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## Central East Transfer-out Transmission Development Project

### **Notice of application filing**

Thank you for your ongoing participation in the Central East Transfer-out Transmission Development Project. We submitted an application for the project to the Alberta Utilities Commission (AUC) on September 25, 2020.

### **Next steps**

The AUC will review the application and can approve, approve with conditions or deny the project. The AUC may also host a hearing regarding the project. To learn more about the AUC process and how you can become involved please visit [www.auc.ab.ca](http://www.auc.ab.ca).

We will notify you of the AUC's decision regarding the project. The construction of the transmission facilities are based on milestones triggered by generation development in the central east region. These milestones have yet to be triggered. The earliest in service date for the CETO project based on those milestone triggers is mid-2023.

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.

### **The application**

The application (No. 25469) can be viewed on the AUC's website at [www.auc.ab.ca](http://www.auc.ab.ca).

To access the application, click on the 'eFiling System Login' button on the top of the page and log in to your eFiling account. If you do not have an account, select 'New Account' 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](mailto:info@auc.ab.ca)

Once your account has been created and you have successfully logged in, enter Filing number 25469 into the 'Go to...' search bar on the top of the page to locate the application. Alternatively, you can navigate to 'Find', click 'Proceedings' and enter "CETO" into the 'Description' search bar.

If you have any issues accessing the application, please contact us at the details below and we will mail a copy of the application to you.

## Project background

AltaLink's portion of the proposed Central East Transfer-Out Project is located in the counties of Red Deer, Lacombe and Stettler.

If approved, the project involves:

Stage 1:

- Addition of two 240 kilovolt (kV) transmission circuits (with the first circuit energized), on a double circuit structure with the conductors tied together
- Approximately 55-60 kilometres of new 240 kilovolt (kV) transmission line connecting the Gaetz Substation, located east of the City of Red Deer, to a new ATCO Electric transmission line, located southeast of the Village of Alix.
- Installing new equipment at the Gaetz Substation including the addition of 240 kV circuit breakers and the addition and removal of associated equipment

For detailed information about our routing, please see our application as per the information above.

## Contact us

We are available to address any questions or concerns you may have. Please contact us at [stakeholderrelations@altalink.ca](mailto:stakeholderrelations@altalink.ca) or 1-877-267-1453. Further information about this project and maps are available at:

<http://www.altalink.ca/projects/view/311/central-east-transfer-out-project>.

Sincerely,

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