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**BEFORE THE ARIZONA POWER PLANT
AND TRANSMISSION LINE SITING COMMITTEE**

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IN THE MATTER OF THE APPLICATION
OF ARIZONA PUBLIC SERVICE
COMPANY, IN CONFORMANCE WITH
THE REQUIREMENTS OF ARIZONA
REVISED STATUTES 40-360, ET SEQ.,
FOR A CERTIFICATE OF
ENVIRONMENTAL COMPATIBILITY FOR
THE WEST VALLEY CENTRAL
TRANSMISSION PROJECT, WHICH
CONSISTS OF THE CONSTRUCTION OF
THREE NEW DOUBLE-CIRCUIT
CAPABLE 230 KILOVOLT (KV)
TRANSMISSION LINES NEEDED TO
INTERCONNECT THE EXISTING
CONTRAIL SUBSTATION LOCATED AT
THE SOUTHEAST CORNER OF OLIVE
AVENUE AND DYSART ROAD IN EL
MIRAGE, MARICOPA COUNTY TO
EXISTING 230 KV SUBSTATIONS AND
TRANSMISSION LINES IN THE AREA.

DOCKET NO. L-00000_-22-00_____

Case No. _____



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NOTICE OF HEARING

A PUBLIC HEARING WILL BE HELD before the Arizona Power Plant and
Transmission Line Siting Committee (Committee) regarding the Application for a
Certificate of Environmental Compatibility (Application) filed by Arizona Public Service
Company (APS or Applicant) for a Certificate of Environmental Compatibility (CEC)
authorizing construction of the West Valley Central Project (the Project). The Project
consists of the construction and operation of three separate double-circuit capable 230kV
transmission lines needed to serve a new data center and support overall growth in the
west valley. The three separate 230kV transmission line routes will connect existing
230kV transmission lines and substations to the recently constructed Conrail Substation.
The new proposed 230kV transmission lines will be constructed along the routes as
shown on the map attached hereto as Exhibit A and generally described as follows:

- A route connecting from the future TS-2 Substation near the intersection of
Loop 303 Freeway and Olive Avenue to the Conrail Substation;

- A route connecting from the existing El Sol-White Tanks 230kV transmission line near the intersection of Olive Avenue and North 111th Avenue to the Conrail Substation; and
- A route connecting from the existing El Sol-White Tanks 230kV transmission line near the intersection of Northern Avenue and North 111th Avenue to the Conrail Substation.

The hearing will be held at the Glendale Civic Center, 5750 West Glenn Drive, Glendale, AZ 85301. The hearing will begin on February 28, 2022, at 1:00 p.m. and will continue as necessary on March 1, 2022 through March 4, 2022 commencing at 9:00 a.m. each day as necessary through the completion of the hearing. If any revisions to the hearing schedule are required, they will be noticed on the Project website at <https://apswestvalleycentral.com>, and on the Arizona Corporation Commission (ACC or Commission) website at: <https://www.azcc.gov/arizona-power-plant/meeting-schedule>.

PUBLIC COMMENT WILL BE TAKEN IN A SPECIAL EVENING SESSION ON FEBRUARY 28, 2022, AT 5:30 P.M., VIA TELEPHONE, ZOOM, OR IN PERSON AT GLENDALE CIVIC CENTER, 5750 W. GLENN DRIVE, GLENDALE, AZ 85301. PUBLIC COMMENT MAY ALSO BE TAKEN AT OTHER TIMES DURING THE HEARING AT THE DISCRETION OF THE COMMITTEE CHAIRMAN.

PLEASE BE ADVISED THAT ALL LOCAL AND STATE PUBLIC HEALTH AND SAFETY GUIDELINES REGARDING COVID-19 WILL BE FOLLOWED DURING THE HEARING AND PUBLIC COMMENT SESSION. FURTHER RESTRICTIONS ON PUBLIC ACCESS, ADDITIONAL SAFETY PROTOCOLS, AND REVISIONS TO THE HEARING SCHEDULE MAY OCCUR DUE TO PUBLIC HEALTH CONSIDERATIONS.

THE PUBLIC IS STRONGLY ENCOURAGED TO PARTICIPATE BY EITHER WATCHING THE HEARING ONLINE OR LISTENING TO THE HEARING VIA TELEPHONE, RATHER THAN ATTENDING IN PERSON.

1 At least 24 hours in advance of the hearing, information regarding online and
2 telephone hearing access, as well as any additional details regarding COVID-19 safety
3 protocols or other revisions to the hearing schedule will be noticed on the Project website
4 at <https://apswestvalleycentral.com>. The Chairman may, at his discretion, recess the
5 hearing to a time and place to be announced during the hearing, or to be determined after
6 the recess. The date, time and place at which the hearing will be resumed will be posted
7 on the above-noted West Valley Central Project website and the ACC website.

8 **NOTE: NOTICE OF ANY SUCH RESUMED HEARING WILL BE GIVEN;**
9 **HOWEVER, PUBLISHED NOTICE OF SUCH A RESUMED HEARING IS NOT**
10 **REQUIRED.**

11 No tour of the Project area is planned by the Chairman at this time. If the
12 Chairman or Committee later decide to conduct a tour, notice that includes a map and
13 itinerary of any such tour will be available at the hearing and posted on the Project
14 website at <https://apswestvalleycentral.com> and the ACC website at:
15 <https://www.azcc.gov/arizona-power-plant/meeting-schedule>.

16 Copies of each Application containing detailed maps of the Project sites, detailed
17 information about the proposed facilities, and prehearing and hearing transcripts will be
18 available for inspection at the following locations:

- 19 • Arizona Corporation Commission Docket Control Center, Phoenix Office,
20 1200 West Washington Street, Suite 108, Phoenix, AZ 85007
- 21 • Glendale Public Library-Main Library, 5959 W. Brown Street, Glendale,
22 AZ 85302
- 23 • City of Peoria-City Hall, 8401 W. Monroe Street, Peoria, AZ 85345
- 24 • The Project Website: <https://apswestvalleycentral.com>.

25 Each county, municipal government, and state agency interested in the Project that
26 desires to be a party to the proceedings shall, not less than ten (10) days before
27 February 28, 2022 file a Notice of Intent to Become a Party with the Director of Utilities,
28 Arizona Corporation Commission, 1200 West Washington Street, Phoenix, AZ 85007.

1 Any domestic non-profit corporation or association formed in whole or in part to
2 promote conservation or natural beauty; to protect the environment, personal health or
3 other biological values; to preserve historical sites; to promote consumer interests; to
4 represent commercial and industrial groups; or to promote the orderly development of
5 the area in which the Project are located that desires to become a party to the proceedings
6 shall, not less than ten (10) days before February 28, 2022 file a Notice of Intent to
7 Become a Party with the Director of Utilities, Arizona Corporation Commission, 1200
8 West Washington Street, Phoenix, AZ 85007.

9 The Committee or the Chairman, at any time deemed appropriate, may make other
10 persons parties to the proceedings. Any person may make a limited appearance at a
11 hearing by filing a statement in writing with the Director of Utilities, Arizona Corporation
12 Commission, 1200 West Washington Street, Phoenix, AZ 85007, not less than five (5)
13 days before February 28, 2022. A person making a limited appearance will not be a party
14 or have the right to present testimony or cross-examine witnesses.

15 This proceeding is governed by Arizona Revised Statutes (A.R.S.) §§ 40-360 to
16 40-360.13 and Arizona Administrative Code Rules R14-3-201 to R14-3-220.
17 Substantive communication not in the public record may not be made to any member of
18 the Committee. The written decision of the Committee will be submitted to the
19 Commission pursuant to A.R.S. § 40-360.07. Any person intending to be a party to the
20 proceeding on the matter before the Commission must be a party to the proceeding before
21 the Committee.

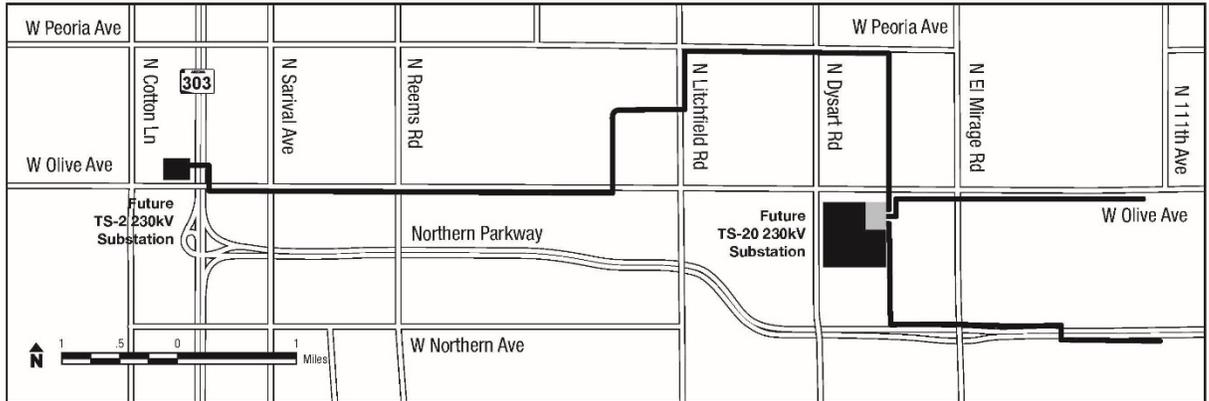
22 ORDERED this ____ day of January 2022.

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26 Paul Katz, Chairman
27 Arizona Power Plant and
28 Transmission Line Siting Committee
Assistant Attorney General

EXHIBIT A

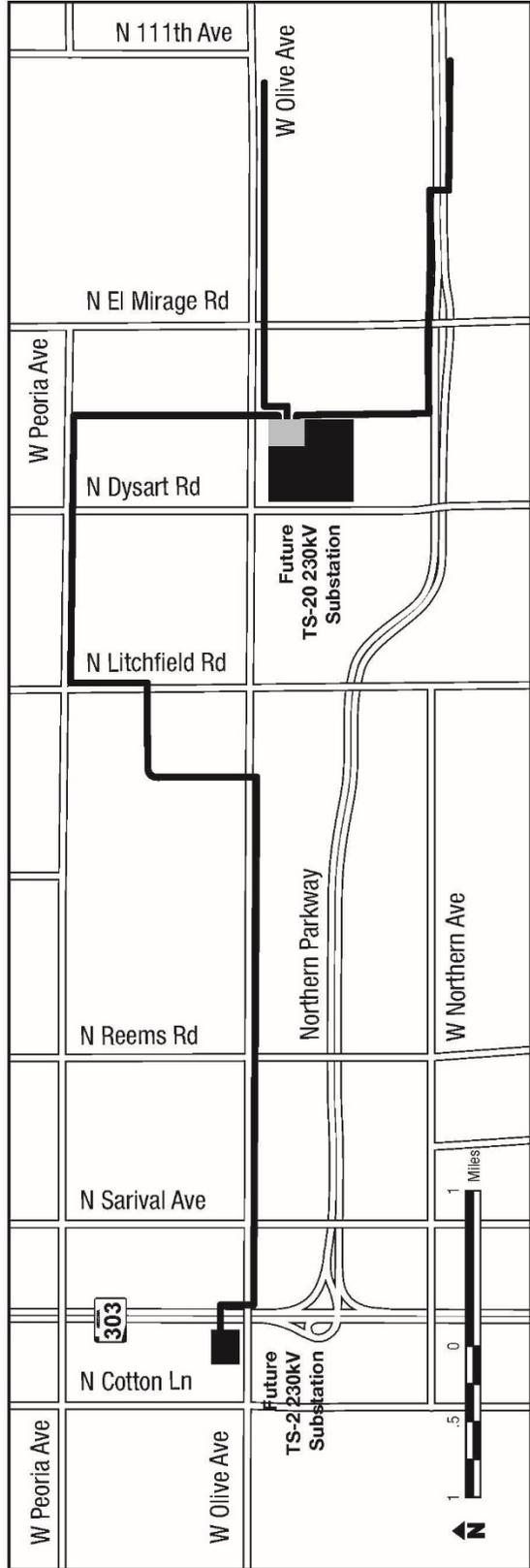
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**APS WEST VALLEY CENTRAL
230kV CONNECTION PROJECT**
— Preferred Routes

EXHIBIT A

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