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Hello,

We are sending this letter to inform you that we have begun using helicopters along the remaining portions of the CapX2020 transmission line to install some components. The work is taking place in the areas between Brookings, SD east to the Marshall, MN area and north to the Granite Falls, MN area and will continue through the end of March 2015. Landowners are being notified as work begins near their property.

Using helicopters can help reduce the time required to install the equipment and limit the amount of heavy equipment needed in fields. We also have been using, and will continue to use, implosive connectors in line construction to splice transmission conductor joints and to connect conductor to the structures. The split-second detonation creates a flash and a loud boom.

Please forward this letter to commissioners, board members or other staff who should be informed of this activity.

If you have questions, the CapX2020 team can be reached via a toll-free number at 1-888-473-2279, via email at [brookingsinfo@CapX2020.com](mailto:brookingsinfo@CapX2020.com) or via the contact form on the [www.CapX2020.com](http://www.CapX2020.com) web site.

Regards,

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