

April 10, 2026

Blue Bridge (Arenosum) Solar Project Connection Notice of project approval

Thank you for your ongoing participation in the Blue Bridge (Arenosum) Solar Project Connection. The Alberta Utilities Commission (AUC) approved this project for construction on March 25, 2026.

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 December 2027 and anticipate construction to be complete in May 2028.

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
- transmission structure modifications
- construction of a new telecommunications tower

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/proceeding/29858>

To view the above link, you will need to log in to your eFiling account. If you do not have an account, select 'New personal account' or 'New organization account' and follow the steps on the screen. 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 a copy of the application to you.

Project background

To connect Blue Bridge Solar Park GP Ltd (Blue Bridge)'s solar project and Arenosum substation to the grid, AltaLink is making changes to its transmission system. The project is located in Cypress County, approximately 24 kilometres northwest of Hilda. AltaLink's project includes:

- constructing approximately 300 metres of new 240 kilovolt (kV) transmission line (to be named 1002AL).
- modifying and realigning a portion of AltaLink's existing 1002L transmission line.
- installing a new telecommunications tower in Blue Bridge's approved Arenosum 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/project/blue-bridge-arenosum-solar-project-connection/>.

Sincerely,

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