

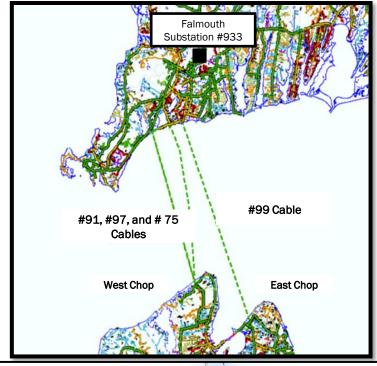
# Martha's Vineyard Electric Supply Overview

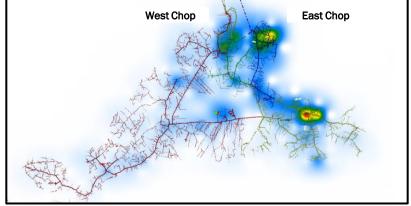
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# **Supply Overview Martha's Vineyard**

- Approximately 21,000 customers
- Historical peak load of 66 MW in 2022
- Served by four (4) 23kV submarine cables (#91, #97, #75, #99) out of Falmouth #933 Substation
- Served by a network of 23kV and lower voltage 8.32kV / 4.8 kV distribution circuits on the island
- Greater concentrations of load and customers on Eastern end of the island in Tisbury (Vineyard Haven), Oak Bluffs, and Edgartown.
- Lower load and customer density on Western end of the island, in W. Tisbury, Chilmark, and Aquinnah
- Approximately 20 MW of installed Solar DER on the island





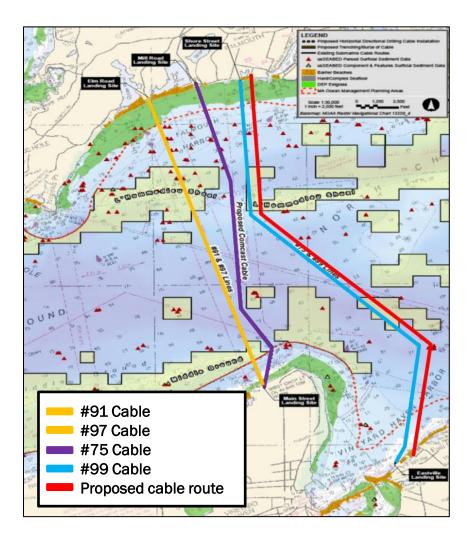


## **Eversource Working to Improve Reliability**



#### Distribution Cable Project – 23kV

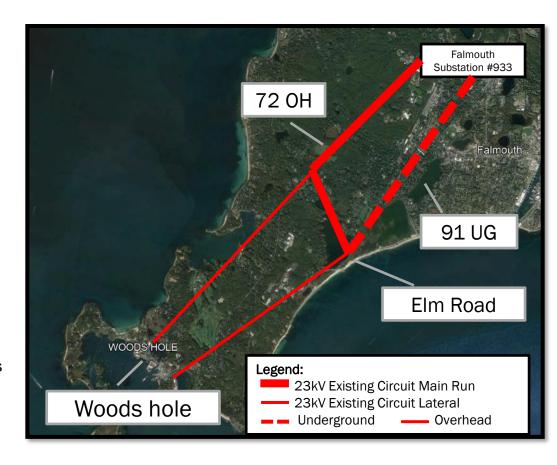
- Increase reliability for Martha's Vineyard residents
- New underground conduit and manhole system
- Installation of new (fifth) submarine cable
- Replacement of an existing limiting #91 Cable
- Permits retirement of existing five (5) 2.5 MW diesels by May 2025
- Projected in-service date: First quarter 2025



### **Enablement of Ferry Electrification Falmouth Terminal**



- 91: 23kV circuit reconfiguration at Elm Road after new 91B cable is in place (2025)
- 91 or 72: 23kV lateral upgrades from Elm Road to Woods hole (multiple sections)
- 91 or 72: Alternate option is for underground 23kV supply from Elm Road to Wood hole (capacity and reliability improvement)
- Woods Hole:
  - Upgrades existing small conductor to large conductor(~0.6 miles)
  - Additional equipment such as reclosers and switches
  - Distribution service transformer installation (padmount)



# **Enablement of Ferry Electrification Vineyard Haven Terminal**



### Options:

 Existing 4.8kV circuit will require conversion and upgrade to 23kV

### Vineyard Haven Center:

- ~0.7 miles of 4kV conversion
- ~0.7 miles of 23kV upgrade on W. Spring St
- ~0.7 miles of 23kV upgrade
  Greenwood Ave (alternate supply tie required for reliability)
- Distribution service transformer installation (padmount)

