Trinity Public Utility District Direct Interconnection Project

Final Environmental Impact Statement Available

estern has completed a final environmental impact statement for a proposal to build transmission facilities near Weaverville, in Trinity County, Calif. The U.S. Forest Service, Bureau of Land Management and Bureau of Reclamation are cooperating agencies in the preparation of this EIS.

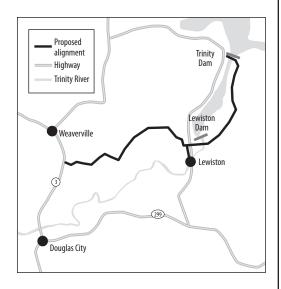
The proposed Trinity County Public Utility District Direct Interconnection Project would remove about 5.3 miles of 12-kV distribution line and construct about 16 miles of new 60-kV transmission line, a tap structure and associated equipment as well as a new switchyard.

The final EIS is available for review at libraries in Redding and Weaverville and at Western's Sierra Nevada Regional Office in Folsom, the Shasta-Trinity National Forest office in Redding, the BLM's Redding Field Office or the Bureau of Reclamation's Northern California Area Office in Shasta Lake.

Western expects to issue its Record of Decision no sooner than 30 days following announcement of the availability of the FEIS in the *Federal Register*.

For more information, visit the project Web site online at http://www.wapa.gov/transmission/intertrinity.htm.





To obtain a copy of the Trinity County Public Utility District Direct Interconnection Project Final Environmental Impact Statement, contact:

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