Mt Barker Redevelopment New 66kV Line and Substation Line Route Option Summary



Option	Option 1	Option 2	Option 3	Option 4
Description	Follows the connector road route with overhead 66,000V line within the road reserve.	Overhead line built in buffer zone around edge of development.	Follows the buffer zone before running through the middle of the eastern development area.	Utilises the first section of the connector road to the ElectraNet corridor and will follow the corridor through the middle of the eastern development area.
Route Distance	7km	10.3km	8.3km	8.6km
Indicative Cost	\$60.4M	\$70.6M • additional \$5M if industrial site is used for substation	\$61.0M • additional \$5M if industrial site is used for substation	\$62.0M • additional \$5M if industrial site is used for substation
Construction, maintenance and emergency response access	 the easiest access once the road is completed 	 difficult access, which could potentially require additional access tracks 	 moderate access difficulty - need access tracks until public roads established 	 moderate access difficulty - need access tracks until public roads established
Visual Effect	 low visual impact using poles along the road 	 visual impacts on land owners on the perimeter 	 partial impact on land owners on the perimeter and visual impacts on developments through the middle section 	 utilises existing transmission route which already has electrical power structures partial impact on land owners on the perimeter and visual impacts on developments through the middle section