

Comment Set C.20: Gerald and Karen Meunier

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We live in Leona Valley, California. We are writing in response to the options presented for the Antelope-Pardee 500-kV Transmission Project.

We support the original 25.6 mile proposed route. We do not support any of the alternate routes proposed. While replacement of the original 66-kV line with the 500-kV line will replace existing towers in Leona Valley with taller towers, it would not be a severe degradation of the scenic value of the area. We also feel that the routing through National Forest land is not a detriment to the area as it is using existing but expanded ROW. It would provide additional/improved roads for fire fighting when required and probably assist in forest management due to additional accessibility. We also do not think that National Forests are sacred places that should be exempt from changes required to support the public good.

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Thank you for the opportunity to express opinions on this matter.

Sincerely yours,

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Response to Comment Set C.20: Gerald and Karen Meunier

- C.20-1 Thank you for submitting your opinion on the Project. For a discussion of potential impacts to NFS lands from the creation of new roads within Angeles National Forest, please refer to Section C.9.5 (Impact R-4).