

Project 2007-07 Vegetation Management

New and Modified Definitions

The following definitions are proposed as part of project 2007-07. They have been provided separately for ease of reference.

Right-of-Way (ROW)

Current

A corridor of land on which electric lines may be located. The Transmission Owner may own the land in fee, own an easement, or have certain franchise, prescription, or license rights to construct and maintain lines.

Proposed

The corridor of land under a transmission line(s) needed to operate the line(s). The width of the corridor is established by engineering or construction standards as documented in either construction documents, pre-2007 vegetation maintenance records, or by the blowout standard in effect when the line was built. The ROW width in no case exceeds the Transmission Owner's legal rights but may be less based on the aforementioned criteria.

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Vegetation Inspection

Current

The systematic examination of a transmission corridor to document vegetation conditions.

Proposed

The systematic examination of vegetation conditions on a Right-of-Way and those vegetation conditions under the Transmission Owner's control that are likely to pose a hazard to the line(s) prior to the next planned maintenance or inspection. This may be combined with a general line inspection.

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Minimum Vegetation Clearance Distance (MVCD)

Proposed (new)

The calculated minimum distance stated in feet (meters) to prevent flash-over between conductors and vegetation, for various altitudes and operating voltages.