



We hope you have been doing well and enjoying the summer so far! We want to provide you with updates regarding Aviation Detection Lighting System (ADLS), pre-construction work on SunZia Transmission, a tentative construction schedule and the results from an economic impact study for SunZia Wind and Transmission.

We are happy to share that the installation of the ADLS is now complete on Western Spirit Wind which returns the dark skies area residents are accustomed to. This system provides the framework for the work that will be done on SunZia Wind. The installation of the ADLS for SunZia Wind will coincide with construction of the wind farm which should enable the turning off of the lights much sooner than we were able to on Western Spirit Wind.

- There are eight total towers that are expected to be built throughout the wind farm.
- Please note as turbines begin to go up, the Federal Aviation Administration (FAA) lights will continue to operate at normal system standards until the ADLS system is complete.

# SunZia Wind

Pre-construction activities began in Q2 2023 with limited personnel but as we move into full construction start in Q4 2023, the number of personnel in the area will increase. We anticipate approximately 1,500 workers at the peak of construction.

Early Work/Laydown Yards	Q2 2023
Mobilization	Q3 2023
Turbine Delivery Start	Q3 2024
Construction Completion	Q2 2026

#### SunZia Wind North

Mobilization	Q2 2024
Turbine Delivery Start	Q1 2025
Construction Completion	Q1 2026





Above is a map of the project that was on display during the Community BBQ in November.

#### SunZia Wind, cont.

We are working proactively to address concerns related to the addition of construction workers in the community, such as the increase in solid waste, and will be adding additional dumpsters in the area. We have already begun outreach for those hosting infrastructure and will continue that process over the next couple of months until we have met with each of you to discuss details of what you can expect on your property. In addition, we will be providing advance notice prior to accessing your property with equipment. We will be hosting a community BBQ on August 17<sup>th</sup> at the Corona Schools Auditorium and will be sending a separate invitation for that event.

As a reminder, please contact us prior to entering into any new third-party contracts so we can ensure it does not conflict with your agreement.

## SunZia Transmission

We have been diligently working on final permitting since acquiring SunZia Transmission last year, and are excited to be nearing completion of the process. We have received all State, County and Federal permits for the Project with the exception of the final Notice to Proceed (NTP) from the BLM for the SunZia Transmission Project. We expect the NTP to be issued later this year and will commence full construction on both the wind and transmission projects then.

To maintain the project schedule, we have begun preliminary construction activities including site clearing so you may see heavy equipment in the area. This early civil work allows the project to be prepared for full construction start later this year.

#### **Contact Us**

If you have any questions related to these activities or concerns, please feel free to contact:

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# Economic Impact Study

We are pleased to share the results of an independent economic impact study. According to the study, SunZia Wind and Transmission enable over \$20 billion of economic impact, which includes over \$8 billion of direct capital investment, at no added cost to New Mexicans. Visit SunZia.com to learn more about SunZia's partnerships and benefits.

TOTAL :

\$20.5 billion

## \$16.2 billion Direct Economic Impact

Capital expenditure and operational expenditure, including payments to private landowners

# \$1.9 billion

Indirect Economic Impact

Purchases of goods and services resulting from the expenditures, such as food, lodging, and supplies

### \$1.1 billion Induced Economic Impact

Subsequent impact of direct and indirect benefits to public services, including police, fire, schools, and households



Payments directly to public entities, including taxes, PILOT payments, community sponsorships, federal agency payments, and state land payments

Thank you for your continued partnership as we continue to expand our investment and presence here in New Mexico.