

Tatanka Wind Energy Weekly Report – Transmission Line (8/13/07 - 8/26/07)

Previous Weeks (8/13/07 – 8/26/07)

Shipments of materials for the transmission line continue to be received. We have received 97% of the wood poles, about 90% of the framing materials, 100% of the anchors and 100% of the OPGW to be installed on the line. The conductor and steel monopoles remain to be shipped. Installation of access gates on the right-of-way has continued. Many of the wood poles and framing materials have been staged along the transmission line right-of-way and are ready to be framed. A total of 36 structures have been framed. No digging of holes has commenced to date.

Current Week Plan (8/27/07 – 9/2/07)

The plan for the week is to start drilling the structure foundations. Setting the poles and backfilling are to closely follow. Work will start at the interconnect substation at the north and continue south towards the project substation. Mortenson, Acciona and HDR are studying small field adjustments on a few structures. The steel pole structures are scheduled to be delivered to site this week. The installation of gates will continue as needed while the teams continue to spot material and frame structures.