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**PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION OF WISCONSIN**

Application of American Transmission Company LLC, as an Electric Public Utility, for a Certificate of Public Convenience and Necessity to Construct and Operate the Ozaukee Co. Distribution Interconnection Project, Consisting of New 345 kV Transmission Lines, Upgraded 345 kV Transmission Lines, Potential New 138 kV Transmission Lines in Calumet, Fond du Lac, Ozaukee, Sheboygan, and Washington Counties, New Substations in the Towns of Sherman and Lima, Sheboygan Co., Town of Jackson, Washington Co., Town of Osceola, Fond du Lac Co., Town of Port Washington, Ozaukee Co., and Modifications to Existing Substations

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**NOTICE OF PROCEEDING**

**THIS IS A PROCEEDING** to consider the November 14, 2025, application of American Transmission Company LLC (applicant), as an electric public utility, for a Certificate of Public Convenience and Necessity to construct and operate the Ozaukee Co. Distribution Interconnection Project. The project would support the interconnection of a new large system load in Port Washington, Ozaukee County, Wisconsin into the existing electrical transmission and distribution network.

The northern portion of the project would involve constructing a new 345 kilovolt (kV) transmission line from the existing Forest Junction Substation located in Brillion, Calumet County, to the new proposed Sheboygan River Junction Substation located in Osceola, Fond du Lac County. The Forest Junction Substation would also be modified to support the new 345 kV transmission line.

The southern portion of the project would involve rebuilding and upgrading existing transmission lines to connect the new proposed Mullet River Junction Substation located in Lima, Sheboygan County with the new proposed Cedar Creek Junction Substation located in Jackson, Washington County. The project would also consist of building two new double-circuit 345 kV transmission lines to interconnect the proposed new Decker Substation located in Port Washington, Ozaukee County to the electrical transmission system. Depending on the route chosen, the project would also include two new 138 kV transmission lines from the proposed new Adell Substation located in Sherman, Sheboygan County, to the existing Holland Substation located in Holland, Sheboygan County.

Both portions of the project also include maintenance work to be done along existing transmission lines. In total, the proposed project would involve the construction of up to five new substations and either 90.3 or 110.7 miles of new transmission lines and/or upgrades to existing transmission lines depending on the route chosen, as well as minor remote end work, and modifications at existing substations. The proposed project includes work in Calumet, Fond du Lac, Ozaukee, Manitowoc, Sheboygan, and Washington counties. The proposed project cost for construction and placing into service is estimated to be between approximately

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\$1.36 billion and \$1.64 billion, depending on route selection. The Commission opens this docket by its authority under Wis. Stat. ch. 196.

This is a Class 1 proceeding as defined in Wis. Stat. § 227.01(3)(a).

**DOCUMENTS.** All documents in this docket are filed on the Commission’s Electronic Records Filing (ERF) system. To view these documents: (1) go to the Commission’s E-Services Portal at <https://apps.psc.wi.gov>, (2) enter “137-CE-221” in the box labeled “Quick Single Docket Search,” and (3) select “Documents.” To receive electronic notifications when new documents are filed in this docket, go to ERF - [EZ Subscriptions](#) and follow the instructions to subscribe to this docket.

**SCHEDULE.** For the official schedule in this docket, check the notices and orders filed in this docket on the ERF system. For public convenience only, the Commission will maintain the schedule in this docket on the Commission Calendar. To view the calendar: (1) go to the Commission’s E-Services Portal at <https://apps.psc.wi.gov>, and (2) select the button labeled “Commission Calendar.” From there you may browse or search the calendar, and subscribe to a particular docket schedule.

**PUBLIC PARTICIPATION.** A person may participate either as a member of the public, or as a party. The Commission will provide an opportunity for any member of the public to offer an opinion on this matter either in writing, or in person at a public hearing. A member of the public may participate without becoming a party to the proceeding. Parties participate by intervening (see below) and offering, at a trial-type hearing, expert witnesses and other technical evidence, prepared and filed in advance. A party may also conduct discovery and cross-examine witnesses. The Commission shall provide notice of when, where, and how members of the public and parties may participate in this proceeding at a future date.

**INTERVENTION.** Any person desiring to become a party shall file a request for party status, known as a request to intervene, under Wis. Stat. § 227.44(2m) and Wis. Admin. Code § PSC 2.21 no later than 14 days from the date of service of this notice using the ERF system.

To file such a request, go to the Commission’s E-Services Portal at <https://apps.psc.wi.gov>, click on the “ERF Upload Documents” link on the left side menu bar. On the next page, log on if you are a registered ERF user, create a new account if you do not have an existing account, or contact PSC Records Management staff at (608) 261-8521 or via e-mail at [PSCRecordsMail@wisconsin.gov](mailto:PSCRecordsMail@wisconsin.gov) for assistance.

A person desiring to become a party who lacks access to the internet shall make a request to intervene by U.S. mail addressed to:

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Public Service Commission of Wisconsin  
P.O. Box 7854  
Madison, WI 53707-7854

At the time of filing, the person making the request to intervene shall serve a copy of the request on existing parties. An existing party may respond to the request within 5 days of service. A party wishing to request intervenor compensation should do so as soon as practicable and in accordance with Wis. Admin. Code § PSC 3.03.

**WISCONSIN ENVIRONMENTAL POLICY ACT.** This is a Type I action under Wis. Admin. Code § PSC 4.10(1). It consequently requires the preparation of an environmental impact statement (EIS) under Wis. Stat. § 1.11. The Commission and the Department of Natural Resources will jointly prepare an EIS that will be the subject of a hearing later in this docket.

**ASSESSMENT.** The Commission considers it necessary, in order to carry out its duties, to investigate all books, accounts, practices, and activities of the applicant. The expenses incurred or to be incurred by the Commission that are reasonably attributable to such an investigation will be assessed against and collected from the applicant in accordance with the provisions of Wis. Stat. § 196.85 and Wis. Admin. Code ch. PSC 5.

**AMERICANS WITH DISABILITIES ACT.** The Commission does not discriminate on the basis of disability in the provision of programs, services, or employment. Any person with a disability who needs accommodations to participate in this docket or who needs to obtain this document in a different format should contact the case coordinator listed below. Any hearing location is physically accessible to individuals with disabilities. The Public Service Commission is located in the Hill Farms State Office Building, which is also physically accessible to individuals with disabilities through the entrances on the first floor. Parking for people with disabilities is available on the ground floor of the parking garage. There is also limited, free handicap visitor parking at the front of the Hill Farms State Office Building.

**CONTACT.** Please direct questions about this docket or requests for additional accommodations for the individuals with disabilities to the Commission's case coordinator, Allison Martinson, at (608) 266-7706 or [allison.martinson1@wisconsin.gov](mailto:allison.martinson1@wisconsin.gov).

Dated at Madison, Wisconsin, the 29<sup>th</sup> day of January, 2026.

By the Commission:

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Cru Stublely', written over a horizontal line.

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Secretary to the Commission

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