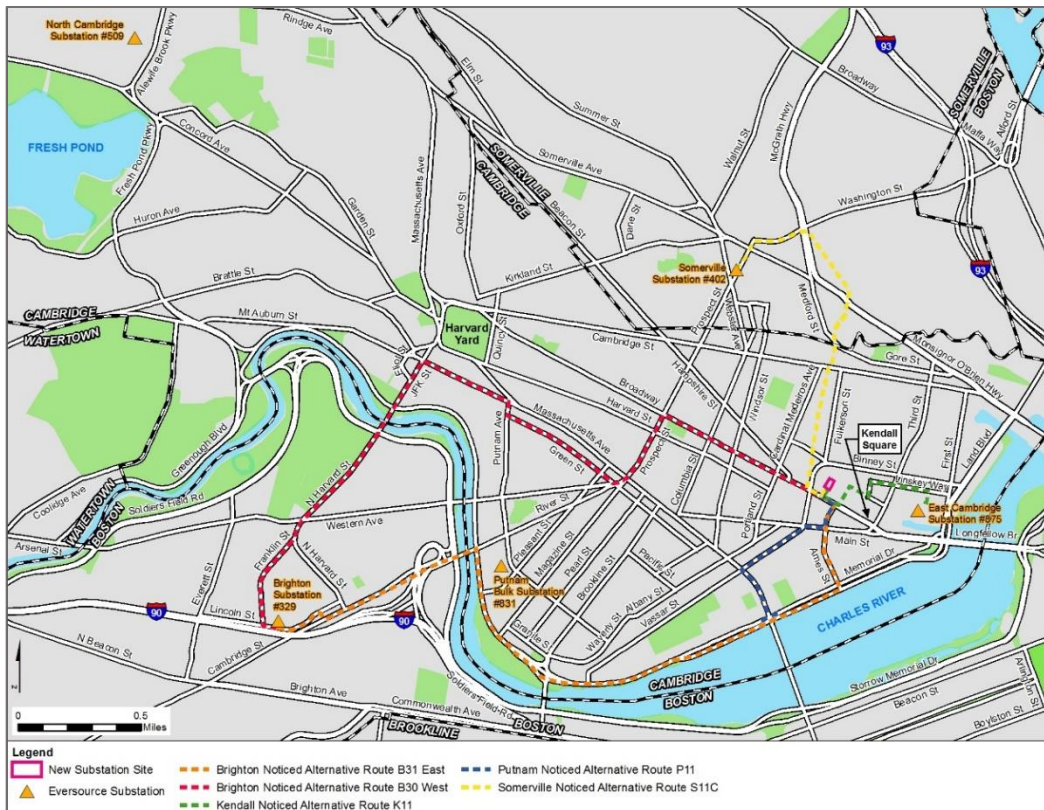
Persons or groups who wish to be involved in the Siting Board proceeding beyond providing comments may seek either to intervene as a party or to participate as a limited participant. A petition to intervene or participate must be filed with the Siting Board in electronic format, by email or email attachment, to [dpufiling@mass.gov](mailto:dpufiling@mass.gov), to [donna.sharkey@mass.gov](mailto:donna.sharkey@mass.gov) and to [drosen@keeganwerlin.com](mailto:drosen@keeganwerlin.com) no later than the close of business (5:00 p.m.) on **Friday, July 22, 2022**.

# Project Maps

<https://www.eversource.com/content/general/residential/about/transmission-distribution/projects/massachusetts-projects/greater-cambridge-energy-project>



*Preferred Routes Submitted to the Energy Facilities Siting Board*



*Alternative Routes Submitted to the Energy Facilities Siting Board*