Stay tuned for more about the Sammamish-Juanita 115 kV Project

The Sammamish-Juanita 115 kV Project is an important improvement for our local electric system.

We appreciate your interest and involvement in the project. Your feedback will be used by PSE and the advisory group as we continue to review and discuss additional model outputs. We will host another open house early next year to gain feedback on possible route alternatives recommended by the advisory group.

We encourage you to continue to stay involved in the conversation about the project by submitting feedback, observing advisory group meetings and attending future community meetings. Visit www.PSE.com/SammJuan115 for the latest information and meeting dates.

We are committed to working with the community to better understand the issues to consider as we select the route alignment that will meet the needs of PSE’s customers, the local community and PSE.

Comments

To provide comments after tonight’s meeting:

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Sammamish-Juanita 115 kV Project

Welcome and thanks for coming!

Thank you for attending Puget Sound Energy’s open house on the Sammamish-Juanita 115 kilovolt (kV) Transmission Line Project.

The project team looks forward to sharing information and discussing the project with you.

Why are we here tonight?
• Demand for power continues to grow.
• PSE’s electric system serving the northern Redmond-Kirkland area is approaching its capacity limits, and under certain conditions can be overloaded, resulting in loss of service to a population of nearly 150,000.
• We are planning the Sammamish-Juanita 115 kV Project to help ensure the electric system has available capacity and can reliably deliver power to customers.
• We want your input on our work to date.

This guide will help you:
• Learn about the Sammamish-Juanita 115 kV Project.
• Navigate the information stations.
• Get the most out of this event and provide feedback.

Throughout today’s open house we encourage you to ask questions and provide comments. PSE staff have blue name tags and advisory group members have yellow name tags.
Station 1: PSE: Delivering your energy future
- Learn how PSE generates and delivers power to customers.
- Get an idea of PSE’s anticipated Eastside projects over the next decade.

Station 2: Why does PSE need the Sammamish-Juanita 115 kV Project?
- Watch a short presentation about the local electric system challenges and how the Sammamish-Juanita 115 kV Project will help solve those challenges.
- Review potential pole designs and the project schedule.

Station 3: PSE’s approach to siting and public involvement
- Understand how PSE is working with the community to develop a community-acceptable route alignment.
- Learn about PSE’s siting process for the project, which includes working with a stakeholder advisory group.

Station 4: How technology is helping us develop route options
- View a brief presentation describing the GeoRoute model.
- Learn about the model criteria and weightings.
- Watch a live demonstration of the GeoRoute model.

Station 5: A snapshot of where we’re at today
- Review the sample model outputs and the weights used to develop them.
- Interact with project staff and advisory group members to ask questions.
- Share your input on the work to date.

Station 6: What about…?
- Project staff are available to answer your questions about a variety of topics, including electromagnetic fields, underground lines, and easement requirements.

Station 7: Join the conversation
- We want your input about the project’s progress to date and more.
- Enjoy refreshments.