

NOTICE TO CUSTOMERS

Appalachian Power plans to maintain a portion of its power line rights of way in West Virginia through aerial application of registered herbicides. Weather permitting, the program will begin on or about June 1, 2020.

Questions about the program or information about sensitive areas near the power lines listed below, such as springs, wells, streams, lakes, ponds, orchards, crop areas, gardens, pastures, meadows, year-round dwellings, public recreation areas, and Christmas tree farms, may be directed to the company by calling toll-free **1-800-642-3622**.

Right-of-way maintenance agreements between the company and landowners are available to those preferring to accept responsibility for clearing the right of way crossing their property in lieu of aerial herbicide applications. Such agreements provide for compensation equivalent to the cost of aerial herbicide maintenance, provided the work meets the company's specifications.

Landowners desiring to enter into right-of-way maintenance agreements with Appalachian Power should call the toll-free number above, or contact the nearest office as listed below. Maps showing the location of rights of way to be maintained in their areas also are available for inspection at these offices.

Herbicides to be used have been extensively tested and are registered by the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency and the West Virginia Department of Agriculture. They are glyphosate, imazapyr, metsulfuron methyl, fosamine, triclopyr, aminocyclopyrachlor and aminopyralid. All applications are performed by certified applicators.

Rights of way involved in the program are:

WYOMING COUNTY

Baileysville-Tazewell 138 kV – A transmission line on steel structures beginning at the Baileysville Station near Baileysville and running southeast, passing Fan Rock, Wolf Pen, Belcher Mountain, Carswell, Northfork and Keystone and ending at the Switchback Station near Maybeury. This also includes a tap line on steel structures running to the Carswell Station near Carswell.

Bim-Logan-Sharples 46 kV – A transmission line on wood poles beginning at the Pine Gap Station, running through the Logan Station, Rt. 10, Rum Junction, Dehue, Rum Creek, Chambers and Slagle and ending at the Becco Station.

Chauncey-Huff Creek 46 kV – A transmission line on wood and steel poles beginning at the Chauncey Station near Chauncey and running east, passing Rich Creek and Man and ending at Rt. 10.

Culloden-Wyoming 765 kV – A transmission line on steel structures beginning at the Wyoming Station near Clear Fork and running north, crossing Burning Rock then passing near Cyclone, Amherstdale, Lundale and Kelly Mines and ending at structure 123A near Sharples.

Hopkins-Logan 138 kV (Beth Metering Tap) – A transmission tap line on wood poles beginning near Lick Creek Road at Rock Creek and running west off of the main line, ending at the Beth Metering Station along Stollings Road.

Hopkins-Logan 138 kV (Grassy Fork Tap) – A transmission tap line on steel structures beginning at Willowood Drive and running to the Angel Branch Station. The line then continues on wood poles and runs west, ending at the Grassy Fork Station near McCorkle Road in Priestly.

Hopkins-Logan 138 kV (Stone Branch Tap) – A transmission line on wood poles and steel structures beginning at Mill Creek Road and running northwest, passing Rocklick Branch Road, Boy Scout Camp Road and Rt. 119 and ending at Kitchen.

Jim Branch-Wyoming 138 kV – A transmission line on wood poles and steel structures beginning at the Jim Branch Station near Coalwood and running north, passing Welch, Hemphill, Capels, Fan Rock, Baileysville and Clear Fork and ending at the Wyoming Station on Reedy Creek near Lynco. This also includes a tap line on wood poles serving the Welch Station.

Logan-Wyoming #1 138 kV – A transmission line on steel structures beginning at the Logan Station near Logan and running southeast, passing Neibert, Rita, Taplin, Man, Hunt, Emmett and Uno and ending at the Wyoming Station near Clear Fork. This also includes a tap line on wood poles running to the Rum Creek Station near Dehue.

Logan-Wyoming #2 138 kV – A transmission line on steel structures beginning at the Logan Station near Logan and running southeast, passing near Rossmore, Rich Creek and Coal Mountain and ending at the Wyoming Station near Clear Fork.

Mullens-Wenonah 34.5 kV – A distribution line beginning at the Mullens Station in Corrine and running southwest toward Alpoa and Bud, then running southeast to Pilot Knob. Intermediate points include Montecarlo, Herndon and Covell, as well as a spur line at Noseman Branch that ends near Herndon.

Wyoming-Baileysville-Jim Branch 138 kV – A transmission line on steel structures beginning at the Wyoming Station near Clear Fork and running southeast along Rt. 197, crossing the Guyandotte River and ending at the Baileysville Station.

Complaints about possible damage resulting from herbicides may be made by contacting the company at the above toll-free number or the local office listed below. Complaints may also be directed to the Department of Agriculture, Pesticide Regulatory Programs Unit, which may be contacted in Charleston at 304-558-2209.

Charleston District - Forestry
P.O. Box 1986 Charleston, WV 25327



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