

Mona to Oquirrh

New transmission project to help meet area's growing need for electricity

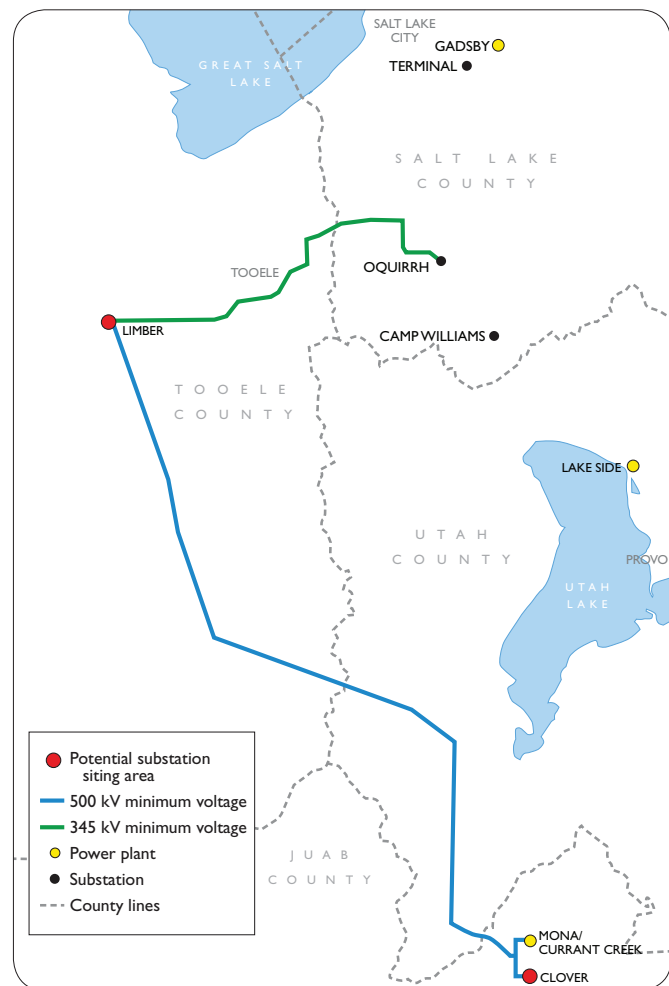
Project specifics

- 500-kilovolt transmission line from the existing Clover substation near Mona in Juab County, Utah to the future Limber substation in Tooele County, Utah
- 345-kv double-circuit transmission line from the location of the Limber substation to the existing Oquirrh substation in West Jordan, Utah in Salt Lake County
- Total miles: approximately 100
- Permitting and environmental impact review completed in early 2011
- February 4, 2011: Bureau of Land Management signed the Record of Decision and the easement for the right of way across federal lands
- February 10, 2011: Notification was published in the Federal Register
- Summer 2013: Line scheduled to be in service to customers
- Project contractor: EC Source

Background

- Project was announced in October 2007 to meet the growing needs of customers.
- More than 450 miles of possible routes were studied to determine the final line route.
- The new transmission facilities are needed to:
 - Provide additional capacity to serve growing electrical demand
 - Improve reliability and flexibility of the electrical system
 - Prepare to deliver electricity to customers from new generation resources
- The current transmission system is operating at or near capacity at various times because individual consumers today use 26 percent more electricity than they did 20 years ago.
- This project is part of the company's overall Energy Gateway transmission expansion project.
- Within the company's service area, Northern Utah represents the fastest growing area in Utah and one of the major growth areas within the region.

- Rocky Mountain Power, as part of PacifiCorp, is committed to providing safe, reliable and efficient electrical power to customers.
- During the permitting process, more than 90 meetings were held with the public, stakeholders and interested groups to discuss the project and the line route.
- Project materials and newsletters were sent to nearly 10,000 landowners and interested parties during the course of the project development.



For more information on this project visit rockymountainpower.net/transmission.



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