

May 16, 2024

## **164L and 616L Transmission Line Rebuild – Notice of project approval**

Thank you for your ongoing participation in the 164L and 616L Transmission Line Rebuild project. The Alberta Utilities Commission (AUC) approved this project for construction on May 7, 2024.

### **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 October 2024 and anticipate construction to be complete in December 2024.

Depending on where you are in relation to the project, you may see or hear:

- noise and construction crews
- selective tree and vegetation clearing
- transmission structure construction
- wire stringing on the transmission structures

### **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/Proceeding28864/SitePages/Home>.

To view the above link, you will need to log in to your eFiling account. If you do not have an account, select 'New Account' in the Login box 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).

If you have any issues accessing these Permits and Licences, please contact us at the details below and we will mail copies of the documents to you.

### **Project background**

This project is located approximately one kilometre north of the Town of Pincher Creek. The existing 164L and 616L transmission lines are 138 kilovolt single circuit transmission lines. They were constructed more than 60 years ago, and portions of both lines are located in a high-risk fire area. This project involves rebuilding approximately five kilometres of each transmission line to ensure that a safe and reliable supply of power is available for years to come. Instead of rebuilding these as two separate lines, AltaLink will consolidate both of the single-circuit lines into one new double-circuit transmission line.

**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/164l-and-616l-transmission-lines-rebuild>.

Sincerely,

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