

# Notification of the AESO Needs Identification Document (NID) filing for the Vauxhall Area Transmission Development (P7075)

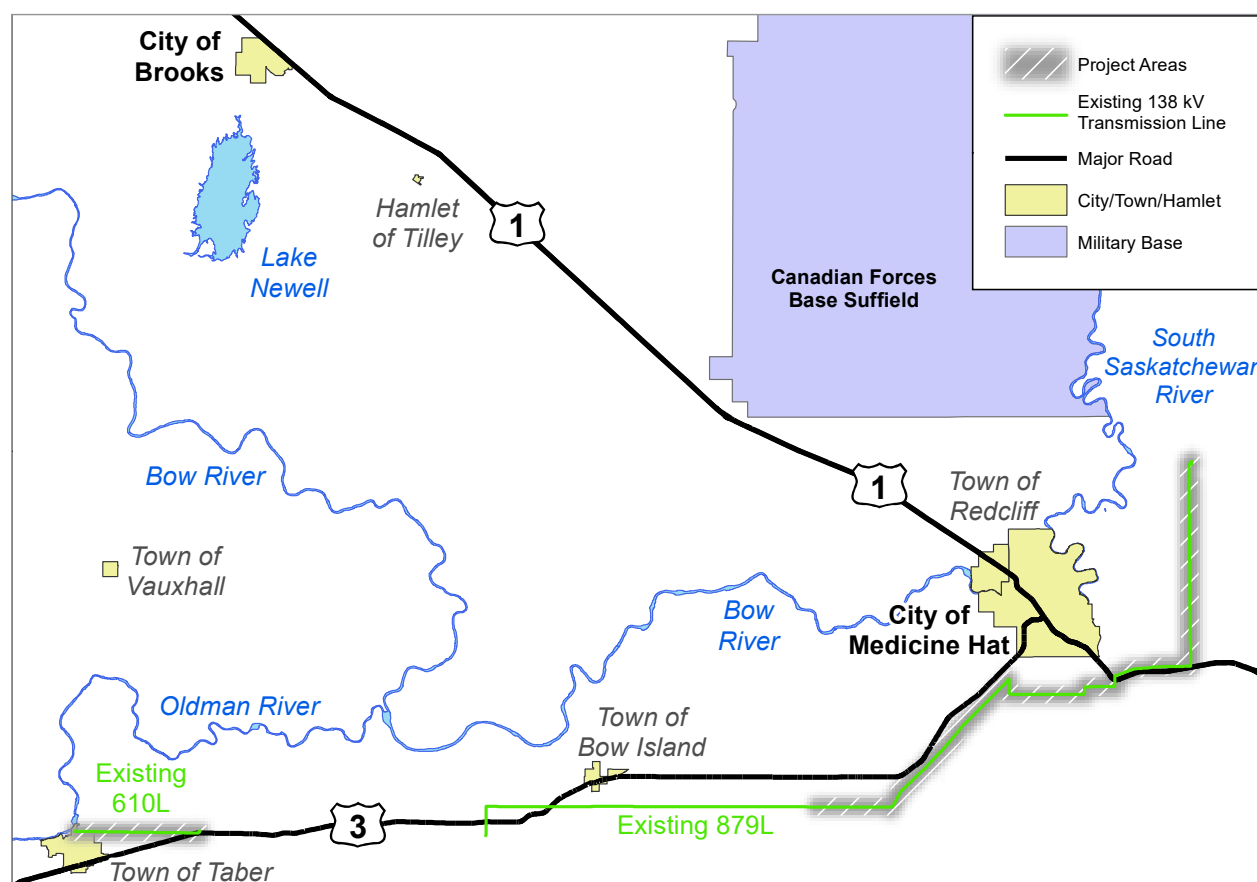
The Alberta Electric System Operator (AESO) advises you that it intends to file a NID for the approval of transmission enhancement in the Vauxhall Area with the Alberta Utilities Commission (AUC) on or after November 15, 2022.

Recent studies have shown the existing transmission system in the Vauxhall area needs to be enhanced to continue to reliably connect new generation in the area. The AESO is proposing to increase the capacity of the existing 138 kilovolt (kV) transmission line 610L by adding a new 138 kV transmission line between the Fincastle 336S and Taber 83S substations. Once the new 138 kV transmission line is in service, the existing transmission line 610L is expected to be removed. The AESO is also proposing to increase the line rating of the existing 138 kV transmission line 879L near the Bowmanton 244S substation.

AltaLink Management Ltd. is the transmission facility owner (TFO) in the Vauxhall area. In April 2022, the AESO and the TFO began notifying stakeholders, including residents, occupants, Indigenous groups and landowners of this need for the Project.

The AESO intends to file the Vauxhall Area Transmission Development Needs Identification Document (NID) application with the Alberta Utilities Commission (AUC) on or after November 15, 2022.

Once filed, the NID will be posted on the AESO website at <https://www.aeso.ca/grid/transmission-projects/vauxhall-area-transmission-development-7075/>



The shaded area on the map indicates the approximate location of the proposed transmission developments including the 138 kV transmission line. The specific transmission facilities may extend beyond the grey shaded area shown.

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