EEI Member Company Military Installation Project Examples

Dominion Energy Utility Privatization and the Department of Defense

*Dominion Energy partners with several key military installations to modernize, improve resiliency and reduce O&M costs*

Through Utility Privatization (UP), Dominion Energy has significantly improved the reliability, energy resiliency, and operations and maintenance costs at several military installations it serves. UP allows the U.S. Department of Defense (DoD) to capitalize utility infrastructure and bring the utility systems up to current industry standards. It also provides the military the means to finance improvements in support of the DoD's energy reliability, energy resilience, and cybersecurity goals.

**Partnerships at-a-Glance**

- DoD recognized that its installations were not able to effectively operate and maintain its water, gas and electrical distribution systems. Safety, security, reliability and energy resiliency became critical concerns.
- Leveraging its expertise and strong long-term relationships with DoD installations, Dominion Energy has over ten Utility Privatization contracts with large military installations.
- Dominion Energy has completed more than $300 million in projects for infrastructure expansions and improvements that address reliability and energy security.
- Infrastructure improvements included system protection enhancements, automatic transfer schemes, enhanced ties and circuit loops, strategic undergrounding, and other critical investments.
- Through UP, Dominion Energy owns, operates and maintains more than 50 emergency generators on DoD installations to support energy security and sustainability.
- Since Dominion Energy took over ownership and operations, outages have been reduced collectively by more than 70 percent. At some installations, reliability has improved by more than 90 percent.