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SRP Price Road Corridor Lines cutting through neighborhood at tax payers expense

Proposed Route SRP color.pdf; Tower pics going through neighborhoods.docx; Press

Release SRP.pdf; Price Road Corridor Proposed route.pdf

We feel that SRP does not have concern for the community that they will be disrupting with towering power polls running through our neighborhood. We are simply asking them to bury the lines for three miles (actually only two if they go back above ground by the industrial park and golf course). Their claim is that it is too expensive, but the reason we believe is they are changing the route is for their own profit so that they can build a solar power plant on the reservation (which they have no problem paying them for at our expense). This power plant and providing service to the Price Road Corridor is a massive profit center to them and the cost of burying the lines should be absorbed by SRP as an overall cost of expansion for their business, and not at the cost (literally costing us property values) of the public sector for a private company. The original route went North along the Rail Road tracks and then down existing power poles on Germann which is also the shortest route to the other substations and Price Road Corridor.

News Media stories:

- Public meeting Tuesday 4-14-15 at Fulton Elementary 6:45 pm
- Channel 3 news, on 4-8-15 story aired at 9 & 10 pm -
<http://www.azfamily.com/story/28762547/chandler-residents-concerned-about-new-power-lines?autostart=true>
- FOX 10 news, 4-9-15 air at 9 & 10 pm on -
<http://www.fox10phoenix.com/story/28766414/2015/04/09/group-fights-srp-plan-to-erect-high-voltage-power-lines>
- Phone interview with AZ republic 4-8, finished interview and took pics on 4-9, they said it would be on line soon and in print either Friday 4-10-15 or Saturday 4-11-15.
- Phone interview with ABC 15 on 4-8, additional phone interview on 4-10-15 with face to face pending today, they have not aired yet.
- Phone interview with KTAR on 4-8-15, bits and pieces of interview were played starting around 3pm throughout the rest of the day.
- Phone interview with the Times/San Tan News on 4-9-15, they said they only print once a week so next week's issue will come out just after our Tuesday meeting. They are going to post our meeting on Tuesday on their website.
- CBS Channel 5 Booked for 4-22-15 for a 30 min interview for a segment that will run on 4-26-15 at 6 am. They indicated they will show the whole interview.
- Article from Phoenix Business Journal showing SRP is going forward with alternate route
http://www.bizjournals.com/phoenix/news/2015/04/09/srp-price-corridor-transmission-line-moves-closer.html?ana=e_phx_rdup&s=newsletter&ed=2015-04-10&u=XiBCFWXpe2DlogH4txYIWQ056aed59&t=1428684595
- Attached is the press release from SRP that Channel 10 gave to us that SRP did NOT tell us about at the public meeting a couple of weeks ago.
- Link to AZ Republic article on Feb 12th, 2015 about new proposed route. This article talks about paying the allottees various amounts to use right of way but does not give any concern to the residents in

Chandler, only the reservation. <http://www.azcentral.com/story/news/local/chandler/2015/02/12/srp-power-line-gila-river-reservation/23286833/>.

SRP alternate route maps:

<http://www.srpnet.com/electric/transmission/projects/priceroadcorridor/communityroute.aspx>

We are requesting a meeting and support for burying the lines when going through neighborhoods for health, safety, and economic impact to residents effected who are also tax payers and voters.

Randall Mills

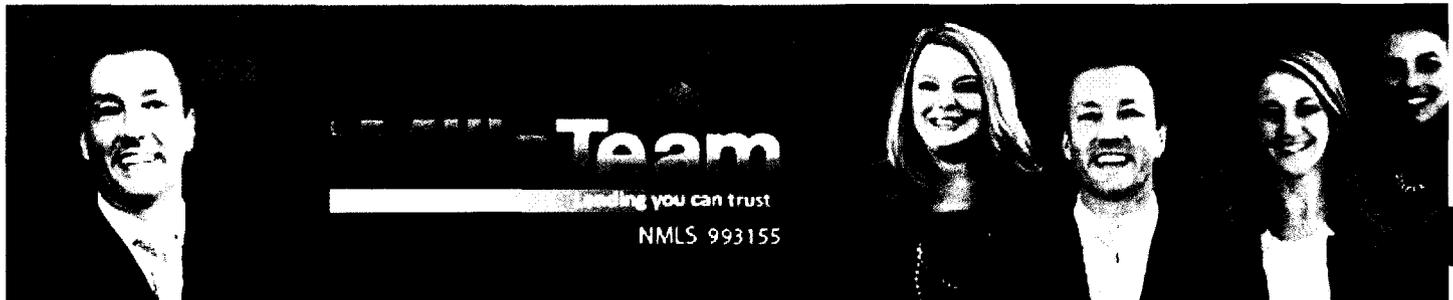
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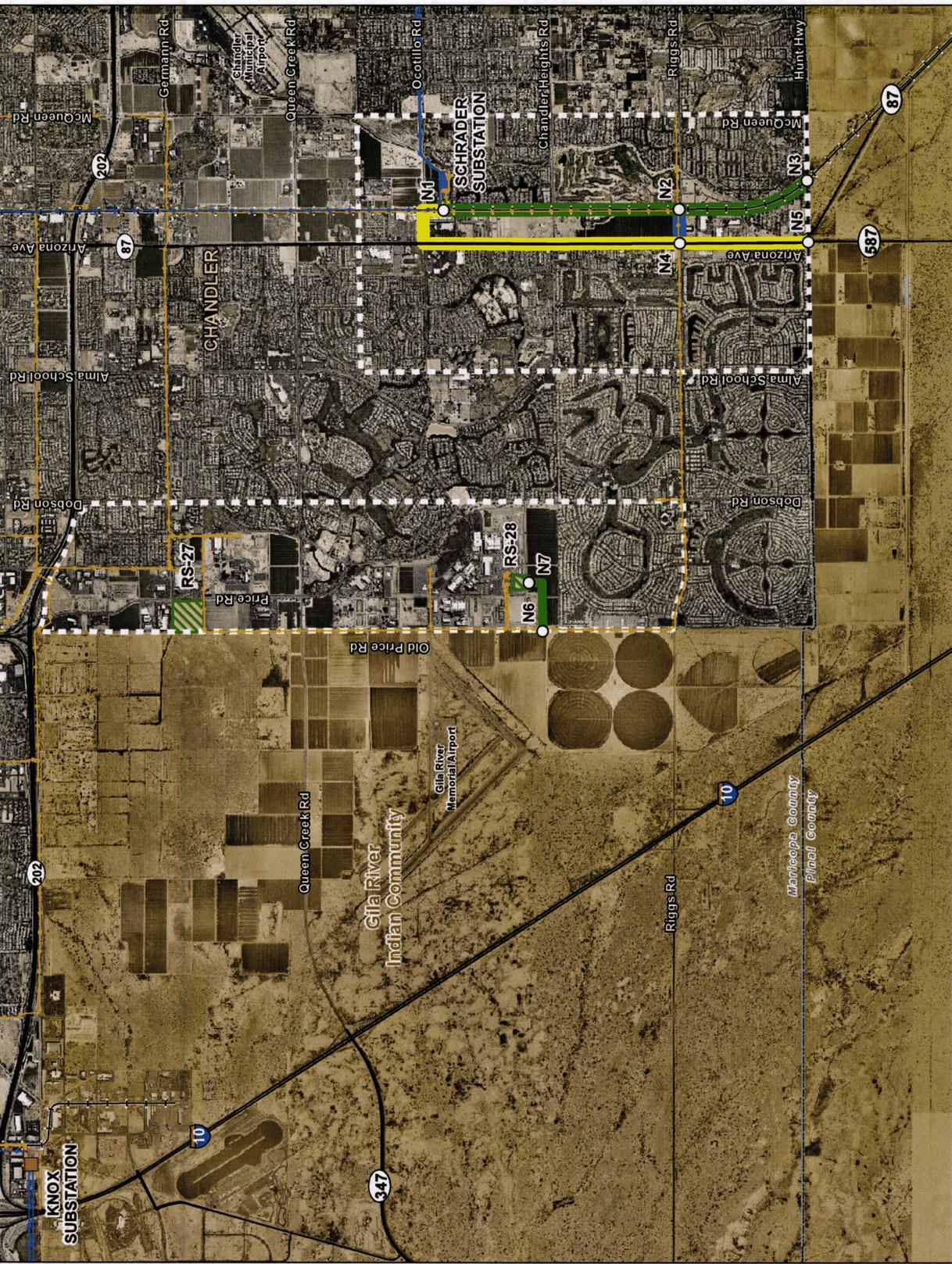


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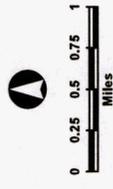


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- Legend**
- Node (Origin or Terminus)
 - Knox Substation
 - Schrader Substation
 - RS-27 and RS-28 Sites
 - Existing 230KV
 - Existing 69KV
 - Preferred Route
 - Arizona Avenue Alternative Route
 - Railroad to Arizona Avenue Alternative Route Link
 - Interstate, US Route or State Highway
 - Road
 - Railroad
 - County Boundary
 - Project Study Area
 - Jurisdictional Land Ownership
 - Gila River Indian Community

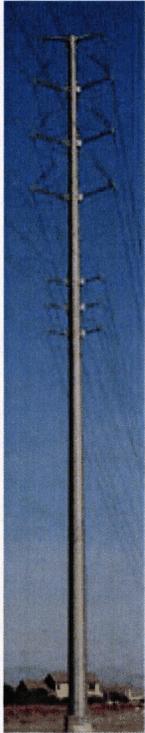


State Plane Coordinate System
 NAD 83, Arizona Central
 Linear Unit: Foot US



FIGURE 3
PREFERRED & ALTERNATIVE ROUTES

Map Extent: Maricopa & Pinal County, AZ
 Date: 2/10/15
 Author: BJR



**DOUBLE-CIRCUIT
230KV LINE WITH
DOUBLE-CIRCUIT
69KV UNDERBUILD.**

154 FEET TALL.



**DOUBLE-CIRCUIT
230KV LINE WITH
SINGLE-CIRCUIT
69KV UNDERBUILD.**

130 FEET TALL.



**SINGLE-CIRCUIT
230KV LINE WITH
SINGLE-CIRCUIT
69KV UNDERBUILD.**

125 FEET TALL

Locating a portion of the power lines on Community lands will also allow the Gila River Indian Community Utility Authority to provide improved electrical service to Community customers, support a potential Community solar power plant, and allow SRP to connect several off-reservation substations in order to improve service to neighboring communities.

The Kyrene to Knox component of the project has been eliminated due to SRP's purchase of a portion of two existing APS 230-kV transmission lines in the same corridor.

A final decision on whether to grant a CEC for the project will be decided at an open meeting of the ACC. Upon Community Council approval, the Bureau of Indian Affairs can then give final approval for a Grant of Right-of-Way for portions of the line located on Community lands.

SRP is a community-based nonprofit public power utility, serving about 1 million customers in Maricopa and Pinal counties.

NEWS RELEASE

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FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE April 7, 2015

Siting Committee Recommends New Power Line Project will Bring Additional Energy to Growing East Valley Industrial Corridor

The Arizona Power Plant and Transmission Line Siting Committee has issued a Certificate of Environmental Compatibility (CEC) to the Salt River Project for its Price Road Corridor 230-kilovolt (kV) Transmission Line Project. The Siting Committee reached its decision April 1 following three days of testimony, discussion and public comment.

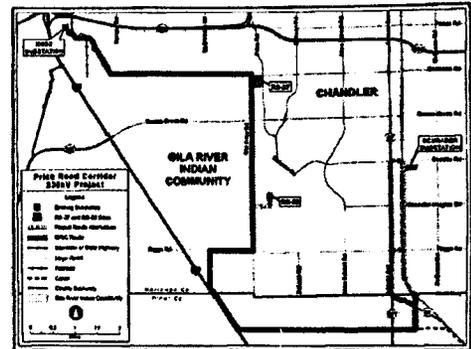
The Siting Committee's decision now goes to the five-member Arizona Corporation Commission (ACC) for final approval in 30 to 60 days.

The project includes new overhead 230-kilovolt power lines and two new 230-kV substations that will provide capacity to meet the projected economic growth of the area in Chandler known as the Price Road Corridor.

SRP is working with the Gila River Indian Community (Community) to finalize a route on Community lands and many key milestones in that process have been completed. This route would allow the majority of the project's new overhead transmission lines to be located on Community lands. For the segment from the Schrader Substation south to the Community boundary, the Siting Committee selected the preferred alternative along the Union Pacific Railroad. A short segment from the Community boundary on the west to the proposed new RS-28 substation site was also included in the CEC.

The proposed power lines and associated new substations are needed to address continued economic development and to support future business needs in the area.

MEDIA RESOURCES



Additional information about the PRC project is available at:

- www.azpower.org

John [unclear] 6/17

