

Buckeye XPress Project



As part of our commitment to safely delivering the natural gas that millions of Americans need every day, we continually look for new ways to ensure our pipelines and energy facilities operate at optimum conditions.

A large part of this includes modernizing our existing network. By replacing aging infrastructure, upgrading compression facilities and integrating cutting-edge maintenance technology at hundreds of sites, we ensure natural gas safely and reliably gets to market. This modernization also helps us reduce our greenhouse gas emissions. Between 2013 and 2020, TransCanada will invest more than two billion dollars to make it happen.

Buckeye XPress is one of these important modernization projects. It involves replacing approximately 64 miles of existing 20-inch-diameter and 24-inch-diameter pipeline transporting natural gas from major production areas to regional markets in Ohio and throughout the United States. The pipeline provides up to 700 million cubic feet per day of clean-burning locally-produced natural gas.

There is also the potential to replace this line with 36-inch diameter pipeline to meet growing market demand in the Appalachian region and beyond.

Project Review and Approval

As an interstate natural gas pipeline, the primary regulatory body overseeing the Buckeye XPress project will be the [Federal Energy Regulatory Commission](#) (FERC). FERC will conduct a comprehensive and transparent environmental review of the project, which will include working closely with landowners, local officials and communities.

Pending FERC approval of the Buckeye XPress, TransCanada anticipates construction to begin in spring 2019 to meet an in-service date of fall 2020.



You are invited to follow the project through the FERC process by visiting the agency's "Electronic Library" at ferc.gov/docs-filing/elibrary.asp and searching for docket number PF17-6.

Unwavering Commitment to Safety

Safety is a core value at TransCanada. Getting it right is more important than ever when it comes to safety, minimizing environmental impact and taking care of our neighbors and employees. From design to construction to maintenance, we apply stringent industry standards, research-based company policies and regulatory mandates to every aspect of an infrastructure project. This commitment has resulted in the development of one of the safest and most reliable energy transportation networks in North America.

Partnering with Landowners

Building positive working relationships with landowners near the project area is important to us. As a landowner, we consider you a partner in this project. You can count on us to protect your privacy, respect your land and make safety and environmental responsibility our top priorities. We're proud of the relationships we've built with more than 95,000 landowners across our pipeline and asset network, and as your neighbor, we pledge to be transparent, fair and flexible in all of our communications.

Environmental Responsibility

At TransCanada, we're committed to protecting the environment where we work and live. We respect the diversity of the landscapes where we operate and work to minimize our environmental footprint while meeting the world's growing demand for safe and reliable energy. Learn more about our Environment Strategy at www.transcanada.com/en/commitment/environment.

Investing in Communities

TransCanada's Columbia Gas Transmission network and employees have been a part of Ohio for more than 100 years. We are committed to the growth and vitality of the communities in which we operate. This long-term commitment includes supporting local non-profit and civic organizations, sponsoring community events, volunteering and keeping local officials and residents informed about our operations.

About TransCanada

With decades of experience, TransCanada is a [leader](#) in the [responsible development](#) and reliable operation of North American energy infrastructure. It operates a network of natural gas pipelines that extends more than 56,900 miles, tapping into virtually all major natural gas basins in North America and supplying more than 25 percent of North American demand. Visit TransCanada.com to learn more, or [connect with us on social media](#). Want to learn more about the energy business as a whole? Check out the Discover Energy section of our website at <https://www.transcanada.com/en/discover-energy/>.