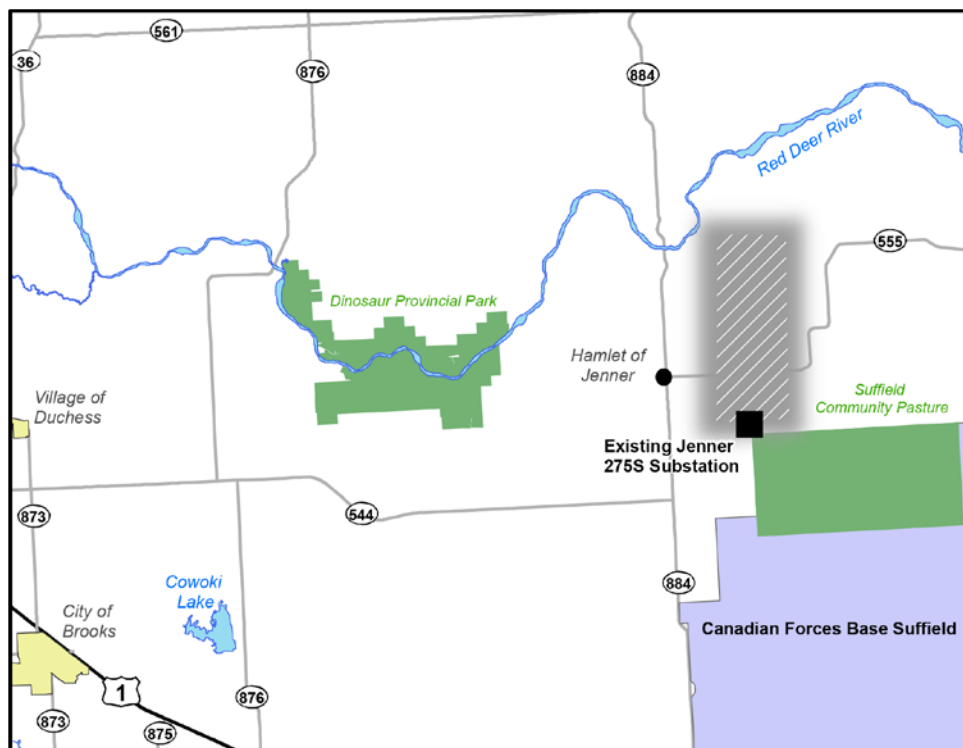


## AESO Public Notification of NID Filing

### Addressing the Need for the Jenner Wind Energy Connection in the Brooks Area

The Alberta Electric System Operator (AESO) advises you that it intends to file a Needs Identification Document (NID) for the Jenner Wind Energy Connection with the Alberta Utilities Commission (AUC) on or after May 6, 2016.

Joss Wind Power Inc. (Joss Wind) has applied to the AESO requesting transmission system access to connect the proposed Jenner wind generating facility (Facility) in the Brooks area. On November 30, 2015, Joss Wind sold the Facility to Power Renewable Energy Corporation (PRE), and all required assignments of the interconnection rights were completed on February 2, 2016. This request can be met by constructing approximately 14 kilometres of 240 kilovolt (kV) transmission line to connect the Facility to the existing Jenner 275S substation, by modifying the existing Jenner 275S substation, including adding a 240 kV breaker, and by adding associated equipment as required to facilitate the Facility connection.



*The shaded area on the map indicates the approximate location of the transmission facility developments, and the black square indicates the approximate location of the existing Jenner 275S substation, which is within SE/NE-19-20-8-W4M. AltaLink Management Ltd. (AltaLink) is the transmission facility owner (TFO) in the Brooks area. In separate applications, to be filed with the AUC, AltaLink and PRE will each describe their respective transmission facility developments and request AUC approval to construct and operate these transmission facilities. The specific line routes may extend beyond the area shown.*

The AESO, Joss Wind, PRE and AltaLink presented this need to stakeholders, including residents, occupants and landowners, from November 2015 to April 2016. The AESO has considered feedback gathered from stakeholders, and technical and cost considerations, and will apply to the AUC for approval of the need for this transmission development. Once it is filed, the NID will be posted on the AESO website at <http://www.aeso.ca/transmission/32831.html>

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