

Hello again from everyone at SunZia and Pattern Energy. Spring is already springing in New Mexico and Arizona, and bright afternoons let us bask in the progress we've made on SunZia Wind.



SunZia Wind Construction Update

Construction on SunZia Wind is in full swing and making significant progress. There are currently about 1,200 construction workers building SunZia Wind, and another 1,200 focused on SunZia Transmission and the two HVDC Stations. Over 250 of these workers are New Mexicans building our future in the area.

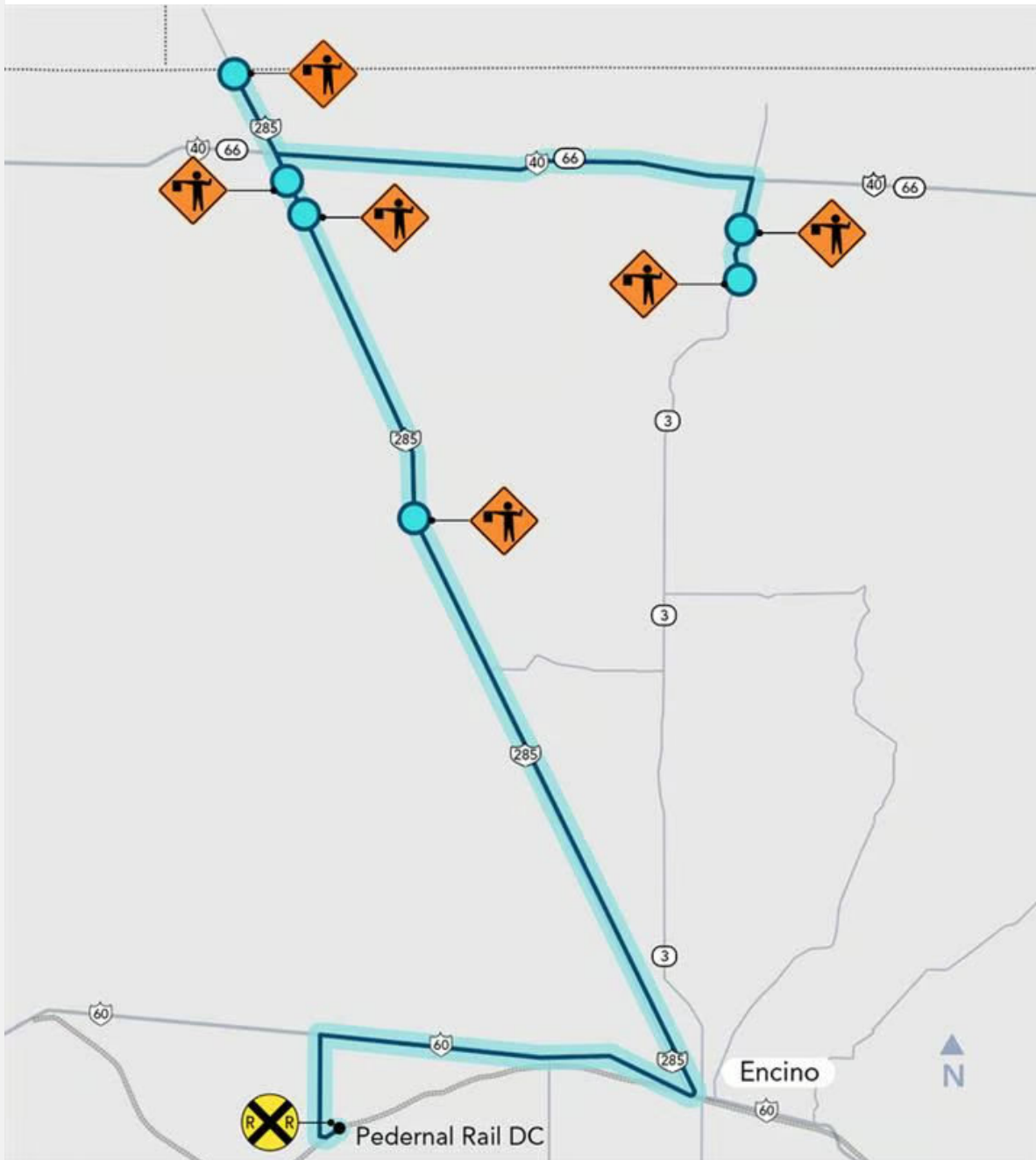
SunZia Wind North

SunZia Wind North construction is making substantial progress with 174 of the 242 turbine foundations already installed. With so much progress on North foundations, wind turbine components are in the process of being delivered.

The map below provides an overview of the route for all SunZia Wind North turbine component deliveries.

Beginning in March, you can expect delivery trucks present on US-285 between now and June 2025. Road use may be reduced to one lane to allow delivery trucks to pass near access road entrances, as per the NMDOT permit for oversized vehicles. From mid-June

through September 2025, turbine component delivery trucks will continue further north on US-285 and be making deliveries along I-40 and NM-3 at I-40 exits 226 and 230.



SunZia Wind South

SunZia Wind South construction is making great progress. Civil construction activities are near complete in 6 of 7 zones. Wind turbine foundation work continues in the southern area of the project, with foundations in 5 zones nearly complete.

Substation, underground, and overhead electrical work is progressing across the project. Zones 1 and 2 electrical infrastructure is near complete, with substation construction now underway in all 7 zones, and other electrical infrastructure approximately 40% complete.

Wind turbine deliveries have progressed into Zone 4 and are approaching 50% complete. The main route for the remaining turbine component deliveries is on NM-247. There will be approximately four weeks of deliveries on US 54 South of Corona expected in May and June of 2025.

With construction activities moving further south into zones 5, 6, and 7, we expect certain crews to transition with that work and move into communities closer to Capitan. Reclamation activities have begun in Zone 1 and will follow turbine installation south through all zones.

Here is the progress on SunZia Wind:

South Zone construction milestones include:

Clearing & grubbing: 99% complete

Access roads: 84% complete

Foundations excavated: 73% complete

Foundation pours complete: 57% complete

Foundations backfilled: 55% complete

Wind turbines delivered: 40% complete

Wind turbines erected: 16% complete

Wind turbines complete: 106 of 674

Underground collection system installed: 39% complete

Overhead collection structure installed: 38% complete

Stringing: 10% complete

Substation completion: 63% complete

North Zone construction milestones include:

Clearing & grubbing: 98% complete

Access roads: 85% complete

Foundations poured: 76% complete

Foundations excavated: 84% complete

Foundations backfilled: 72% complete

Underground collection system installed: 36% complete

As a reminder, SunZia Wind North is comprised of three zones and SunZia Wind South is comprised of seven zones. Each zone has its own substation that is connected by an overhead collection line to the HVDC Station. Work on the substations is progressing zone by zone just like the wind turbine erections so you can expect activity happening in the areas near the substations as well. In addition, there are four Operations & Maintenance Buildings that are under construction so you will likely see building work happening over the next few months.

What Does Pouring a Foundation for a Wind Turbine Look Like?

Take a quick look at this video made by construction influencer Aaron Witt and our partner Blattner Energy to get a better idea of the scope of what building the foundations for SunZia's wind turbines actually looks like.



A Quick Update on SunZia Transmission Construction

Pad grading: 100% complete

Foundations: 100% complete

Anchors Installed: 100% complete

Structures Assembled: 97% complete with only 59 structures remaining

Structures Erected: 97% complete with only 63 structures remaining

Stringing: 59% complete, with 5 crews actively stringing on the project

Celebrating Women in Construction Week

It was recently Women in Construction Week, and in honor of our hard-working women construction workers, we wanted to highlight a few of SunZia's best! At SunZia Wind Blattner Site Managers Karissa Murillo and Lauren Mansfield are breaking barriers and redefining leadership in construction. Their inspiring journey, from interns to site managers,

highlights resilience, collaboration, and the power of mentorship. As they oversee this project, they are also paving the way for more women in the industry, proving that leadership is about both strategy and strong relationships. At Pattern and with our partners on SunZia, women are driving change in renewable energy and construction.

[Read more here](#)

Contact Us

We will continue to provide updates as construction progresses on SunZia Wind and Transmission.

Thank you for your continued partnership and hosting us in your community. As a landowner, you are assigned a land agent. If you have construction activity related questions, please reach out to your land agent. If you are unsure who that is, please contact Tyler Shepherd at Tyler.Shepherd@patternenergy.com or (806) 346-9851.

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