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Newell Substation Upgrade Project

Concrete pouring and extended work hours

As part of the ongoing upgrades at Newell Substation, we'll be pouring concrete for the foundation of the new feeder building at the northeast corner of the substation on Thursday, October 15, 2026. Because the concrete foundation must be poured continuously, the work must be completed in a single day.

To complete the concrete pour, crews will be working extended hours on the scheduled pour date only. Site set-up activities may begin as early as 5 a.m. with concrete deliveries occurring throughout the day. Depending on site conditions and construction progress, work may continue until 8 p.m.

If the work cannot proceed as scheduled due to weather or other unforeseen circumstances, Tuesday, October 20, 2026 has been identified as a contingency date.

During the concrete pour, nearby residents may notice increased construction traffic and noise as concrete pump trucks, construction vehicles and crews access the substation via Beresford Street.

Please use caution when travelling through the area and follow all posted signage and directions from traffic control crews.

We appreciate your patience and understanding as we complete this important work.

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