



# POWER DELIVERED

December 2017

Our team made excellent progress in 2017. We continued to pour concrete foundations and set structures. And last summer we began using helicopters to assist in stringing conductor (transmission line). The helicopters will continue working their way west along the route.

As you'll read inside, we've paused structure setting until our team members who are helping with hurricane recovery in Florida return to this area.

To view the latest construction progress, visit [www.BSSETransmissionLine.com/maps](http://www.BSSETransmissionLine.com/maps).

As a reminder, please reach out to Vicki Severson at 218-739-8389 for more information about crop damage and questions about farming practices near the project.

Enjoy this holiday season!

Sincerely,


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## SAFETY SPOTLIGHT

We're using helicopters to assist in stringing conductor. We'll continue this process until the stringing is complete. We encourage motorists who notice the helicopter work to focus on the road and stay a safe distance from our crews.



## WINTER CONSTRUCTION

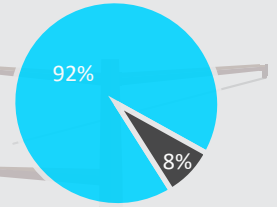
Snowmobilers may soon begin using trails in the project area. We don't anticipate the project will impact trails. However, we will have large construction equipment in the project area. Snowmobilers and others traveling through fields should be aware of snow covered equipment, foundations, and structures. Keep your eyes on the road when traveling through the construction area. Please share this information with other snowmobilers to ensure everyone remains safe during construction.



## CONSTRUCTION UPDATE

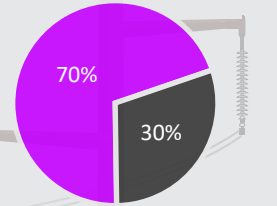
### Pouring foundations

We've poured more than 90 percent of the concrete foundations. We anticipate completing this construction phase in February 2018.



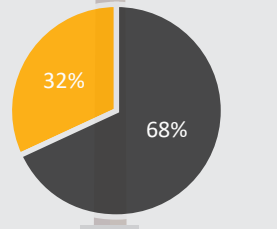
### Setting structures

We've paused structure setting until our team members who are helping with hurricane recovery in Florida return to this area, likely in January 2018. This pause will not affect our target project completion date. We appreciate and support our team members in Florida who are providing their time and expertise to communities who need them.



### Stringing conductor

This winter we'll continue stringing conductor in Day County and will work our way toward Brown County.



■ Complete ■ Not Started



## CONSTRUCTION PROGRESS MAP

See the latest construction progress at [www.BSSETransmissionLine.com](http://www.BSSETransmissionLine.com).

