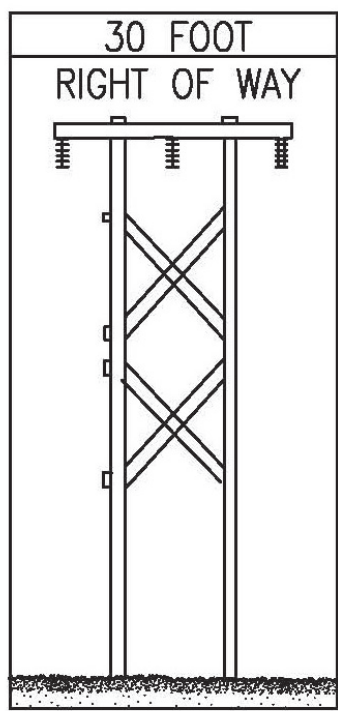


Alternative A would not upgrade or rebuild the existing transmission line between the Granby Pumping Plant and Windy Gap substations. Repairs and other maintenance activities would be necessary, with increasing frequency, as the transmission line ages. Both of the existing 69-kV circuits into the Granby Pumping Plant at the north end would remain in operation on separate ROWs. When the Adams Tunnel cable fails, the existing transmission line would be the only source of power for the Grand Lake-Granby area and the Granby, Willow Creek, and Granby Pumping Plant substations.



EXISTING WOOD H-FRAME STRUCTURE  
69-kV SINGLE CIRCUIT

HEIGHT SHOWN - 50 FEET ABOVE GROUND  
RANGE OF HEIGHTS - 55-65 FEET ABOVE GROUND

Existing line consists of H-frame wood poles.

Existing line is a 69-kV single-circuit, with inadequate right-of-way and no lightning protection, on a 60+ year old line configuration.

