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Question BIO-09a:

Biological Resources

BIO-9 Survey areas, PEA pp. 4.4-16 and 17

a. The maps show that the width of the right-of-way (ROW) varies across the project. Will the existing ROW be adequate to accommodate the project throughout, or will the ROW be widened in any areas?

Response to Question BIO-09a:

The width of the existing transmission line ROW is sufficient to accommodate the proposed facilities throughout nearly the entire length of the Project. However, based on refinements for the transmission line alignment in certain areas, it is anticipated that there will be a small number of specific locations where minor ROW adjustments may be required.

In addition, based on the specific language found in particular existing easement agreements, it may be necessary to upgrade certain rights at locations along the full length of the Project including, but not limited to, properly describing the proposed facilities and their anticipated use, ensuring proper use and maintenance ingress and egress rights across properties separate and apart from the main transmission line ROW, and describing any limitations to allowable improvements or developments on the underlying fee owner's land under the proposed transmission lines to maintain safety standards.

Please note that this response is not intended to address the more significant ROW realignment in the western portion of the Morongo reservation lands or any other modifications to the ROW through the balance of the Morongo property. Nor is it intended to address ROW requirements for the subtransmission, distribution, and telecommunication relocations that are a part of the Project.