Water Crossing Notification

Horizontal Directional Drilling - ID 10B1 - #1210

Coastal GasLink is committed to creating an extraordinary legacy of safety and respect for all people, communities and the environment. As part of this commitment we are keeping our neighbours along the project route informed on construction activities happening near their community. Please note the following information:

What: Construction activities will be taking place along the Murray River to prepare for trenchless river construction which will require horizontal directional drilling (HDD) within the Peace River Regional District.

Trenchless Crossings: A trenchless construction method (e.g. HDD) allows for the installation of pipeline underground beneath watercourses and existing or future infrastructure. This method will minimize disruption to instream activities, the surrounding environment, fish habitat and the riverbank. There is no impact to the flow of the rivers and streams when completing a trenchless crossing because we don't construct through the bed or banks. To learn more about how we take care of our rivers and streams, please visit coastalgaslink.com.

When: Construction is expected to begin at the end of August 2020 and will continue until December 2020. Construction activities will be conducted daily between 6 a.m. and 7 p.m. for mobilization and setup of equipment. Once the HDD is started, it will proceed continuously and uninterrupted until pipe installation is complete.

Where: Construction activities will occur at 25 KP to 26 KP along the Murray River with the nearest community, Groundbirch, B.C., located approximately 16 kilometres southwest of this activity.

Expected Duration: August 2020 through to the end of December 2020, excluding the December holiday season.

Potential Impact: Public access to this segment of the Murray River for recreational use is restricted at this time and a surrounding safety zone will be restricted during this period. There are no residences located within 600 metres southeast of the area. It is not expected that these activities will result in any detectable sound or vibration beyond the immediate work area.

Map: Please see following page.

Map View (A)



Map View (B)



Questions regarding these activities or general project construction can be directed via email to coastalgaslink@tcenergy.com or by phone to 1-855-633-2011