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Central East Transfer-Out Transmission Project Project update

Thank you for your ongoing participation in the Central East Transfer-Out (CETO) Transmission Project. The Alberta Utilities Commission (AUC) approved the project in August 2021. We are providing you with an update about the project.

The construction of this project is staged to align with certain generation milestones. In December 2022, the Alberta Electric System Operator (AESO) directed AltaLink to begin Stage 1 of the project as the milestone had been met to trigger that stage.

ATCO Electric also has a portion of the project in its service area. You may receive information from ATCO Electric if their portion of the approved project is near you.

Stage 1 involves building a new double circuit 240 kilovolt transmission line and installing new equipment at the Gaetz Substation. AltaLink's new transmission line will be between AltaLink's existing Gaetz Substation and ATCO Electric's approved transmission line.

Please refer to the map included in this package to see AltaLink's approved route and the connection point with ATCO Electric.

If you have questions about the need for the project or the generation milestones, please contact the AESO at stakeholder.relations@aeso.ca or 1-888-866-2959.

Next steps

AltaLink is starting its pre-construction activities, including geotechnical surveys, environmental surveys, identifying structure locations, and land acquisition.

We will contact you if we require access to your property and notify you again as we get closer to the construction start date.

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 http://www.altalink.ca/projects.

Sincerely,

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