

July 23rd, 2010

Dear Stakeholder:

UPDATE - **Eyre 558S Substation Interconnection (the Project)**
- **Determination of Preferred Route Option**

Altalink would like the opportunity to thank you for your ongoing participation and input regarding the proposed Eyre 558S Substation Interconnection Project. You are receiving this update because you are a stakeholder located within 800 m of one or more of the transmission line routes that was considered for the Project.

During the last three months, we have received valuable input during one-on-one consultations with landowners, agencies and industry for the Project. Site specific information has allowed us to refine our Project scope and identify one transmission route for submission to the Alberta Utilities Commission (AUC) for consideration in the Project's Facility Application.

Preferred Route Option

AltaLink has identified the route option with the lowest overall impact and labelled this route as the "Preferred" route option for submission to the Alberta Utilities Commission (AUC). The Preferred Route is illustrated as a solid red line on the attached map. Previously considered transmission routes are now labelled as "rejected" and are illustrated on the map as a solid yellow line.

The criteria used to assess the viability of each route and ultimately identify the Preferred Route are listed below:

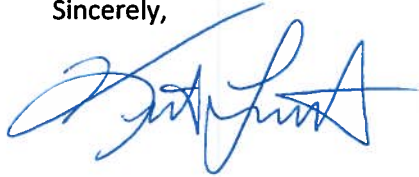
- the proximity and number of residences adjacent to the proposed route
- stakeholder feedback
- location of the proposed Eyre 558S Substation
- ability to parallel other linear disturbances
- visual impacts
- potential environmental impacts
- costs
- consideration of other transmission projects

Transmission structures for the Preferred Route will be built 1 meter on road allowance. If you have land parcels located adjacent to the Preferred Route option we have enclosed a Photo-Mosaic Strip Map(s) to illustrate the Preferred Route in greater detail.

If you are located along the Preferred Route Option and would like additional information regarding the Project, please do not hesitate to contact us. You can contact us at siting.consultation@altalink.ca or call us at 1-877-267-1453.

Thank you again for participating in this project.

Sincerely,



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Right-of-Way Planner

Enclosures:

All stakeholders:

- Photo-Mosaic Map of Preferred route option

For stakeholders along the Preferred and Alternate routes:

- Photo-Mosaic Strip Map(s) of Preferred route