

October 26, 2023

Solar Krafte Vauxhall Connection – Notice of project approval

Thank you for your ongoing participation in the Solar Krafte Vauxhall Connection project. The Alberta Utilities Commission (AUC) approved this project for construction on October 12, 2023.

Next steps

Where construction activities are required to take place on private property, we will contact you in advance to discuss the specific dates and times we will require access to your property.

We plan to begin construction in January 2024, and anticipate construction to be complete in summer 2024).

Depending on where you are in relation to the project, you may see or hear:

- noise and construction crews
- transmission structure construction
- wire stringing on the transmission structures

AUC approval

When the AUC approves a transmission project, it grants AltaLink Permits and licences. The permits and licences for this project can be viewed on the AUC website at:

<https://www2.auc.ab.ca/Proceeding28440/SitePages/Home.aspx>

To view the above link, you will need to log in to your eFiling account. If you do not have an account, select 'New Account' in the login box and follow the steps onscreen. Please note any questions or concerns regarding account creation and management should be directed towards the AUC at info@auc.ab.ca

If you have any issues accessing these Permits and Licences, please contact us at the details below and we will mail copies of the documents to you.

Project background

Solar Krafte Utilities Inc. (Solar Krafte) is proposing to construct a new substation as part of their proposed Vauxhall Solar Farm in the Municipal District of Taber, approximately three kilometres north of the Town of Vauxhall. To connect the Vauxhall Solar Farm to the grid, AltaLink is proposing to:

- construct approximately 100 metres of new 138 kilovolt (kV) transmission line between an existing transmission line (called 763L) and Solar Krafte's proposed Solstice Substation, located in SE-20-13-16 W4
- install approximately three kilometres of fibre optic cable in the road allowance between AltaLink's existing Vauxhall Substation and Solar Krafte's Solstice Substation

Contact us

We are available to address any questions or concerns you may have. Please contact us at stakeholderrelations@altalink.ca or 1-877-267-1453. Further information about this project and maps are available at <https://www.altalink.ca/projects/view/343/solar-krafte-vauxhall-connection>

Sincerely,

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