



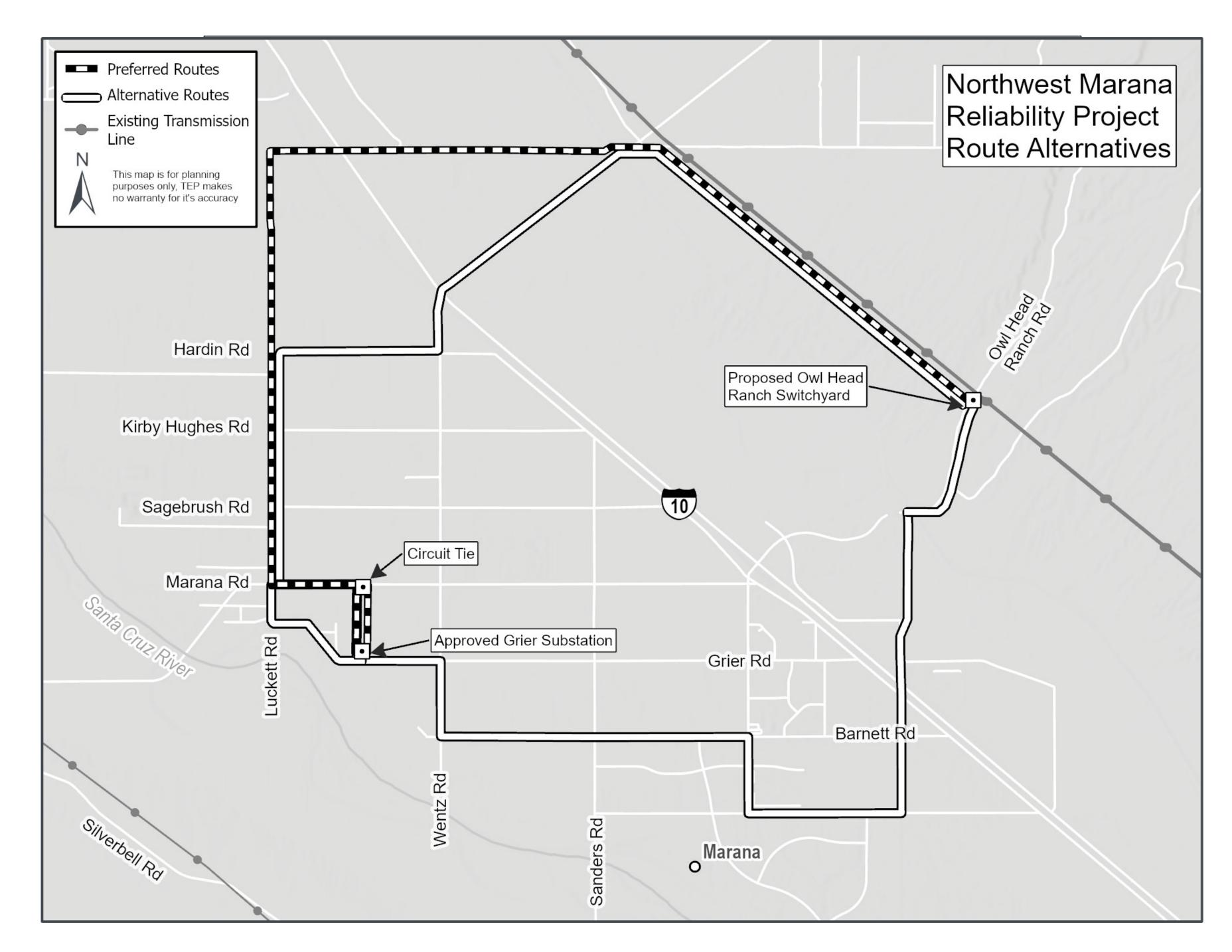
Tucson Electric Power PUBLIC NOTICE

Northwest Marana

Reliability Project

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

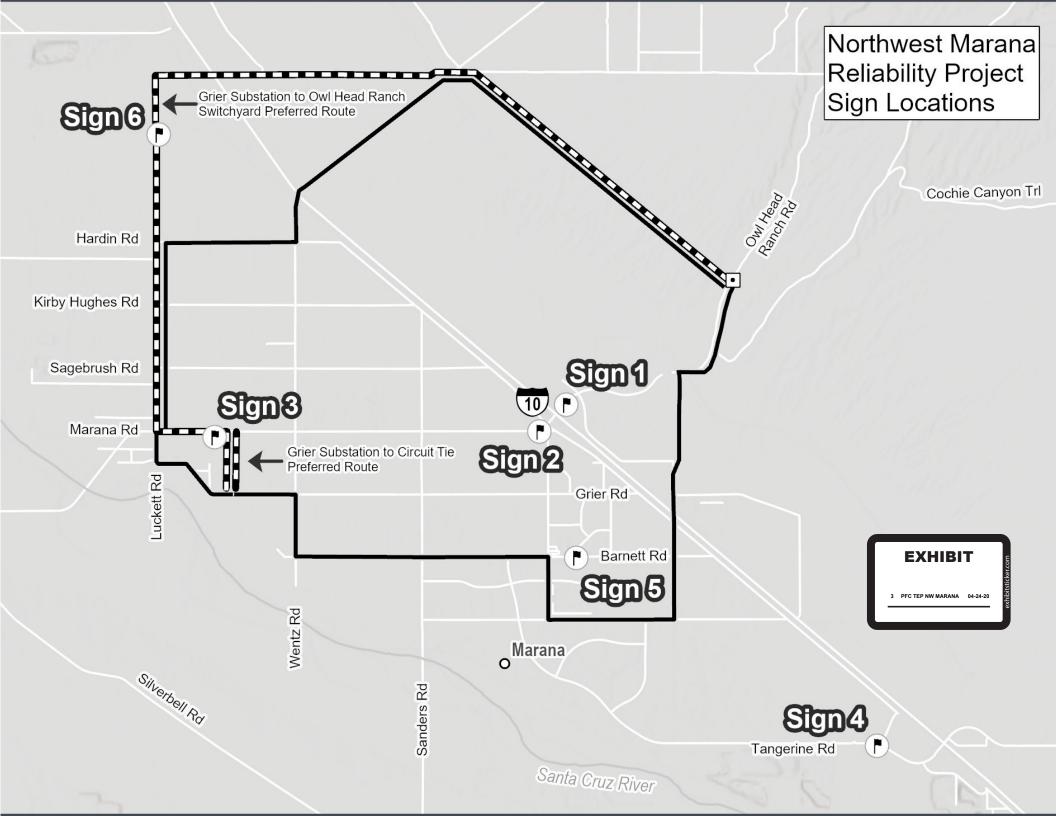
| DATE | TIME | LOCATION |
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| June 16, 2025 | 1 p.m - 5 p.m | Northwest Fire District Training Center 5125 W. Camino de Fuego |
| June 17-20, 2025 | 9 a.m 5 p.m. | JIZJ W. Callino actucyo |

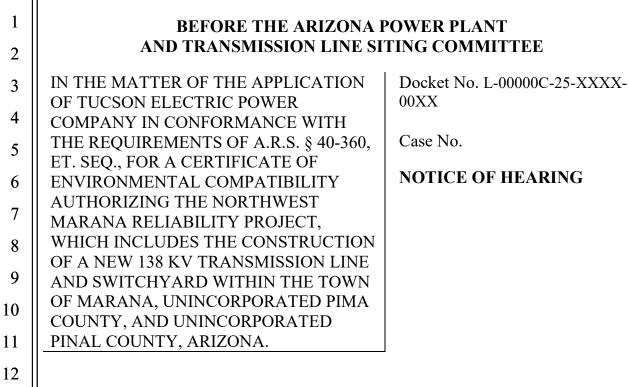




Public Comments will be accepted during the hearing on June 16, 2025 beginning at 5:30 p.m. Comments will be taken in-person at the Northwest Fire District Training Center or virtually. For information on commenting virtually, please visit: tep.com/northwest-marana/ or call 1-833-655-0399

Arizona Corporation Commission Docket No. L-00000C-25-XXXX-00XXX





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 ("CEC") to authorize construction of a new 138 kilovolt ("kV") transmission line and associated switchyard in the town of Marana and unincorporated Pima County and Pinal County, Arizona called the Northwest Marana Reliability Project ("Project").

The Project will involve the construction of a new, approximately half-mile, single-circuit 138 kV transmission line segment from the planned Grier Substation to a 138 kV line north of the substation along West Marana Road built in partnership with Arizona Electric Power Cooperative ("AEPCO"). Additionally, TEP would construct an approximately 7-9 mile, double-circuit 138 kV transmission line segment connecting the Grier Substation to the planned Owl Head Ranch Switchyard, which would be located on about 15 acres east of Interstate 10 on North Owl Head Ranch Road. A map of the Project is attached as **Exhibit A**.



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| 1 | The hearing will be held at the Northwest Fire District Training Center, 5125 W. |
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| 2 | Camino de Fuego, Tucson, AZ 85743. The hearing will begin on Monday, June 16, |
| 3 | 2025, at 1:00 p.m., and will continue on Tuesday, June 17, 2025, at 9:00 a.m., and |
| 4 | then will continue as necessary through Friday, June 20, 2025, beginning at 9:00 |
| 5 | a.m. each day through the completion of the hearing. If any revisions to the hearing |
| 6 | schedule are required, they will be noticed on the Project webpage at: |
| 7 | https://www.tep.com/northwest-marana/, and on the Arizona Corporation Commission |
| 8 | ("Commission") website at: <u>https://www.azcc.gov/arizona-power-plant/hearings-and-</u> |
| 9 | meetings. |
| 10 | PUBLIC COMMENT WILL BE TAKEN IN A SPECIAL EVENING |
| 11 | SESSION ON MONDAY, JUNE 16, 2025, BEGINNING AT 5:30 P.M., VIA |
| 12 | TELEPHONE, ZOOM OR IN PERSON AT THE NORTHWEST FIRE |
| 13 | DISTRICT TRAINING CENTER, 5125 W. CAMINO DE FUEGO, TUCSON, |
| 14 | AZ 85743. PUBLIC COMMENT MAY BE TAKEN AT THE BEGINNING OF |
| 15 | EACH HEARING DAY, OR AT OTHER TIMES DURING THE HEARING, |
| 16 | AT THE DISCRETION OF THE COMMITTEE CHAIRMAN. |
| 17 | PLEASE BE ADVISED THAT ALL LOCAL AND STATE PUBLIC |
| 18 | HEALTH AND SAFETY GUIDELINES WILL BE FOLLOWED DURING |
| 19 | THE HEARING AND PUBLIC COMMENT SESSION. RESTRICTIONS ON |
| 20 | PUBLIC ACCESS, SAFETY PROTOCOLS, AND REVISIONS TO THE |
| 21 | HEARING SCHEDULE MAY OCCUR DUE TO PUBLIC HEALTH |
| 22 | CONSIDERATIONS. |
| 23 | THE PUBLIC HAS THE OPTION TO WATCH THE HEARING |
| 24 | ONLINE OR LISTEN TO THE HEARING VIA TELEPHONE. At least 24 hours |
| 25 | in advance of the hearing, information regarding online and telephone hearing access, |
| 26 | as well as any additional details regarding safety protocols or other revisions to the |
| 27 | hearing schedule will be noticed on the Project webpage at |
| 28 | https://www.tep.com/northwest-marana/. |
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1 The Chairman may, at his discretion, recess the hearing to a time and place to 2 be announced during the hearing, or to be determined after the recess. The date, time, 3 and place at which the hearing will be resumed will be posted on the above-noted 4 Project webpage and the Commission website.

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NOTE: NOTICE OF ANY RESUMED HEARING WILL BE GIVEN; 6 HOWEVER, PUBLISHED NOTICE OF SUCH A RESUMED HEARING IS 7 NOT REQUIRED.

8 If the Committee decides to conduct a tour, notice that includes a map and 9 itinerary of any such tour will be available at the hearing and posted on the Project 10 and Commission websites. Members of the public may follow the Committee on the 11 tour. During the tour, the Committee may hear testimony at stops on the tour 12 concerning what is visible at stops and the relevance of the location and view to the 13 Project. No other discussion or deliberation concerning the Application will occur 14 during the tour. A court reporter or recording device will record any testimony taken 15 on the tour for transcription. Public health and safety protocols specific for the tour 16 will be included on the itinerary. If the Committee decides not to take a tour, the 17 hearing will continue as scheduled.

18 Maps of the Project site and detailed information about Project facilities are 19 contained in the Application, which is available for inspection at the following 20 locations:

21 Arizona Corporation Commission Docket Control Center, Phoenix Office, • 22 1200 West Washington Street, Suite 108, Phoenix AZ 85007

Wheeler Taft Abbett Sr Library, 7800 N. Schisler Dr., Tucson, AZ 85743

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- 24 Marana Municipal Complex, 11555 W. Civic Center Dr, Marana, AZ 85653 •
 - Marana Senior Center, 13250 N. Lon Adams Road, Marana, AZ 85653 •

The Project webpage: https://www.tep.com/northwest-marana/

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The Applicant will make available final copies of the pre-filing conference, 2 prehearing conference, and hearing transcripts at each of the above locations and 3 webpage.

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4 Each county, municipal government, and state agency interested in the Project 5 that desires to be a party to the proceedings shall, not less than ten (10) days before 6 the date set for the hearing, file a Notice of Intent to Become a Party with the Director 7 of Utilities, Arizona Corporation Commission, 1200 West Washington Street, 8 Phoenix AZ 85007.

9 Any domestic non-profit corporation or association formed in whole or in part 10 to promote conservation or natural beauty; to protect the environment, personal health 11 or other biological values; to preserve historical sites; to promote consumer interests; 12 to represent commercial and industrial groups; or to promote the orderly development 13 of the area in which the Project are located that desires to become a party to the 14 proceedings shall, not less than ten (10) days before the date set for the hearing, file a 15 Notice of Intent to Become a Party with the Director of Utilities, Arizona Corporation 16 Commission, 1200 West Washington Street, Phoenix AZ 85007.

17 The Committee or the Chairman, at any time deemed appropriate, may make 18 other persons parties to the proceedings. Any person may make a limited appearance 19 at a hearing by filing a statement in writing with the Director of the Utilities Division, 20 Arizona Corporation Commission, 1200 West Washington Street, Phoenix AZ 85007, 21 and the Chairman of the Committee at 2005 North Central Avenue, Phoenix, AZ 22 85004, not less than five (5) days before the date set for the hearing. A person making 23 a limited appearance will not be a party or have the right to present testimony or 24 cross-examine witnesses.

25 This proceeding is governed by Arizona Revised Statutes ("A.R.S.") §§ 40-360 26 to 40-360.13 and Arizona Administrative Code ("A.A.C.") R14-3-201 to R14-3-220. 27 No substantive communication, not in the public record, may be made to any member 28 of the Committee. The written decision of the Committee will be submitted to the

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| 1 | Commission pursuant to A.R.S. § 40-360.07. Any person intending to be a party to the |
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| 2 | proceeding on the matter before the Commission must be a party to the proceeding |
| 3 | before the Committee. |
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| 5 | ORDERED this day of May, 2025. |
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| 7 | Adam Stafford, Chairman |
| 8 | Arizona Power Plant and Transmission Line Siting Committee |
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| 6 | Phoenix, AZ 85007 |
| 7 | ORIGINAL of the foregoing and 8 copies were |
| 8 | filed this day of, 2025 with: |
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| 10 | Arizona Corporation Commission 1200 West Washington Street |
| 11 | Phoenix, AZ 85007 |
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