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Capital Project Profile: Morocco substation

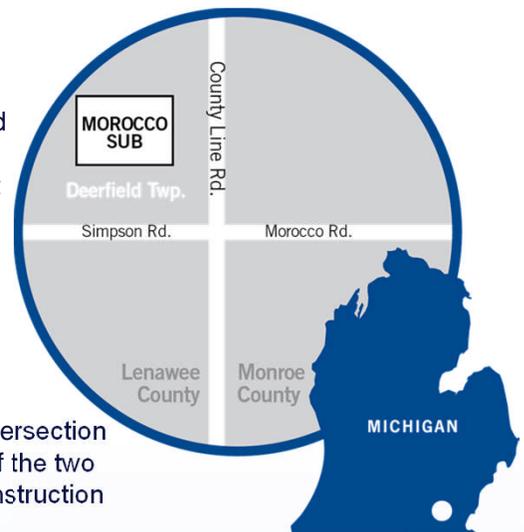
To alleviate stress on the transmission system and provide a more stable and reliable source of energy for the area, ITC will build a new substation, named Morocco, in Deerfield Township. It will connect the existing local 138,000-volt (138 kV) system to a 345,000-volt (345 kV) line. The Morocco substation will use a transformer to step the voltage down from 345 kV to 138 kV to serve the local system.

The scheduled suspension of the Whiting coal-fired generation station in Monroe County in April 2016 will place additional stress on the area's transmission system which could cause low voltages.

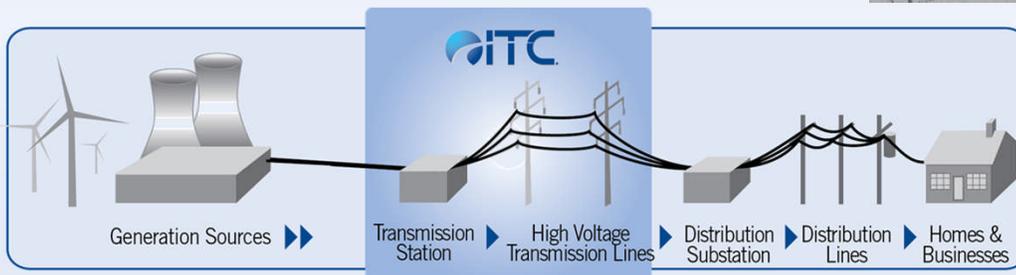
The Morocco substation will be built on land at the northwest corner of the intersection of Simpson/Morocco Road and County Line Road, close to the intersection of the two transmission lines mentioned above. There will be minimal additional line construction required.

Construction is anticipated to begin in the second quarter of 2015 and be completed by late in 2015. This project has been approved by MISO, the Midcontinent Independent Transmission System Operator. MISO is charged by the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission with maintaining the stability and reliability of the transmission grid in a multi-state region that includes Michigan.

The Morocco substation project is an example of ITC meeting the needs of its customers while upgrading Michigan's high voltage transmission system to ensure its efficiency and reliability. The company has invested more than \$2.7 billion in capital project maintenance and transmission infrastructure improvements in Michigan since 2003. These investments are improving the reliability and safety of the transmission infrastructure while ensuring its ability to meet new energy demands.



The Morocco substation will be similar to the one shown in the photo above.



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