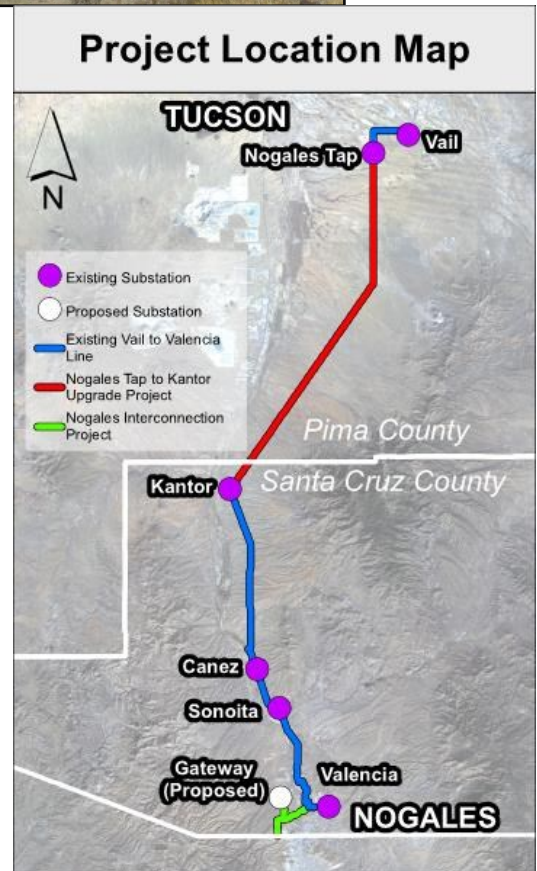
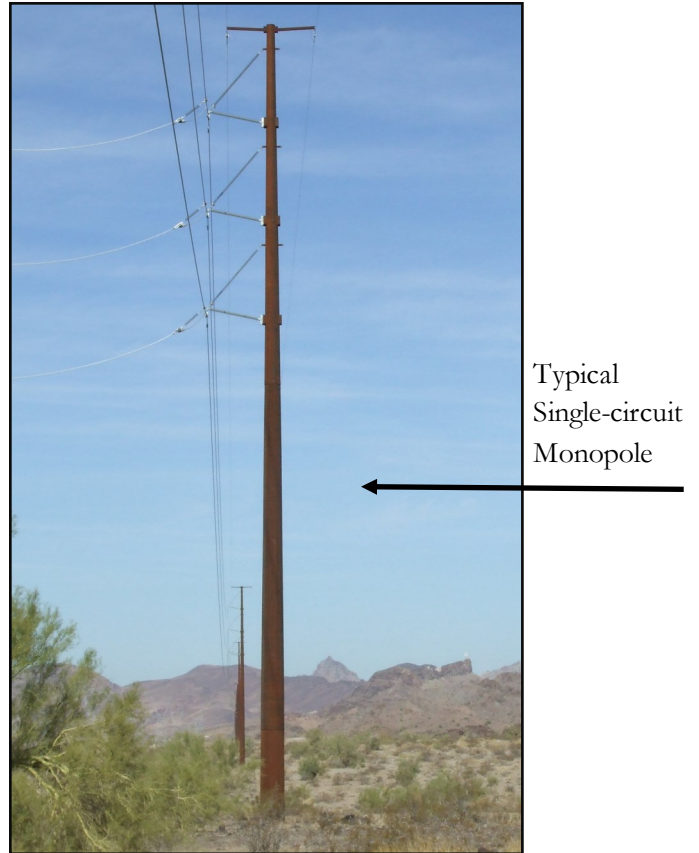


UniSource Energy Services (UES), its subsidiary UNS Electric, Inc. (UNSE), and Hunt Power are holding open house meetings on June 21 and June 22, 2017 to share information related to two transmission projects, described below as the Nogales Tap to Kantor Upgrade Project and Nogales Interconnection Project (Projects).

The Projects will support the reliability of the electric system by providing bi-directional power flow and voltage support, and emergency assistance, as needed, for the electric system both north and south of the U.S.-Mexico border.

These proposed Projects include the following components:

- A 27.5-mile segment of an existing UNSE 138-kV transmission line that serves Santa Cruz County. Upgrading the 27.5-mile segment between a point near the Western Area Power Administration Nogales Tap switchyard and UNSE’s Kantor Substation is necessary to provide the transmission capacity to support the Nogales Interconnection Project.
- The proposed new Gateway Substation in Santa Cruz County, which will be the location of the High Voltage Direct Current (HVDC) converter equipment and 138-kV equipment.
- A new approximately three-mile double circuit 138-kV transmission line in Santa Cruz County—one circuit of the line will extend the existing UNSE Vail to Valencia line from a point near USNE’s Valencia Substation to the proposed Gateway Substation and one circuit will connect the Gateway Substation to the Valencia Substation.
- A new approximately two-mile single circuit 230-kV transmission line on double-circuit capable structures in Santa Cruz County connecting the proposed Gateway Substation to the United States-Mexico border, beyond which it will interconnect with a transmission line to be constructed in Mexico.



**Please join us at one of the open house meetings on June 21 or June 22 to learn more about the Projects and provide comments.**

**OPEN HOUSE MEETINGS**

Wednesday, June 21, 2017 5-8 p.m.

Sahuarita High School Auditorium, POD B  
350 W. Sahuarita Road  
Sahuarita, AZ 85629

Thursday, June 22, 2017 5-8 p.m.

Holiday Inn Express  
850 W. Shell Road  
Nogales, AZ 85621

**Additional information regarding the  
Projects and more detailed maps can be  
viewed at:**

[www.huntpower.com/nogalesdctie.aspx](http://www.huntpower.com/nogalesdctie.aspx)

and

<https://www.uesaz.com/projects>

**Or you may call 1-800-240-5718 to speak to  
someone regarding the Projects.**

**Información en español acerca de los  
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