

## Chesapeake Compressor Station Project

### Virginia Natural Gas (VNG)

VNG has served the Chesapeake, Virginia community for nearly 175 years by providing safe, reliable natural gas service to local families and businesses. With nearly 400 employees in the region, VNG is committed to serving its more than 310,000 homes, small and large businesses, schools, military institutions and more in southeastern Virginia.

### Project Timeline

Summer 2024 – Ongoing	Site Assessment / Surveys and Planning
September 2024 – November 2024	Initial Stakeholder Engagement
December 2024	Community Open House
January 2025	Anticipated SCC Filing
October 2027	Anticipated In-service*

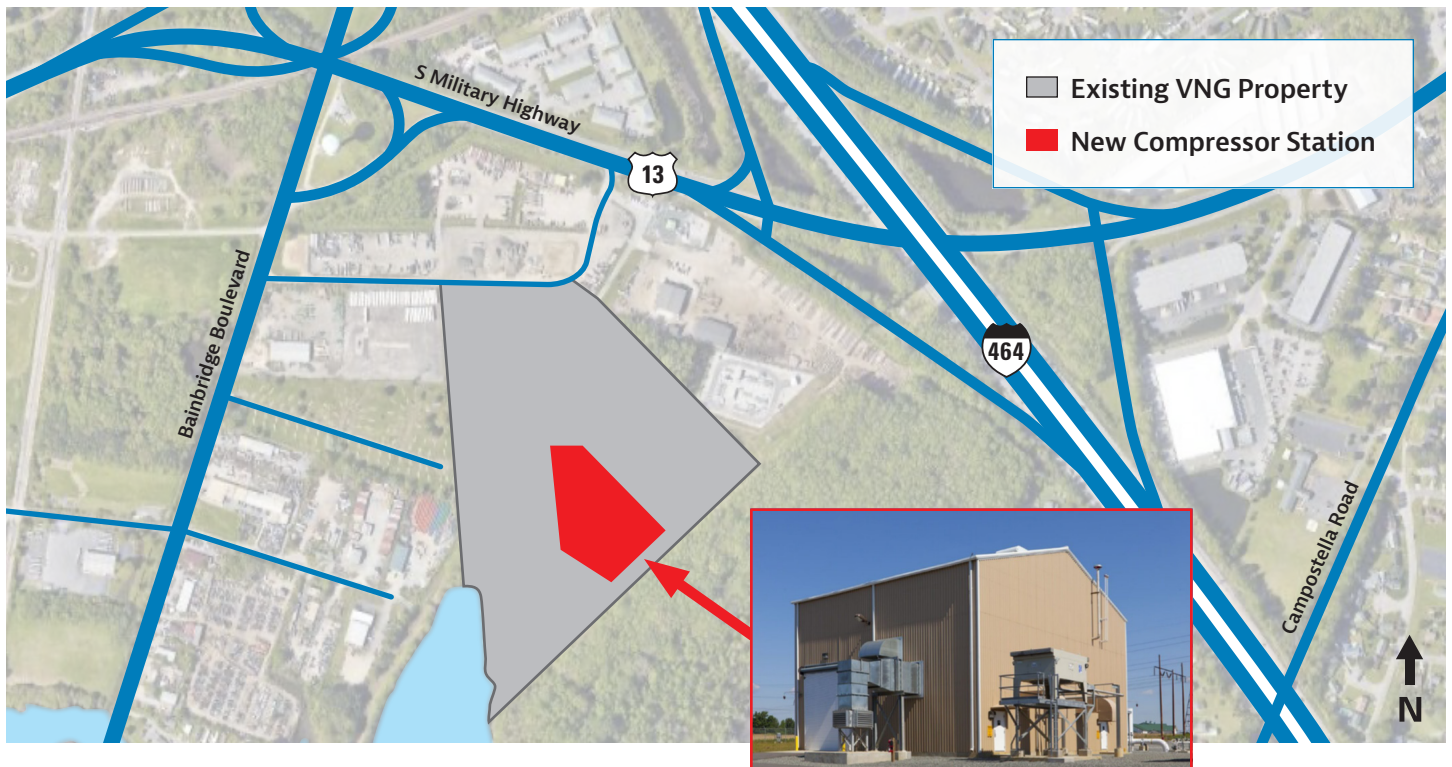
\* Pending VA SCC approvals

### Project Description

Virginia Natural Gas is proposing to build a new compressor station, a facility that facilitates the movement of natural gas through a pipeline to enhance reliability and resiliency of the Virginia Natural Gas distribution system and ensure Virginia residents and businesses have access to clean, safe, affordable natural gas. The compressor station will be constructed in an area with existing VNG facilities that have been in use for 65 years in the industrial area near Bainbridge Blvd. and Campostella Road, just south of South Military Highway in Chesapeake.

### Project Need

As the community of Chesapeake continues to grow, natural gas will remain a vital part of the energy mix. The Chesapeake Compressor Station Project will accommodate economic growth and resulting energy demand by improving the way in which natural gas is delivered. The project will optimize the use of existing regional equipment and provide a new facility to ensure the safe transport of natural gas during the coldest of weather conditions.



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## Environment

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Virginia Natural Gas provides clean, safe, reliable and affordable energy in ways that protect the environment and our neighbors and communities. VNG plans to minimize environmental impacts by using electric compression that will limit emissions from the process. Additionally, we will be:

- Conducting detailed surveys of the project area to locate important resources, including wetlands, streams and protected species
- Using construction methods that avoid or reduce impact to sensitive areas such as streams or wetlands
- Building the station next to existing VNG-owned facilities, avoiding the need for developing a new site
- Complying with stringent requirements, rules and regulations from federal, state and local regulators

## Our Commitment to Safety

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Virginia Natural Gas will follow all safety guidelines during and after construction by:

- Monitoring facilities 24/7 via VNG's Gas Control Center
- Marking the location of certain buried natural gas lines
- Performing regular inspections and surveys of the equipment and property
- Using an existing utility location, which is an industry best practice that makes it safer for the utility to reside
- Working closely with local/regional emergency response teams in case of an emergency

## A Partner in Your Community

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Virginia Natural Gas is dedicated to the customers and communities we serve. We believe in the fair treatment and involvement of our neighbors and customers during new projects is important to being good community partners. We aim to ensure that the communities we serve are better off because of our work. These communities are also home to our families, and we strive to improve them—a goal bigger than our bottom line.

## Sound Management

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While it is important for Virginia Natural Gas to provide customers with a reliable source of natural gas, we are equally committed to ensuring our operations do not disrupt the daily lives of those who live and work nearby. The expected sound levels from the compressor station will be equivalent to that of a normal conversation or background music and should not have any impact on the neighboring community.

### Contact Us!

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