The Pawnee-Daniels Park project is an investment in Colorado’s infrastructure that will allow for delivery of new generation resources and improve system reliability. The project includes construction of 125 miles of 345 kilovolt (kV) double circuit transmission line between Pawnee Substation, near Brush, CO, and the Daniels Park Substation, south of the Denver-metro area, as well as one new 345kV substation and expansion of five other 230 kV and 345 kV substations. Land use permits were obtained with the City of Aurora, Arapahoe County, Douglas County and Town of Parker to construct the new line in the existing corridor. Construction is underway on portions of the project. The in-service date is October 2019.

**Construction Schedule**

- **Fourth quarter 2018** – Corridor preparation activities such as site meetings and staking structure locations
- **February 2019** – Construction activities will begin with work on the structure foundations, which is scheduled to wrap up in May 2019
- **April 2019** – Line construction activities including setting the new structures and stringing conductor (wire); will overlap with foundation work
- **September 2019** – Construction will be completed with the projected in-service date scheduled for October 2019
- All dates are based on the current schedule but are subject to change due to material delivery and weather conditions.
- The current plan is to start construction on the west end of the project at the Daniels Park Substation and work to the east and then north towards Aurora.
- Construction will continue this summer on the Harvest Mile Substation at the intersection of Harvest Road and Quincy Road. The construction includes the erection of six transmission line structures that will connect the Harvest Mile Substation to our existing Smoky Hill Substation.
Pawnee-Daniels Park 345 kV Transmission Project Preliminary Route Alternatives

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