

APPENDIX C PARTICIPANT INVOLVEMENT PROGRAM (PIP)

Anthony Henday 309S Substation

Needs Identification Document

1.0 Participant Involvement Program (PIP)

From February 2016 to December 2016, the AESO conducted a Participant Involvement Program (PIP) to assist in preparing its *Anthony Henday 309S Substation Needs Identification Document* (NID). The AESO directed the transmission facility owner (TFO), in this case AltaLink Management Ltd. (AltaLink), in its capacity as general partner of AltaLink, L.P., to assist the AESO in providing notification as part of the AESO's PIP.

The AESO's PIP has been conducted in accordance with the requirements of Section 6.2.1, NID19 and Appendix A2 of the current Alberta Utilities Commission (Commission) Rule 007, effective February 1, 2016.

1.1 Stakeholder Notification

The AESO's PIP was designed to notify the parties notified in the TFO's PIP, including but not limited to:

- i. occupants, landowners or residents;
- ii. local authorities, agencies and government which have responsibilities related to electric transmission line development;
- iii. First Nations and Métis; and
- iv. market participants

(collectively, Stakeholders).

The AESO did not identify any other parties outside of the TFO's PIP that required notification. .

The AESO developed a one-page AESO Need Overview document that notified Stakeholders of the following items:

- a description of the need for development;
- a description of the AESO's preferred option to respond to the system access service request;
- identification of the general area where facilities could be installed to implement the AESO's preferred option to respond to the system access service request;
- AESO contact information, including telephone, email and website, for further information; and
- AESO's intention to submit the *Anthony Henday 309S Substation* NID to the Commission.

A copy of the Need Overview was posted to the AESO website at <https://www.aeso.ca/grid/projects/anthony-henday-309s-substation/> on February 24, 2016 and a notice was published in the AESO Stakeholder Newsletter on February 25, 2016. Copies of the Need Overview posting and the AESO Stakeholder Newsletter notice have been included as Attachments 1 and 2, respectively. The Need Overview was also included with the TFO's project-specific information packages that were distributed to Stakeholders between February 17, 2016 and August 26, 2016.

After the initial project-specific information package was distributed, the customer's requested level of reliability changed. This resulted in a change to the facilities included in the AESO's preferred option to respond to the system access service request. An updated version of the Need Overview (Updated Need Overview) was posted on the AESO website at <https://www.aeso.ca/grid/projects/anthony-henday-309s-substation/> on August 29, 2016 and a notice was published in the AESO Stakeholder Newsletter on August 30, 2016. Copies of the Updated Need Overview posting and the AESO Stakeholder Newsletter notice have been included at Attachments 3 and 4, respectively. The Updated Need Overview was also included with the TFO's updated project-specific information packages that were distributed to Stakeholders between August 26, 2016 and October 21, 2016.

The notified Stakeholders included the following interested parties.

- Air Liquide Canada Inc.
- Air Products Canada Ltd.
- Alberta Culture and Tourism
- Alberta Environment and Parks (AEP) Fish and Wildlife Regional Resource Access Pipeline Inc.
- Alberta Safety Council
- Alberta Transportation – Operations North Central Building
- ATCO Gas Ltd. C/O ATCO Gas and Pipelines Ltd.
- ATCO Pipelines Ltd. C/O ATCO Gas and Pipelines Ltd. (South)
- Canadian National Railway Company Pacific Division, Engineering Services
- Canadian Natural Resources Limited
- Canadian Pacific Railway
- Cold Lake Pipeline
- Enbridge Pipelines (Woodland) Inc.
- FortisAlberta Inc. Operations Planning
- Gibson Energy ULC
- Husky Oil Operations Ltd.
- Imperial Oil Resources Limited
- Inter Pipeline (Corridor) Inc.
- Keyera Energy Ltd.
- KM Canada Terminals ULC
- Management North Saskatchewan Region
- NAV Canada
- NOVA Chemicals Corporation

- Pembina Marketing Ltd. (Pipeline)
- Plains Midstream Canada ULC
- Praxair Canada Inc.
- Rogers Wireless Inc.
- Shell Canada Limited
- Strathcona County
- Suncor Energy Inc.
- Telus Communications Company
- Trans Mountain Pipeline ULC
- TransCanada C/O Grand Rapids Pipeline GP Ltd.
- Transport Canada Aerodromes and Air Navigation Prairie and Northern Region

Attachment 5 includes the TFO project newsletter, which was included in the TFO's project-specific information packages. The TFO's project newsletter included the AESO's contact information, a description of the AESO's role, a reference to the AESO Need Overview, and an invitation to contact the TFO or the AESO for additional information. Attachment 6 includes the updated TFO project newsletter, which was included in the TFO's updated project-specific information packages.

Both of the TFO's project newsletters and both the AESO Need Overview and Updated Need Overview, were also posted on the TFO's project-specific webpage at <http://www.altalink.ca/projects/view/233/new-anthony-henday-substation>

1.2 Filing Notification

Most recently, the AESO notified Stakeholders of its intention to submit the NID to the Commission by posting a Notification of NID Filing to the AESO website at <https://www.aeso.ca/grid/projects/anthony-henday-309s-substation/> on November 21, 2016 and a notice in the AESO Stakeholder Newsletter on November 22, 2016. Copies of the Notification of NID Filing posting and the AESO Stakeholder Newsletter notice have been included as Attachments 7 and 8, respectively.

1.3 Responding to Questions and Concerns

To ensure that Stakeholders had the opportunity to provide feedback, the AESO provided Stakeholders with the AESO contact information, including a dedicated, toll-free telephone line (1-888-866-2959) and a dedicated email address (stakeholder.relations@aeso.ca). The AESO contact information, along with the AESO's mailing address (2500, 330 5th Ave. SW, Calgary) and website address (www.aeso.ca), and a privacy statement that described how the AESO is committed to protecting Stakeholders' privacy, were included in the Need Overview.

As directed by the AESO, the TFO was prepared to direct any Stakeholder questions addressed to the AESO, or questions regarding the AESO Need Overview, to the AESO.

1.4 Concerns and Objections Raised

The TFO has advised that Stakeholders have not identified any concerns or objections with the need for development or the AESO's preferred option to respond to the system access service request. The AESO has not received any indication of concerns or objections from any party about the need for development or the AESO's preferred option to respond to the system access service request.

1.5 List of Attachments

- Attachment 1 – AESO Need Overview
- Attachment 2 – AESO Stakeholder Newsletter Need Overview Notice
- Attachment 3 – AESO Updated Need Overview
- Attachment 4 – AESO Stakeholder Newsletter Updated Need Overview Notice
- Attachment 5 – TFO's Project Newsletter – *New Anthony Henday Substation Project* (February 2016)
- Attachment 6 – TFO's Project Newsletter – *New Anthony Henday Substation Project Update* (August 2016)
- Attachment 7 – AESO Public Notification of NID Filing (AESO Website Posting)
- Attachment 8 – AESO Stakeholder Newsletter NID Filing Notice

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