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Chapel Rock to Pincher Creek Area Transmission Development Project update

You are receiving this letter because you are near the Chapel Rock to Pincher Creek Area Transmission Development, and we want to provide you with a project update.

In August 2020, we provided information to stakeholders indicating we would file an application with the Alberta Utilities Commission (AUC) in Fall/Winter 2020, but an application was not filed as the Alberta Electric System Operator (AESO) determined that further studies were required.

The studies are complete, and you should have received an update from the AESO indicating that although they have determined that the development is still required, there is some flexibility to align the timing of the project with generation projects in the area.

AltaLink continues to work with the AESO on the project. Based on their latest assessment, we do not anticipate receiving direction to file an application for the project until 2023 at the earliest.

We remain committed to keeping you informed and will provide you with an update when more information is available.

Project background

The proposed Chapel Rock to Pincher Creek Area Transmission Development includes:

- A new 240 kV transmission line connecting a new proposed substation, to be called Chapel Rock, to either the existing Goose Lake Substation or Castle Rock Ridge Substation, both located north of Pincher Creek.
- The new proposed Chapel Rock Substation will connect the new transmission line with the existing 1201L transmission line, which is the Alberta/British Columbia intertie.

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 on www.altalink.ca/chapelrock.

Sincerely,

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