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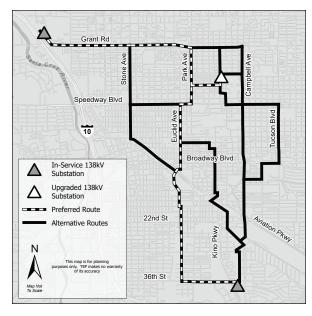


Tucson Electric Power

PUBLIC NOTICE Midtown Reliability Project

TEP invites the public to an upcoming hearing before the Arizona Power Plant and Transmission Line Siting Committee.

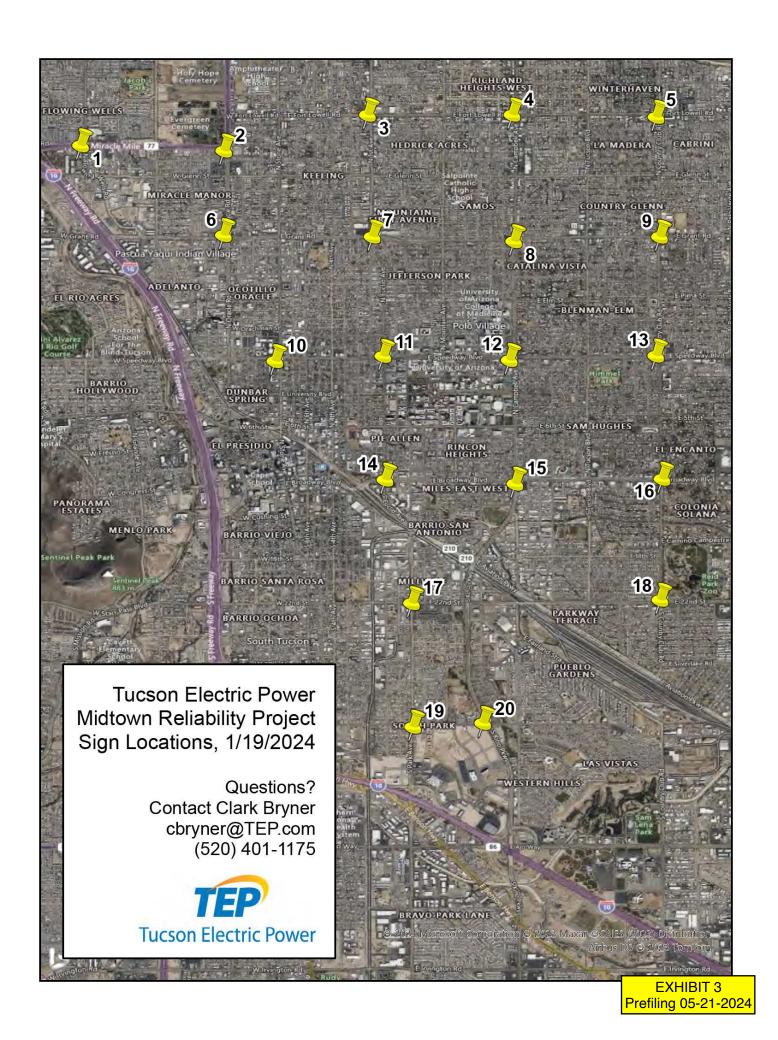
DATE	TIME	LOCATION
July 8, 2024	1 p.m - 5 p.m	DoubleTree Tucson-Reid Park
July 9 - 19, 2024	9 a.m 5 p.m.	445 S. Alvernon Way

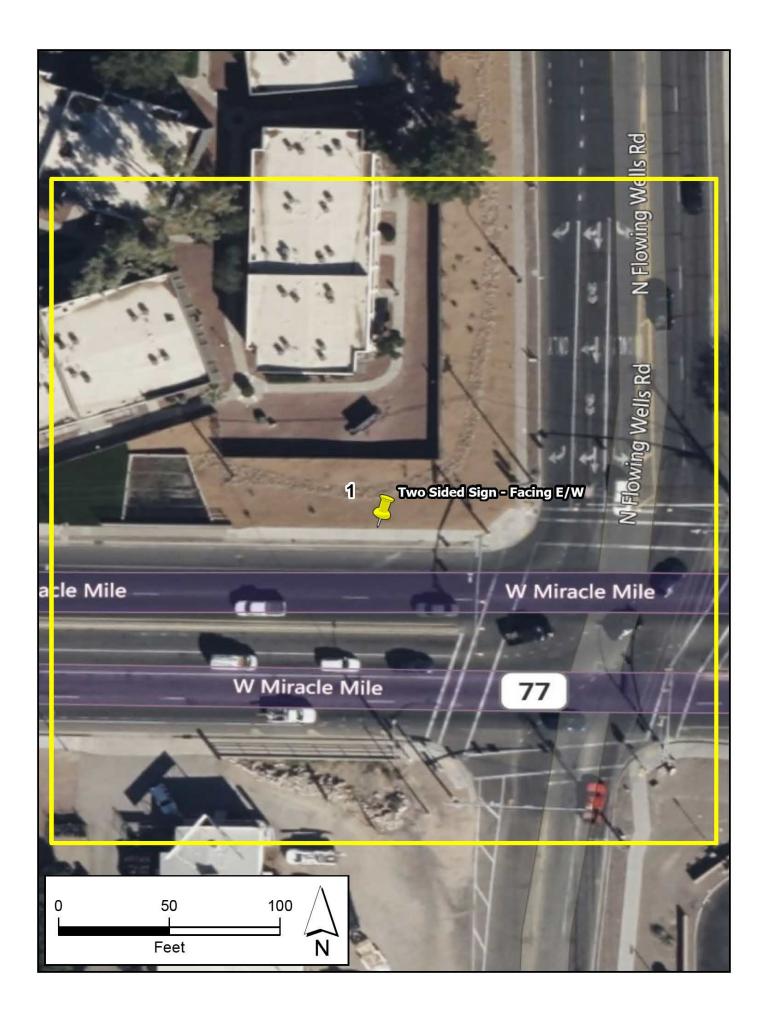


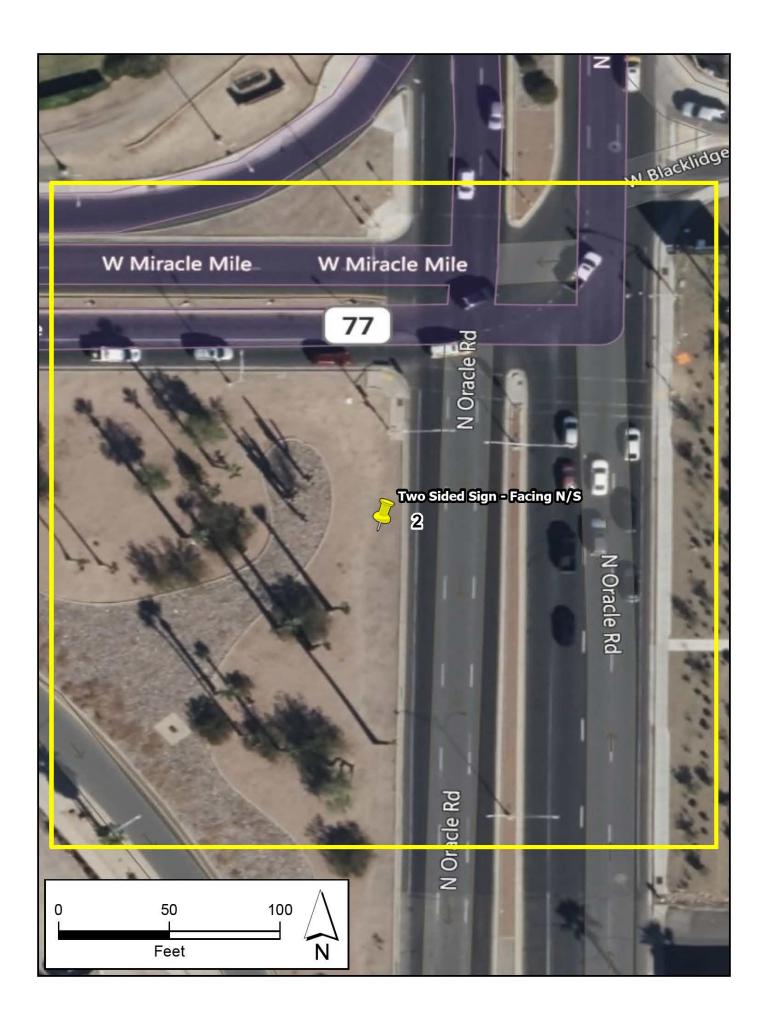
Public Comments will be accepted during the hearing on July 8, 2024, beginning at 5:30 p.m. Comments will be taken in-person at the DoubleTree Tucson-Reid Park or virtually. For information on commenting virtually, please visit:

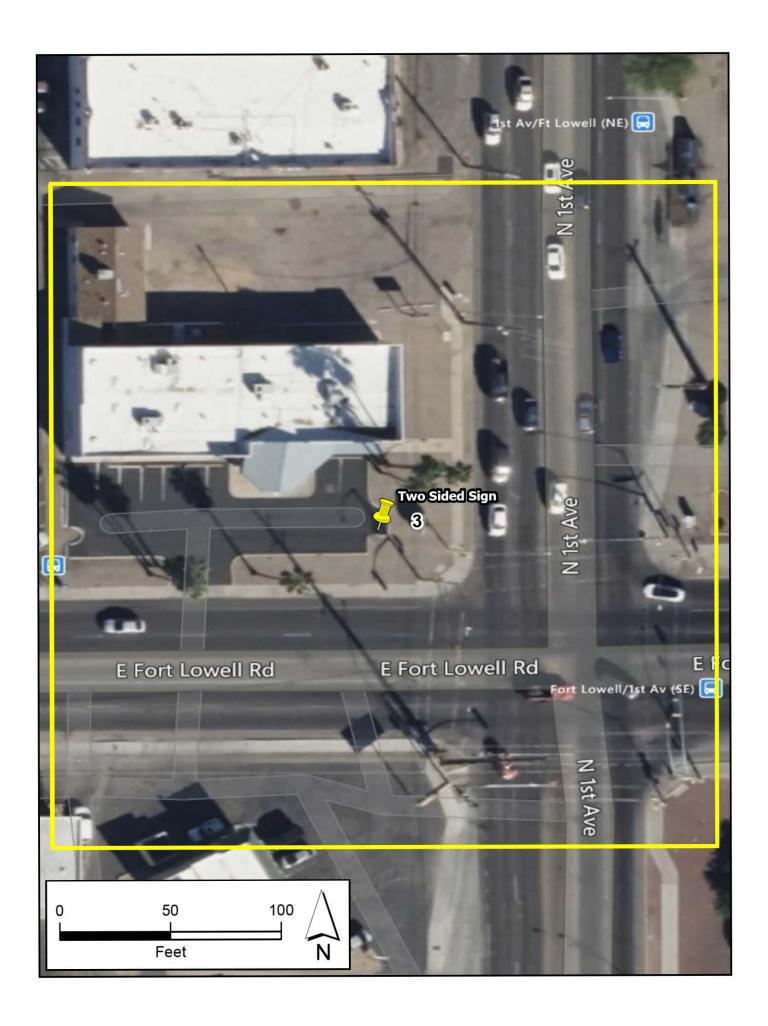


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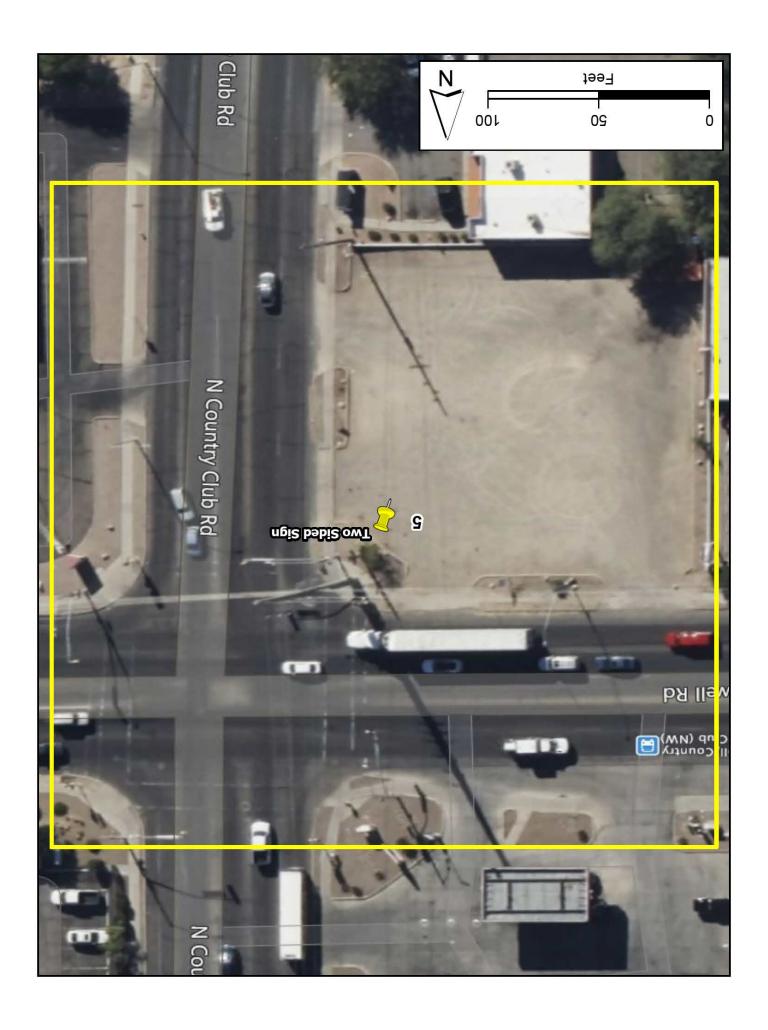




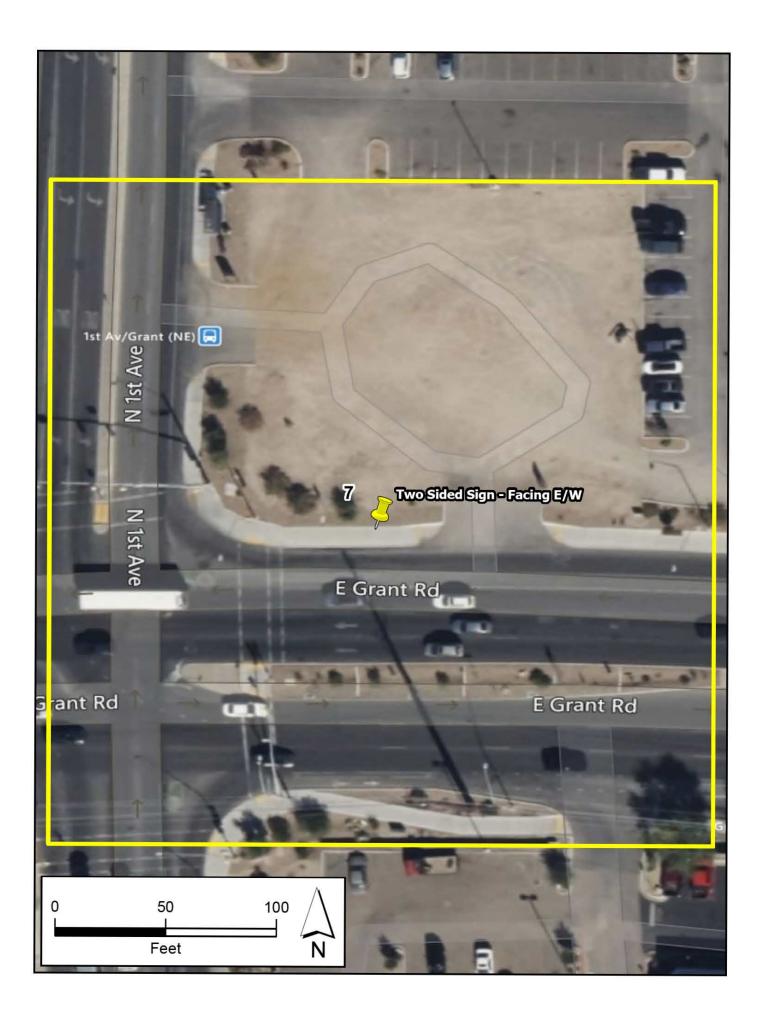




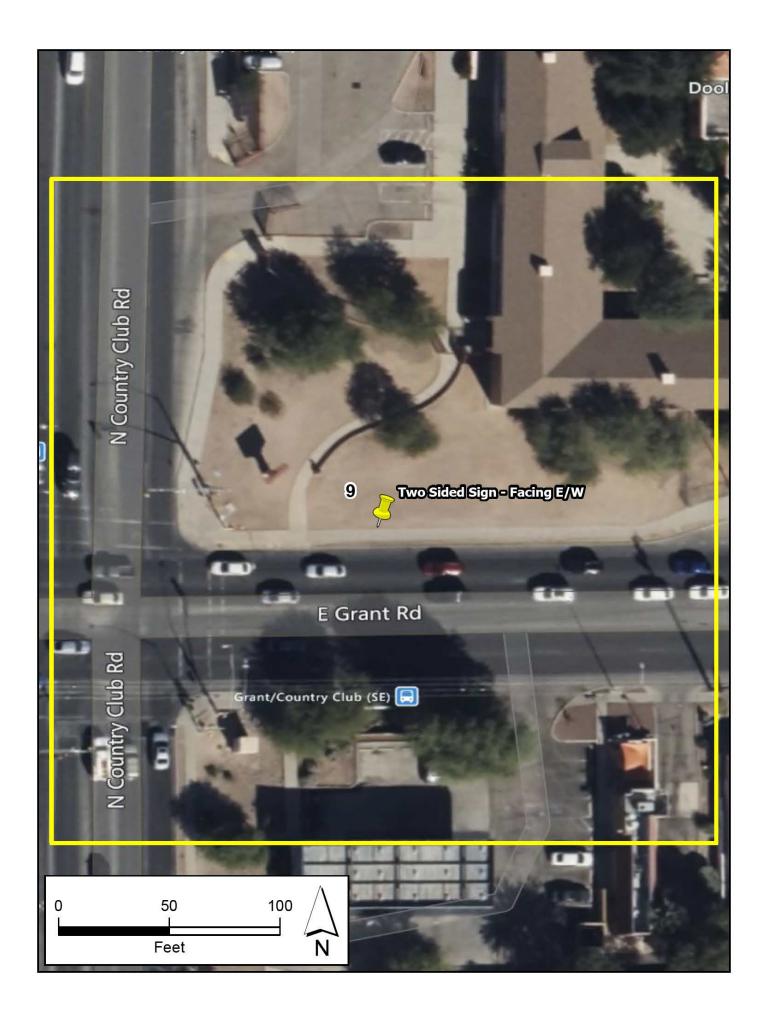


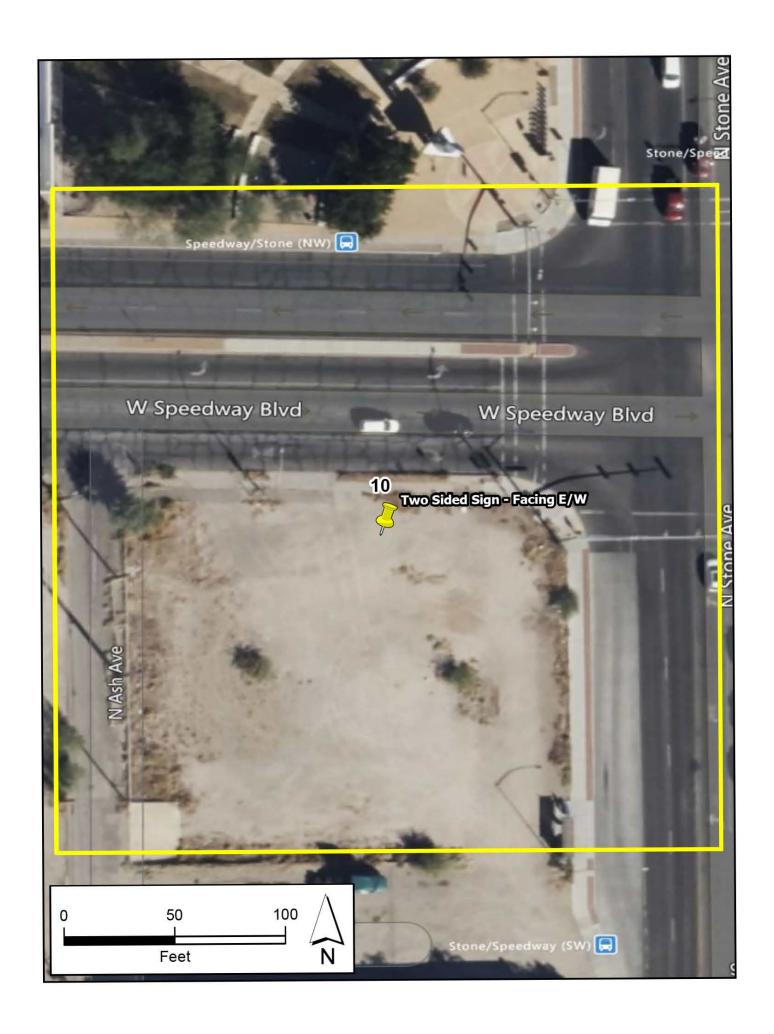


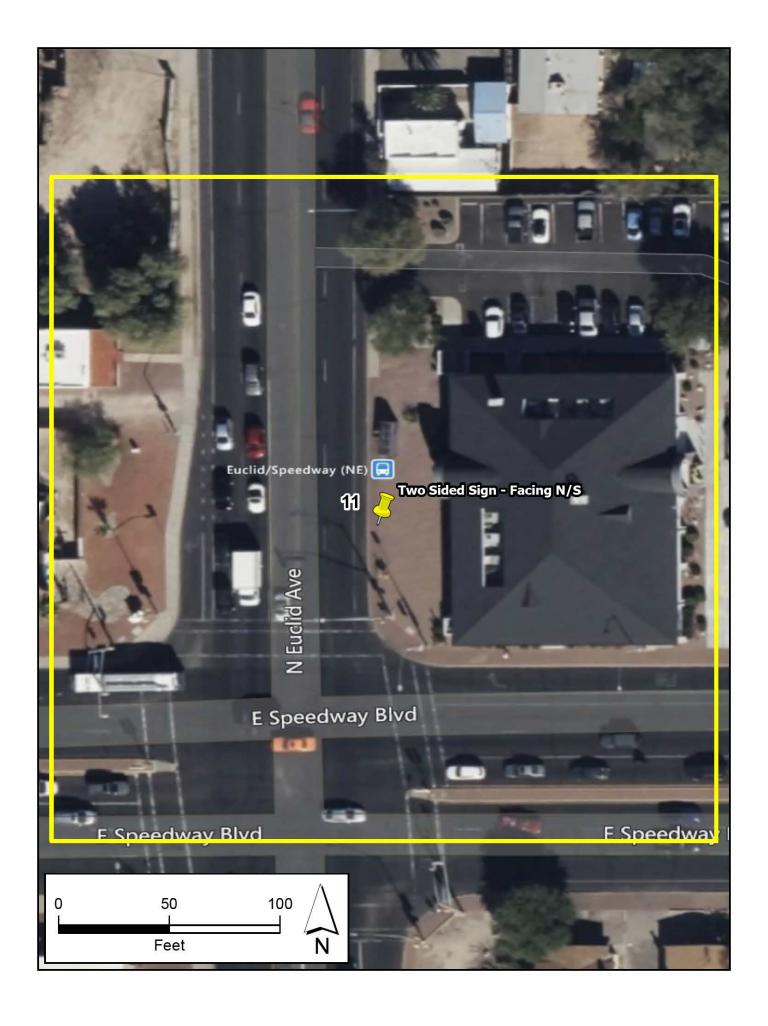


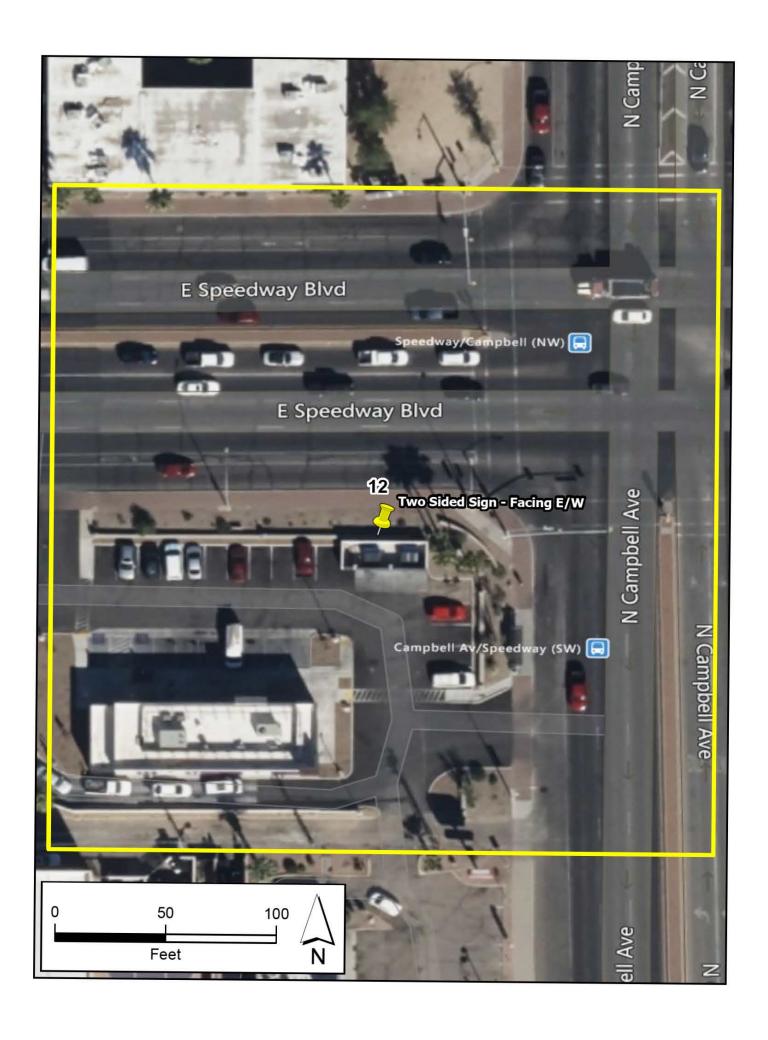


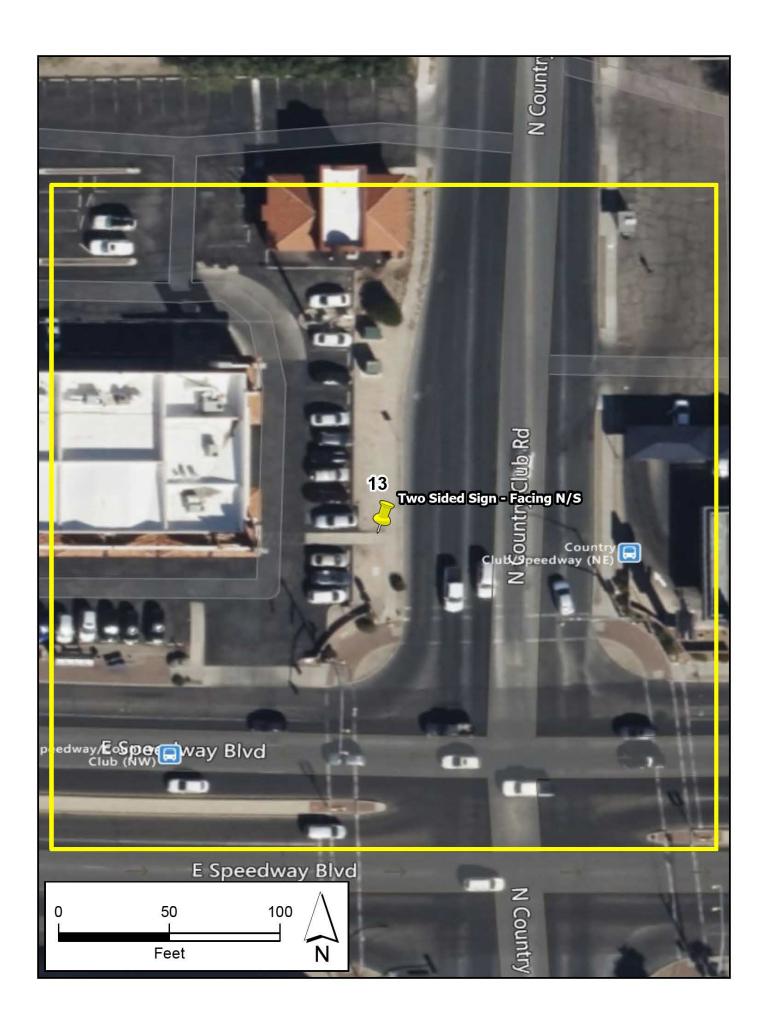




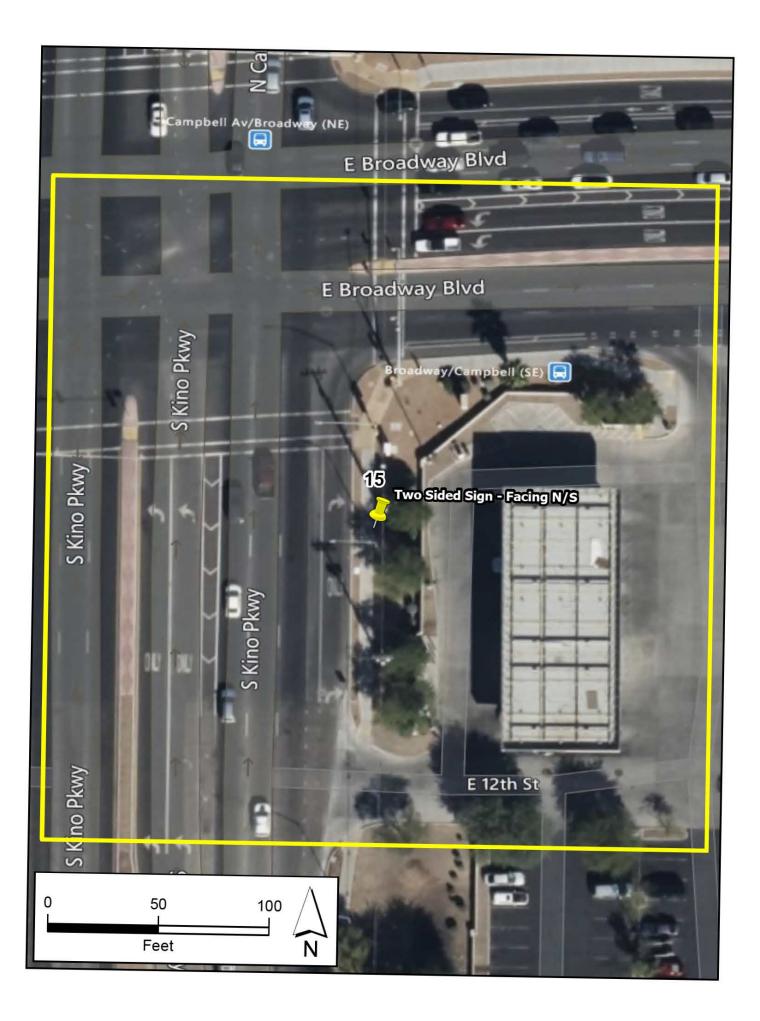


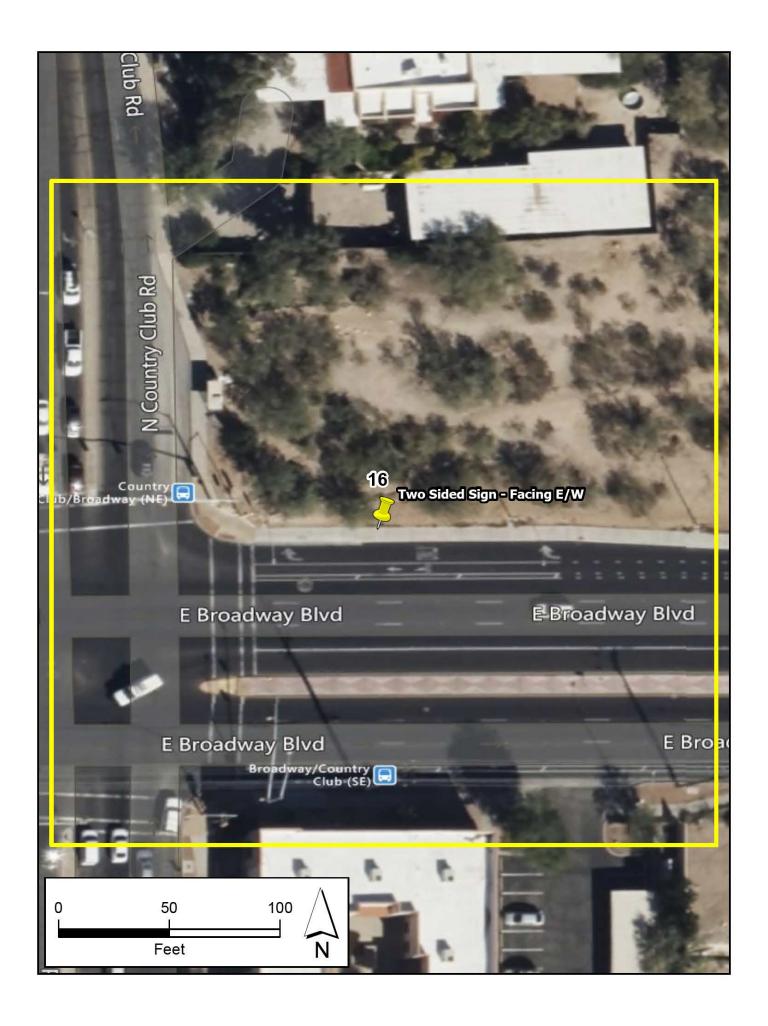


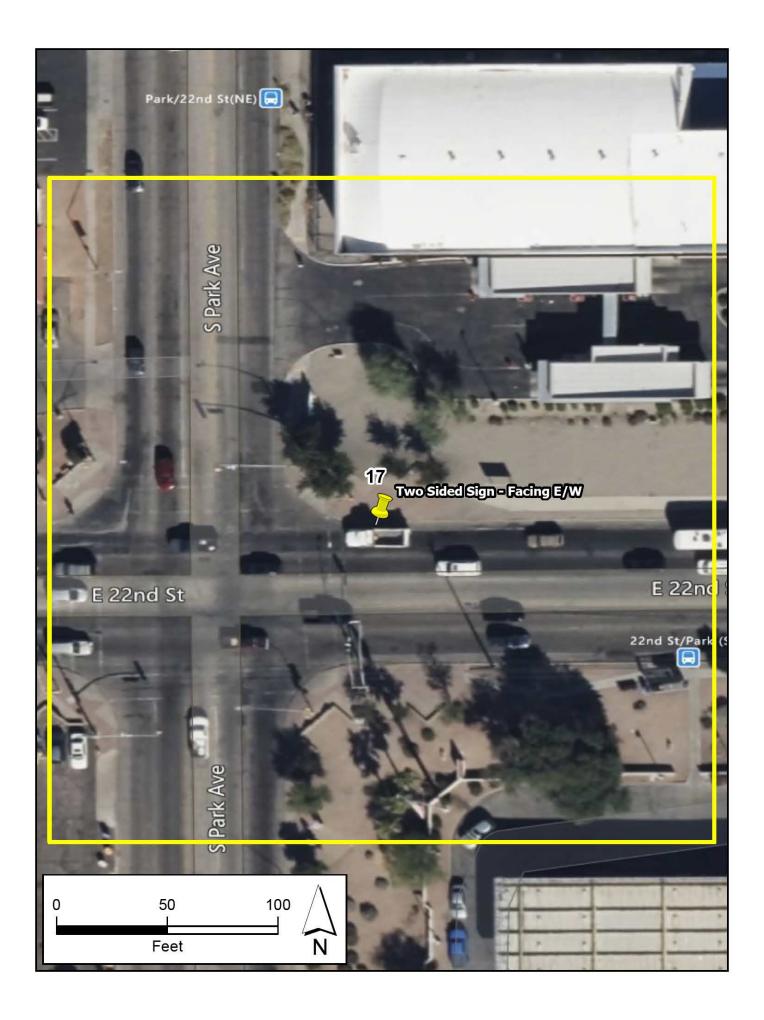


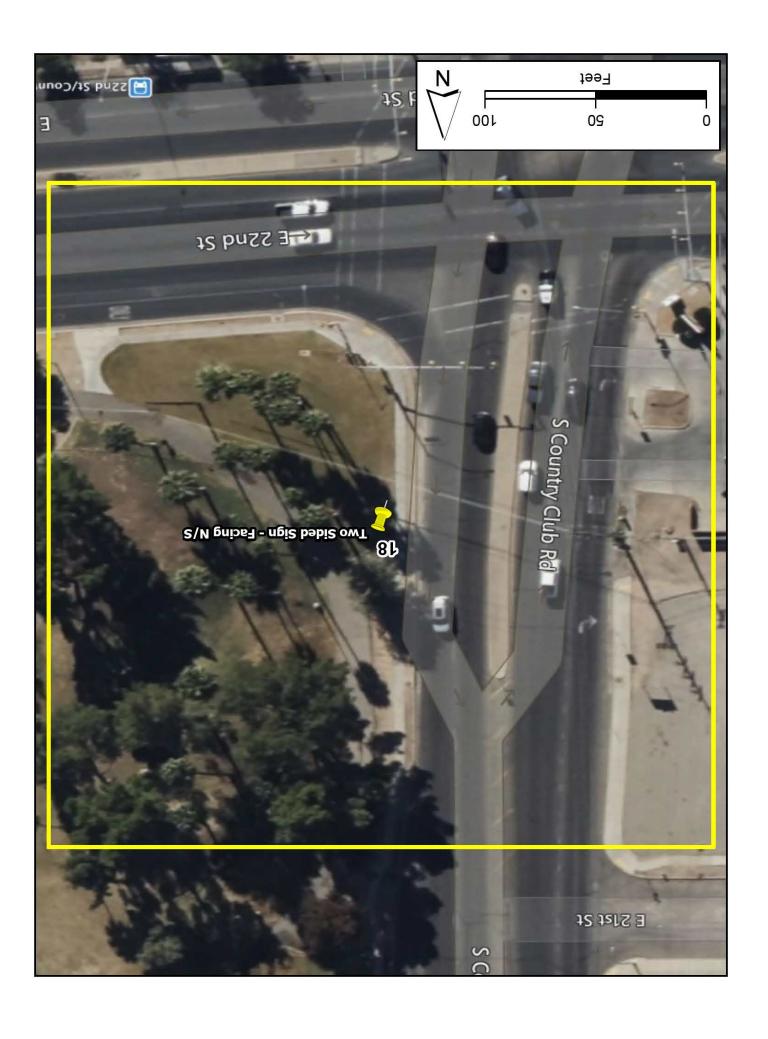




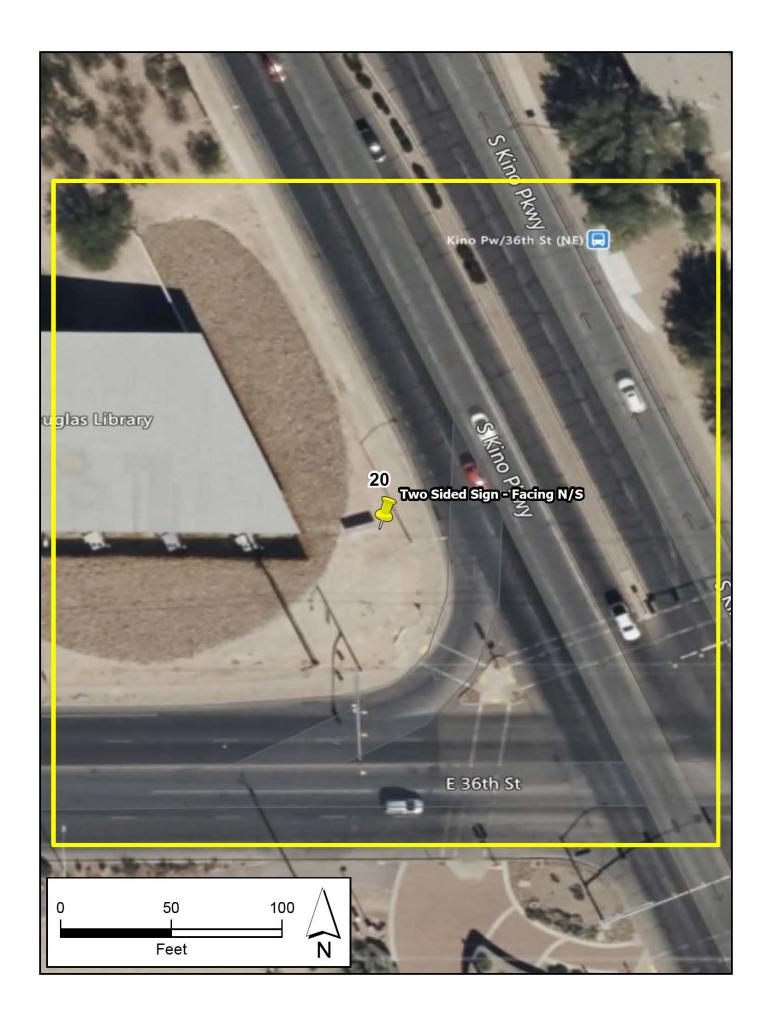












BEFORE THE ARIZONA POWER PLANT AND TRANSMISSION LINE SITING COMMITTEE

IN THE MATTER OF THE APPLICATION OF TUCSON ELECTRIC POWER COMPANY, IN CONFORMANCE WITH THE REQUIREMENTS OF A.R.S. § 40-360, ET SEO., FOR A CERTIFICATE OF ENVIRONMENTAL COMPATIBILITY AUTHORIZING THE MIDTOWN RELIABILITY PROJECT, WHICH INCLUDES THE CONSTRUCTION OF A **NEW 138 KV TRANSMISSION LINE** ORIGINATING AT THE EXISTING **DEMOSS-PETRIE SUBSTATION** (SECTION 35, TOWNSHIP 13 SOUTH, RANGE 13 EAST), WITH AN INTERCONNECTION AT THE PLANNED VINE SUBSTATION (SECTION 06, TOWNSHIP 14 SOUTH,

RANGE 14 EAST), AND TERMINATING AT THE EXISTING KINO SUBSTATION

(SECTION 30, TOWNSHIP 14 SOUTH,

RANGE 14 EAST), EACH LOCATED WITHIN THE CITY OF TUCSON, PIMA

COUNTY, ARIZONA.

Docket No. L-00000C-24-0XXX-002XX

Case No. 2XX

NOTICE OF HEARING

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NOTICE OF HEARING

A PUBLIC HEARING WILL BE HELD before the Arizona Power Plant and Transmission Line Siting Committee ("Committee") regarding the Application of Tucson Electric Power Company ("TEP") for a Certificate of Environmental Compatibility to authorize construction of the Midtown Reliability Project ("Project").

The Project will involve the construction of a new 138 kV transmission line, approximately seven to twelve miles in length, originating at the existing Demoss-Petrie Substation, with an interconnection at the planned Vine Substation, and terminating at the existing Kino Substation all in Tucson, Pima County, Arizona. A general route map of the Project is attached as **Exhibit A**.

The hearing will be held at the DoubleTree by Hilton Tucson - Reid Park, 445 South Alvernon Way, Tucson, AZ, 85711. The hearing will begin on Monday, July 8, 2024, at 1:00 p.m., and will continue on Tuesday, July 9, 2024, beginning at 9:00 a.m. and then will continue as necessary through Friday, July 19, 2024 beginning at 9:00 a.m. each day. If any revisions to the hearing schedule are required, they will be noticed on the Project website at: https://www.tep.com/midtown-reliability-project/, and on the Arizona Corporation Commission ("Commission") website at: azcc.gov/arizona-power-plant/meeting-schedule.

PUBLIC COMMENT WILL BE TAKEN IN A SPECIAL EVENING SESSION ON MONDAY, JULY 8, 2024, BEGINNING AT 5:30 P.M., VIA TELEPHONE, ZOOM OR IN PERSON AT THE DOUBLETREE BY HILTON TUCSON - REID PARK, 445 SOUTH ALVERNON WAY, TUCSON, AZ, 85711. PUBLIC COMMENT MAY BE TAKEN AT THE BEGINNING OF EACH HEARING DAY, OR AT OTHER TIMES DURING THE HEARING, AT THE DISCRETION OF THE CHAIRMAN OF THE COMMITTEE.

PLEASE BE ADVISED THAT ALL LOCAL AND STATE PUBLIC HEALTH AND SAFETY GUIDELINES WILL BE FOLLOWED DURING THE HEARING AND PUBLIC COMMENT SESSION. RESTRICTIONS ON PUBLIC ACCESS, SAFETY PROTOCOLS, AND REVISIONS TO THE HEARING SCHEDULE MAY OCCUR DUE TO PUBLIC HEALTH CONSIDERATIONS.

THE PUBLIC HAS THE OPTION TO WATCH THE HEARING ONLINE OR LISTEN TO THE HEARING VIA TELEPHONE. At least 24 hours in advance of the hearing, information regarding online and telephone hearing access, as well as any additional details regarding safety protocols or other revisions to the hearing schedule will be noticed on the Project website at https://www.tep.com/midtown-reliability-project/. The Chairman may, at his discretion, recess the hearing to a time and place to be announced during the hearing, or to be determined after the recess. The date, time, and place at which the hearing will be resumed will be posted on the above-noted Project website and the

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Commission website. NOTE: NOTICE OF ANY RESUMED HEARING WILL BE GIVEN; HOWEVER, PUBLISHED NOTICE OF SUCH A RESUMED HEARING IS NOT REQUIRED.

No tour is planned at this time. If the Committee decides to conduct a tour, notice that includes a map and itinerary of any such tour will be available at the hearing and posted on the Project and Commission websites. Members of the public may follow the Committee on the tour. During the tour, the Committee may hear testimony at stops on the tour concerning what is visible at stops and the relevance of the location and view to the Project. No other discussion or deliberation concerning the Application will occur during the tour. A court reporter or recording device will record any testimony taken on the tour for transcription. Public health and safety protocols specific for the tour will be included on the itinerary.

Maps of the Project site and detailed information about project facilities are contained in the Application, which is available for inspection at the following locations:

- Arizona Corporation Commission Docket Control Center, Phoenix Office,
 1200 West Washington Street, Suite 108, Phoenix AZ 85007
- The Project website: https://www.tep.com/midtown-reliability-project/
- Pima County Administrative Office 115 N Church Ave, Tucson, AZ 85701
- City Hall (City of Tucson) 255 W Alameda St, Tucson, AZ 85701
- Ward Office 1 (City of Tucson) 940 W Alameda St, Tucson, AZ 85745
- Ward Office 3 (City of Tucson) 1510 E Grant Rd, Tucson, AZ 85719
- Ward Office 5 (City of Tucson) 4300 S Park Ave, Tucson, AZ 85714
- Ward Office 6 (City of Tucson) 3202 E 1st St, Tucson, AZ 85716
- Joel Valdez Main Library 101 N Stone Ave, Tucson, AZ 85701
- Himmel Park Library 1035 N Treat Ave, Tucson, AZ 85716
- Quincie Douglas Library 1585 E 36th St, Tucson, AZ 85713
- Sam Lena-South Tucson Library 1607 S 6th Ave, Tucson, AZ 85713

The Applicant will make available final copies of the pre-filing conference, prehearing conference, and hearing transcripts at each of the above locations and website.

Each county, municipal government, and state agency interested in the Project that desires to be a party to the proceedings shall, not less than ten (10) days before the date set for the hearing, file a Notice of Intent to Become a Party with the Director of Utilities, Arizona Corporation Commission, 1200 West Washington Street, Phoenix AZ 85007.

Any domestic non-profit corporation or association formed in whole or in part to promote conservation or natural beauty; to protect the environment, personal health or other biological values; to preserve historical sites; to promote consumer interests; to represent commercial and industrial groups; or to promote the orderly development of the area in which the Project is located that desires to become a party to the proceedings shall, not less than ten (10) days before the date set for the hearing, file a Notice of Intent to Become a Party with the Director of Utilities, Arizona Corporation Commission, 1200 West Washington Street, Phoenix AZ 85007.

The Committee or the Chairman, at any time deemed appropriate, may make other persons parties to the proceedings. Any person may make a limited appearance at a hearing by filing a statement in writing with the Director of Utilities, Arizona Corporation Commission, 1200 West Washington Street, Phoenix AZ 85007, and the Chairman of the Committee at 2005 North Central Avenue, Phoenix, AZ 85007, not less than five (5) days before the date set for the hearing. A person making a limited appearance will not be a party or have the right to present testimony or cross-examine witnesses.

This proceeding is governed by Arizona Revised Statutes ("A.R.S.") §§ 40-360 to 40-360.13 and Arizona Administrative Code ("A.A.C.") R14-3-201 to R14-3-220. No substantive communication, not in the public record, may be made to any member of the Committee. The written decision of the Committee will be submitted to the Commission pursuant to A.R.S. § 40-360.07. Any person intending to be a party to the proceeding on the matter before the Commission must be a party to the proceeding before the Committee.

ORDERED this XX day of May, 2024.

Adam Stafford, Chairman Arizona Power Plant and Transmission Line Siting Committee Assistant Attorney General

1 **CERTIFICATE OF MAILING** 2 Pursuant to A.A.C. R14-3-204, the **ORIGINAL** of the foregoing and 3 25 copies were filed this 4 day of May, 2024 with: 5 Utilities Division – Docket Control Arizona Corporation Commission 6 1200 West Washington Street Phoenix, AZ 85007 7 COPIES of the above emailed/mailed 8 this day of May, 2024: 9 Legal Division 10 ARIZONA CORPORATION COMMISSION 1200 W. Washington Street 11 Phoenix, Arizona 85007 legaldiv@azcc.gov 12 13 **Utilities Division** ARIZONA CORPORATION COMMISSION 14 1200 West Washington Street 15 Phoenix, Arizona 85007 utildivservicebyemail@azcc.gov 16 Meghan H. Grabel 17 Elias Ancharski 18 Osborn Maledon 2929 N. Central Ave, 21st Floor 19 Phoenix, Arizona 85012 mgrabel@omlaw.com 20 eancharski@omlaw.com 21 Counsel for Applicant 22 Glennie Reporting Services, LLC 1555 East Orangewood 23 Phoenix, AZ 85020 24 admin@glennie-reporting.com 25 26 By 27

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Exhibit A

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