

# Notice of application

## Foothills Medical Centre Power Plant Project

### Alberta Infrastructure has filed applications for a power plant expansion

#### Proceeding 23958 Applications 23958-A001 and 23958-A002

The Alberta Utilities Commission (AUC), the independent utilities regulator, will be considering the power plant expansion and interconnection applications in Proceeding 23958. If you feel you may be affected by these applications, you can provide input to the AUC to review before it makes its decision.

#### Written submissions are due January 24, 2019.

Alberta Infrastructure, on behalf of Alberta Health Services, has applied for approval of an expansion to the existing Foothills Medical Centre Power Plant and a connection to ENMAX Power Corporation's existing distribution system. The project is proposed to support the growth of the hospital and the future needs of the new cancer care facility. The expansion would consist of the addition of one eight-megawatt gas turbine generator, which would result in a total power plant generating capability of 23 megawatts. The additional equipment would be located in a new building on developed land next to the existing power plant located at 3133 Hospital Drive N.W., within the city of Calgary, as indicated on the attached map. The applications have been filed under the *Hydro and Electric Energy Act*.

The existing power plant has been in operation for over 50 years and generates steam for heating, humidification, cooling and sterilization purposes at the buildings in the Foothills Medical Complex. Electricity is generated as a by-product of the steam generation and supplements the electricity supplied by ENMAX Power Corporation for use at the complex.

#### Additional information about the applications

The applications and any associated documents are publicly available and can be accessed from the eFiling System on the AUC website [www.auc.ab.ca](http://www.auc.ab.ca). Alternatively, for more information about what is being applied for, or for a copy of the applications, please contact:

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**Participant information session**

The AUC will be holding an information session to provide information about how you may become involved in this proceeding and the funding which may be available to you to support your position, which includes costs for legal representation and expert witnesses. The project and its merits will not be discussed at this session.

Four Points by Sheraton Calgary West  
8220 Bowridge Crescent N.W.  
Calgary, Alberta  
Wednesday, January 16, 2019, at 7 p.m.

If you cannot attend the information session, but want to learn more about the review process, please contact us or visit our website and review the information under “Have your say” and under “Review process.”

**Submissions**

If you wish to participate in this proceeding, please visit our website and log in to the eFiling System, go to Proceeding 23958, and register to participate under the “registered parties” tab. Alternatively, please contact us at 310-4AUC (310-4282) or [info@auc.ab.ca](mailto:info@auc.ab.ca) for more information or assistance with filing your submission. The lead application officer, Taylor McCusker, can also be contacted at [taylor.mccusker@auc.ab.ca](mailto:taylor.mccusker@auc.ab.ca) or 403-592-4370.

The AUC may make its decision without further notice or process if no written submissions are received.

Submissions must include your name, address, phone number, description of your land in relation to the proposed development and a description of your interest in the land, your business, or your activities which may be affected by the proposed project. Please also briefly describe the issues you would like the AUC to consider when making its decision.

**Privacy**

To support an open and transparent process, information you send to the AUC will be publicly available through the AUC’s eFiling System. If there is confidential information you would like to file, a request must be made in advance of filing your submission.

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Alberta Utilities Commission  
Douglas A. Larder, QC, General Counsel

