

Power Line Replacement Projects Notice of Construction

**Tie Line 625, Tie Line 629 and Circuit 78
Alpine, Descanso and Pine Valley Communities**

The California Public Utilities Commission (CPUC) and US Forest Service (USFS) have approved San Diego Gas & Electric (SDG&E®) Company's Power Line Replacement Projects (Project). Construction is scheduled to begin on September 26, 2016 and continue for approximately nine months.

The Project consists of several components including rebuilding five existing 69-kilovolt (kV) power lines and six 12-kV distribution lines and the removal of service of one 69 kV power line, replacing it with reconstruction of an existing 69 kV line. These activities take place in and adjacent to the Cleveland National Forest (CNF). The projects will increase safety and reliability by replacing the existing electric infrastructure that currently serves the USFS, emergency service facilities, campgrounds, homes, businesses and other customers within the CNF and surrounding areas. The projects will heighten safety and reliability by replacing approximately 2,100 existing wood poles with fire-resistant weatherized steel poles.

This portion of the project includes upgrades to TL 625, TL 629 and Circuit 78, servicing the communities of Alpine, Descanso and Pine Valley. The work for these upgrades includes: site preparation, replacing structure foundations, placement of weatherized steel poles, removal of existing wood poles, stringing conductors, and restoration. It's important to note, construction activities often occur intermittently and are often not completed concurrently. If needed, traffic control measures will be followed in coordination with local jurisdictions. There will also be construction yards used for staging of equipment, prepping of materials and other construction-related activities.

Location: TL 625, TL 629 and Circuit 78 in or near the communities of Alpine, Descanso and Pine Valley
Work Days: Monday - Saturday
Hours: 7:00 a.m. - 7:00 p.m.
Duration: Approximately nine months for this portion of the project

Activities, including the use of helicopters, may temporarily increase local noise levels, dust, and other disturbances. SDG&E will continue to work closely with local communities to help ensure construction activities are as least disruptive as possible. SDG&E anticipates that occasional lane reductions, temporary restrictions or access to recreational facilities, parks and trails may be required during construction. SDG&E will provide information on construction activities that impact these recreational facilities and notify the public of any detours or temporary access restrictions.

Additional public notices and mailings will be developed and posted, as needed, announcing future Power Line Replacement Projects construction activities in appropriate areas.

For more information on the project, please visit sdge.com/CNF or contact SDG&E's Regional Public Affairs Manager, Todd Voorhees, at 1-844-765-6388 or tvoorhees@semprautilities.com.



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