

BEFORE THE STATE CORPORATION COMMISSION
OF THE STATE OF KANSAS

In the Matter of the Application of NextEra Energy)
Transmission Southwest, LLC for a Certificate of Public) Docket No. 22-NETE-419-COC
Convenience and Necessity to Transact the Business of)
a Public Utility in the State of Kansas.)

COMPLIANCE FILING

Pursuant to the August 29, 2022 *Order on Application for Certificate of Convenience and Necessity* issued in Docket No. 22-NETE-419-COC, NextEra Energy Transmission Southwest, LLC (“NEET Southwest”) hereby submits its quarterly update on the development progress of the Wolf Creek to Blackberry Project which spans Coffey, Anderson, Allen, Bourbon, and Crawford counties in Kansas, as well as two counties in Missouri.

Pursuant to the Protective Order in this docket, certain information in the attached Compliance Filing has been marked as Confidential-Competitive as it contains information that is competitively sensitive for the purpose of future bidding for transmission facilities.

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AFFIRMATION OF ANDREW O. SCHULTE

I, Andrew O. Schulte, hereby swear and affirm that I am an attorney for NextEra Energy Transmission Southwest, LLC, and that I have read the foregoing and that the facts set forth therein are true and correct to the best of my knowledge and belief.

/s/ Andrew O. Schulte
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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I hereby certify that a copy of the foregoing document was served upon the parties listed below by email or U.S. mail, postage prepaid, this 31st day of July, 2025.

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RE: 22-NETE-419-COC
NextEra Energy Transmission Southwest, LLC

Dear Ms. Chaney Tucker:

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GENERAL OVERVIEW

In the second quarter of 2025, NEET Southwest completed construction activities on the Project, and the Project was energized on July 15, 2025. During the second quarter, NEET Southwest completed land acquisition activities, all agreements with affected counties, and construction activities other than restoration work. NEET Southwest’s primary efforts in the second quarter of 2025 included:

NEET Southwest completed construction and line energization on the entire project;
Both interconnection agreements have been finalized and filed with FERC;
Joint operation agreement with Evergy and Associated Electric Cooperative, Inc.
 (“AECI”) is complete.

NEET Southwest is working on its post-construction compliance filings and will submit those to the Commission when available.

PROJECT DEVELOPMENT UPDATE

NEET Southwest successfully energized the project on July 15, 2025.

CONSTRUCTION PROGRESS UPDATE

NEET Southwest has completed the construction of the Project and now turns its focus to restoration efforts of the right-of-way and expected to be completed by the end of the year

REGULATORY UPDATE

FERC

On October 29, 2024, SPP filed with the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission (“FERC”), on behalf and at the request of NEET Southwest, revisions to the SPP Tariff to incorporate NEET Southwest’s Zonal Annual Transmission Revenue Requirement within the Evergy Zone (identified in the Tariff as Zone 14) (FERC Docket No. ER25-252-000).

Southwest Power Pool (SPP)

Interconnect agreements with both AECI and Evergy have been completed and filed with FERC.

Agreements with Kansas Jurisdictional Public Utilities

NEET Southwest has signed all necessary crossing agreements with Kansas-jurisdictional electric public utilities.

FINANCIAL UPDATE

Project Budget – Confidential-Competitive

The following is the estimated total budget for the Project.

The current total estimate for the Project, [REDACTED]
[REDACTED].

Spend to Date – Confidential-Competitive

As of April 1, 2025, NEET Southwest has spent a total of approximately [REDACTED] on the development of the Project, which includes [REDACTED]

[REDACTED]
[REDACTED].

Cost Category	Amount Expected to Have Been Spent to Date	Amount Spent to Date	Explanation of Increase and/or Decrease in Budget
Total costs	[REDACTED]	[REDACTED]	[REDACTED] [REDACTED] [REDACTED]

LAND UPDATE AND LANDOWNER COMMUNICATIONS

Easements Obtained

NEET Southwest has obtained 100% of the easements required for the Project.

Landowner Contacts and Communications

NEET Southwest continues to monitor landowner questions and concerns via the Project hotline. The hotline messages are forwarded to land agents to reach out directly to the landowners with additional follow-up from NEET Southwest personnel as needed.

COUNTY AGREEMENTS AND OUTREACH

NEET Southwest has executed Road Use Agreements with all counties in Kansas. On November 13, 2023, April 30, 2024, and June 3, 2024, NEET Southwest provided copies of executed Road Use Agreements to KCC Staff, as required by the Order on Siting Application in Docket No. 23-NETE-585-STG.

AFFILIATE CONTRACTS

NEET Southwest has not entered into any new affiliate contracts related to operations, maintenance, and reliability.

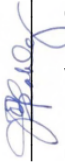
EMERGENCY RESPONSE

NEET Southwest has entered into a contract with Southeast Power Corp. (“Southeast”) to provide emergency response services once the Project is operational. NEET Southwest will provide a copy of its contract with Southeast to the Commission with its post-construction compliance filings.

CONCLUSION

Please feel free to contact me with any additional questions.

Thank you,

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read 'Jacquelyn', is positioned above a horizontal line.

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