



Source: Anderson/Zack, 2007

A **visual simulation** of the LEAPS Transmission-Only Alternative from Key Viewpoint L3, on South Main Divide Road. The transmission line would be clearly visible crossing overhead above the viewer, proceeding to the North Transition Station where it would 'transition' from overhead to underground. Overhead transmission structures would be very visually evident and would dominate the view, with their large size and industrial character. Skyline blockage and interference would occur at each lattice tower and at the transition station, and views to higher value landscapes (San Mateo Wilderness) would be blocked or impaired.

LEAPS Key Viewpoint L3 – South Main Divide Road Near North Transition Station

Sunrise Powerlink Project

Figure E.7.1.3-5B LEAPS KVP L3 Simulation