

# **Easement Education**

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## Site Control Requirements DP1

#### **Site Control Term**

		Generating Facility	Interconnection Facility	Interconnection Switchyard
Submission 1 Application Phase	Full	<b>0100%</b> Deed   Lease   Option <i>(See Note 1)</i>	Not Required	Not Required
Term Requirement		1 year from Application Deadline		
Submission 2 Decision Point 1 (See Note 2)	Partial	O100% Deed   Lease   Option	<b>50%</b> Deed   Lease   Option   Right-of-Way	<b>50%</b> Deed   Lease   Option
Term Requirement		1 year from last day of Phase 1		
Submission 3 Decision Point 3 (See Note 3)	Full	<b>0100%</b> Deed   Lease   Option	<b>0 100%</b> Deed   Lease   Option   Right-of-Way	<b>0 100%</b> Deed   Lease   Option (See Note 4)
Term Requirement		Additional 1 year from last day of Phase 3 (for Transition Cycles #1 and #2) Additional 3 years from last day of Phase 3 (for new Cycle)		

= 100% Site Control Required

= 50% Site Control Required

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**Easement Requirements** 

- All site control must meet Tariff, Part VII, Subpart A, section 302 requirements
- Easement evidence must demonstrate the three key elements
  - Term
    - 1 year from the last day of Phase 1
  - Exclusivity
  - Conveyance



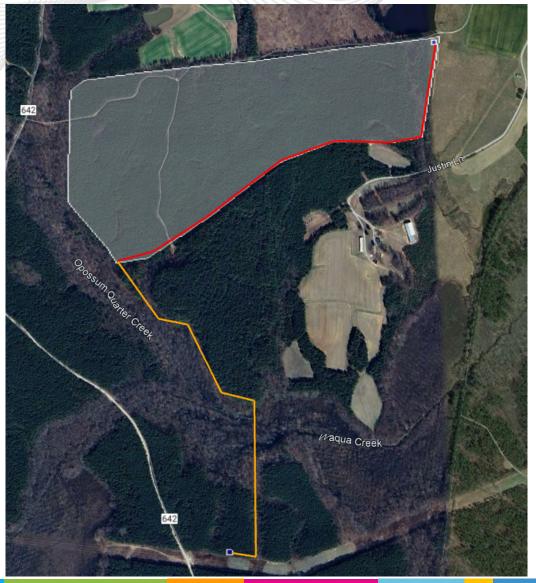
#### **Easement Requirements**

- Provide evidence of an easement granted to Project Developer demonstrating allowance for:
  - installation, operation, maintenance, repair and replacement of poles and fixtures for generator lead line
- Provide complete un-redacted copy of recorded easement
  - Redactions of financials allowed
- Easement grants the developer exclusive use and right to install, etc. within easement area
- Contains as exhibit a survey of the easement area depicting easement along with a legal metes and bounds description of the easement area

### **Easement Requirements**



- Evidence must cover 50% of the linear distance of the easement corridor, displayed in orange
  - Easements needed beyond Generating Facility
- Generator tie utilizing existing Generating Facility does not meet requirements
- Site plan must match provided site control evidence





- 50% site control of interconnection switchyard must be provided with DP1 submission
- Evidence via deed, lease, option to lease or purchase
  - Memorandums are not acceptable
  - Evidence of intent to control Site not acceptable
- Many are on Generating Facility Sites



# Interconnection Switchyard Acreage

kV Level	Acreage Required	Acreage at DP1
115 kV and below	4 acres	2 acres
230 + 345 kV	6 acres	3 acres
500 kV	8 acres	4 acres





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