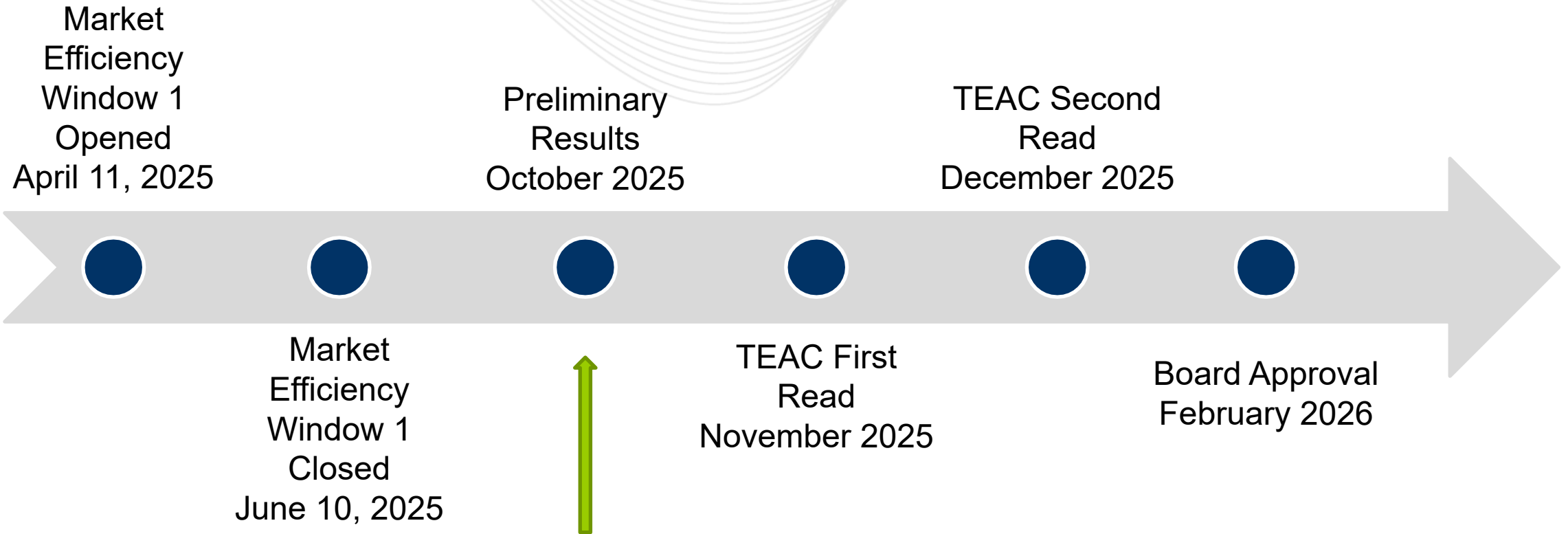


# Market Efficiency Update

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# 2024/25 Market Efficiency Window 1 Update

- [2024/25 Long-Term Market Efficiency Window 1](#) opened on 4/11/25 and closed 6/10/25.
  - Market Efficiency Base Case, Sensitivity Scenarios, and Congestion Drivers for the window posted on the [Market Efficiency secure page](#).
  - Updated Event Files were posted on the [Market Efficiency secure page](#) at the beginning of October.
    - Updated Joshua Falls-Yeat Interface definition to Cloverdale-Joshua Falls.
    - Updated interface limits to align with projected load growth in the 2032 and 2035 scenarios.
    - Assumed network upgrades for some future units included in the 2035 scenario.
    - Changes do not have significant impact on the posted congestion drivers.
  - Updated congestion file posted on the [Market Efficiency secure page](#).
- Received 14 proposals from 5 entities.
  - Redacted versions of proposals are posted on the [Redacted Proposals page](#).
  - Proposal descriptions can be found in the [Market Efficiency Update](#) presented at August TEAC.

# 2024/25 ME Window 1 Preliminary Results Museville-Smith Mountain 138 kV (AEP)

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- Legend**
- Identified Reinforcement
  - Transmission System Enhancement
  - Subs  $\geq 345$  kV
  - Trans Lines  $\geq 345$  kV
- The map displays the Dominion Energy transmission system in the Piedmont region of Virginia. Key substations and transmission lines are labeled, including Glen Lyn, Peters Mountain, Matt Funk, South Christiansburg, Thornton, Oak Level, Fieldale, Rockyford, Edanville, Banister, Bearskin, Museville, Smith Mountain, Stage, Joshua Falls, Cloverdale, Durandal, and Morrisville. The map also shows the locations of West Virginia, North Carolina, and Maryland, as well as the Chesapeake Bay and the Potomac River. A legend in the top left corner identifies the symbols used for reinforcement and enhancement projects.

- Impacts on the congestion driver
  - Proposal Nos. 332 and 385 completely solve the identified congestion driver.
  - Proposal Nos. 717, 733, 991 solve most of the identified congestion driver.
  - Proposal No. 993 does not solve the identified congestion driver.
- B/C ratio
  - All proposals exceed the benefit to cost ratio threshold of 1.25.

# Museville-Smith Mountain 138 kV - Preliminary Results

Proposal ID	332	385	717	733	991	993
Project Type	Upgrade	Upgrade	Greenfield	Upgrade	Greenfield	Greenfield
B/C Ratio Metric	Lower Voltage	Lower Voltage	Regional	Lower Voltage	Regional	Lower Voltage
In-Service Cost (\$MM)*	\$86.11	\$131.64	\$1,568.72	\$1.81	\$520.38	\$270.09
Cost Containment*	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	Yes
In-Service Year	2029	2029	2030	2027	2029	2029
% Cong Driver Mitigated	100%	100%	81%	75%	82%	17%
Base Case B/C Ratio	20.55	13.44	2.97	136.55	2.68	6.45

Further analysis will be coordinated with the reliability window for which multiple proposals were submitted that may impact this facility.

\* Note: Costs under review by PJM



# 2024/25 ME Window 1 Preliminary Results West Point-Lanexa 115 kV

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- Impacts on the congestion driver
  - Proposal Nos. 338, 390, 525, 836 and 910 solve the identified congestion driver.
  - Proposal Nos. 50 and 183 do not solve the identified congestion driver.
- B/C ratio
  - Proposal Nos. 390 and 525 both exceed the benefit to cost ratio threshold of 1.25.
  - Proposal Nos. 50, 183, 338, 836, 910 fail to meet the benefit to cost ratio threshold of 1.25.

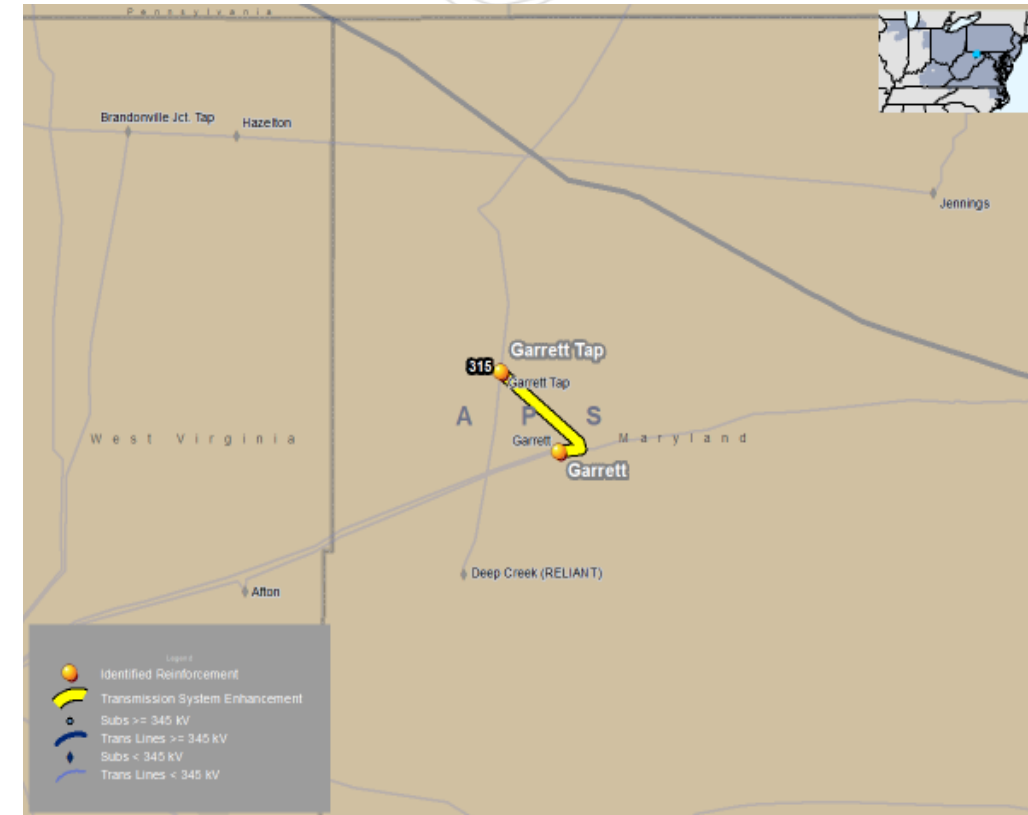
Proposal ID	50	183	338	390	525	836	910
Project Type	Upgrade	Upgrade	Upgrade	Upgrade	Upgrade	Upgrade	Upgrade
B/C Ratio Metric	Lower Voltage	Lower Voltage	Lower Voltage	Lower Voltage	Lower Voltage	Lower Voltage	Lower Voltage
In-Service Cost (\$MM)*	\$83.92	\$221.74	\$28.11	\$21.41	\$23.41	\$62.58	\$90.89
Cost Containment*	No	No	No	No	No	No	No
In-Service Year	2029	2029	2028	2029	2029	2028	2028
% Cong Driver Mitigated	52%	59%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
Base Case B/C Ratio	0.26	0.30	0.97	3.05	2.71	0.13	0.55

Further analysis to be conducted before determining final recommendation.

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# 2024/25 ME Window 1 Preliminary Results Garrett-Garrett Tap 115 kV

- 1 upgrade proposal received (Proposal No. 315).
  - Proposal in-service year cost of \$9.9M.
  - Proposal No. 315 was also submitted to the 2025W1 reliability window.
- Garrett-Garrett Tap 115 kV congestion driver will be addressed in 2025W1 reliability window.



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