

2017 Expansion Project: Fair Hill Pipeline Project Overview

Eastern Shore submitted an application to the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission (“FERC” or “Commission”) for a NGA Section 7(c) Certificate on December 10, 2016. The 2017 Expansion Project is necessary to deliver up to an aggregate of 61,162 dekatherms of additional natural gas transportation service to meet growing market demand for reliable energy with fewer emissions. Eastern Shore received approval from the Commission on October 4, 2017. The 2017 Expansion Project is expected to be placed in service by the second quarter of 2018 to meet the needs of its customers.

Impacts and Mitigation to the Fair Hill Natural Resource Management Area (FHNRM):



ESNG will construct the new pipeline within their existing easement with an adjacent temporary easement required to facilitate construction. Within these areas, construction activity will include the clearing of mature forest, excavation, grading, and road work. The project contains protection measures to preserve specimen trees where feasible and the temporary easement will be restored and will remain State property. ESNG has made efforts to minimize effects to the natural resources and visitor experience at Fair Hill NRMA, and is providing compensation to DNR to perform additional restoration activities at Fair Hill.

CONSTRUCTION

APPROXIMATE START DATE: February 12, 2018

APPROXIMATE END DATE: May 4, 2018

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