

June 26, 2026

Empress Liquids Substation and 760AL/D760L Transmission Line Salvage Notice of application filing and approval

Thank you for your ongoing participation in the Empress Liquids Substation and 760AL/D760L Transmission Line Salvage. We submitted an application for the project to the Alberta Utilities Commission (AUC) on May 28, 2026. The Alberta Utilities Commission (AUC) approved this project for construction on June 18, 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 July 2026 and anticipate construction to be complete in December 2027. Depending on where you are in relation to the project, you may see or hear:

- noise and construction crews
- transmission structure modification
- removal of an existing substation and transmission line
- reclamation and remediation activities

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/30868>

To access the application, scroll down the main page and click on the 'Access here' option under 'Access to the eFiling System' and 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.

Once your account has been created and you have successfully logged in, enter filing number "30868" into the 'Go to...' search bar on the top of the page to locate the application.

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 is removing a substation and transmission line that are no longer required. The project includes:

- removing the Empress Liquids 164S Substation, located approximately 22 kilometres north of the Hamlet of Hilda
- removing approximately three kilometres of the existing double-circuit transmission line (called 760AL/D760L) that is connected to the substation

- modifying two structures on the existing 760L transmission line to accommodate the removal of the 760AL/D760L transmission lines

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/empress-liquids-substation-transmission-line-salvage/>.

Sincerely,

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