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Eastervale Solar Connection – Metiskow 648S Substation Project update

We began consulting with stakeholders on the proposed Eastervale Solar Connection project in October 2024. As a result of some updates made to the project, there is now some potential work happening near you at AltaLink's existing Metiskow 648S substation. We want to keep you informed and let you know what you may see or hear at the substation as the project progresses.

You may have received project information regarding work at the Metiskow 648S substation as part of the Rising Sun Solar Project Connection. This is a separate AltaLink project. Should you have questions regarding the Rising Sun Solar Project Connection, please contact stakeholderrelations@altalink.ca.

Proposed work at the Metiskow 648S Substation

As part of the Eastervale Solar Connection project, there is now grounding work required at AltaLink's existing Metiskow 648S substation to ensure the continued safe operation of the substation. There will be no expansion to the existing substation fence. All work will take place on AltaLink owned land and all work, once completed, is underground. There will be no visual change to the substation. Please see the enclosed map for additional details.

Project background

To connect Eastervale Solar Inc.'s (Eastervale Solar's) solar project to the grid, AltaLink is proposing a new transmission line and other changes to its transmission system. The project is located in the Municipal District of Provost No. 52, approximately 17 kilometres (km) south of the Village of Amisk. AltaLink's proposed project includes:

- constructing approximately 900 metres (m) of new 240 kilovolt (kV) transmission line (to be named 1047AL)
- installing a new telecommunications tower in Eastervale Solar's proposed substation (Eastervale 1090S)
- minor upgrades or modifications to existing associated structures and equipment as needed
- upgrades at the Metiskow 648S substation located approximately 32 km southeast of the project area

Next steps

We plan to file our application in October 2025 and will notify you once it has been filed. If the project is approved, construction is expected to take place from July to October 2027.

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.

Sincerely,

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