



# Bremo Power Station Demolition

Dominion Energy is moving forward with a controlled demolition of Bremo Power Station Units 3 and 4 on September 23. Here is what to expect.

## Background

In 2019, Dominion Energy announced it would retire Bremo Power Station after almost 90 years of reliable operation. As a part of the retirement, Units 3 and 4 and the related smokestacks will be demolished through a controlled demolition.

**Demolition work is not part of the coal ash project and will have no impact on the coal ash project at Bremo Power Station.**

We have worked with county officials, fire department and law enforcement agencies on both planning and preparations leading up to and day of demolition.

## Why Demolition?

Controlled demolition offers significant advantages over other alternatives, including far less risk, particulate exposure, and disruptions to surrounding businesses, residents, and traffic. It is a relatively quick process, with the actual demolition taking less than a minute and cleanup only a few hours.

## What should I expect on demolition day?

The controlled demolition of Bremo Power Station Units 3 and 4 and smokestacks will take place the morning of Friday, September 23, 2022 at approximately 10:00AM, with sirens activated before to alert those in the immediate area.

In the case of unfavorable weather, the controlled demolition may be moved to the morning of Saturday, September 24.

Bremo Road will be closed starting at 9:15AM between the Bremo Post Office and 1268 Bremo Road. The James River will also be closed between the Bremo Bluff Boat Launch and approximately ½ mile downstream.

The station is expected to collapse in less than 10 seconds after the demolition charge.

Once the controlled demolition is complete, crews will move in to survey the area to ensure that it is safe. After the "All Clear," cleanup and the reopening of Bremo Road and the James River will begin. It is anticipated this will be completed by 11:00AM.

## Exclusion Zone



## Quick Facts

**Name:** Bremo Power Station  
**Address:** 1038 Bremo Rd. Bremo Bluff, VA 23022  
**Built:** 1931  
**Retired:** 2019  
**Demolition Date:** September 23, 2022  
**Demolition Time:** 10:00 AM EST

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