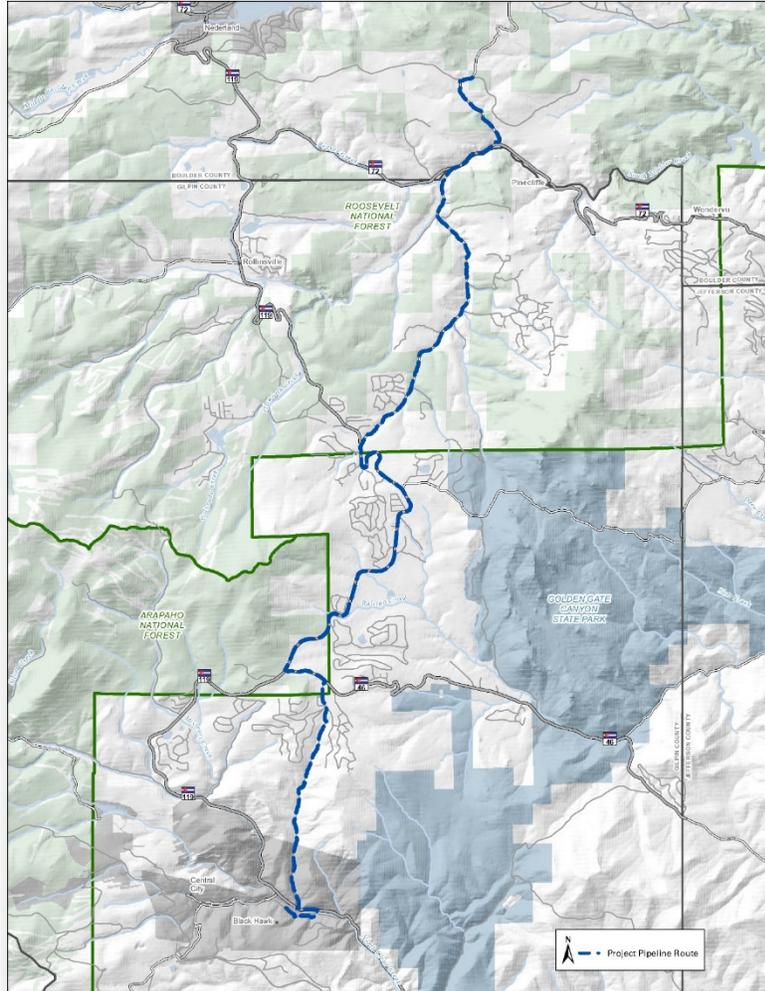


Tungsten to Bobtail Natural Gas Project Gilpin County, Weekly Report



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Project Overview

Xcel Energy is currently constructing the Tungsten to Bobtail Natural Gas Project (Project), which includes approximately 15 miles of new natural gas line between southwest Boulder County, Gilpin County and the city of Black Hawk. The natural gas line will be installed between the proposed Tungsten above-ground natural gas infrastructure in Boulder County and the existing Bobtail above-ground natural gas infrastructure in Black Hawk.

The new natural gas line is needed as part of Xcel Energy's commitment to system revitalization. The Project will increase the supply of natural gas to accommodate current and expected future growth in the natural gas line service areas and allow Xcel Energy to continue to provide safe, reliable natural gas service.

This weekly report is being submitted to:

- Gilpin County Public Works for their use in providing updates to stakeholders through social media or other avenues
- Gilpin County Dispatch for coordinating emergency response activities with planned construction work areas
- U.S. Postal Service, trash service, and school transportation services, as applicable, for coordinating those routes with planned construction work areas

Stakeholder Inquiries

For this reporting period, the Project team received no email or phone calls from the public.

Contact

For additional information or if you have questions, please contact Cheryl Diedrich at 303-571-3116 or cheryl.diedrich@xcelenergy.com or Preston Gibson at 303-425-3944 or preston.e.gibson@xcelenergy.com.

Project Construction Updates

Unincorporated Gilpin County

During the week of July 15, 2019, crews will work in the following areas.

State Highway 119, from State Highway 46 heading north. Crews will work within this area into July 2019. Lanes will be reduced, but through traffic will continue, and sites will remain accessible.

State Highway 119, from South Beaver Creek Road heading south. Crews will work within this area into July 2019. Lanes will be reduced, but through traffic will continue, and sites will remain accessible.

State Highway 46, from State Highway 119 to Dory Hill Road. Crews will work within this area through July 15, 2019. Crews will return to this area at a later date to continue construction in State Highway 46. Traffic will be flagged through the area, and minor delays may occur to navigate through the area. Through traffic will continue, and sites will remain accessible. **Dory Hill Road (Richman Street), just south of Silver Gulch Road (just north of Ameristar Casino) heading north.** During construction, road closures along Dory Hill Road will take place. Crews will work in Dory Hill Road through July and August 2019. No through traffic will be allowed on Dory Hill Road as we construct the project. No resident driveways are located within this current construction area. Through traffic should use State Highways 119 and 46 to bypass the construction work area. **South Beaver Creek Road, from State Highway 119 heading north. Crews will begin conducting potholing activities to verify existing utility line locations. Lanes will be reduced, but through traffic will continue, and sites will remain accessible.**

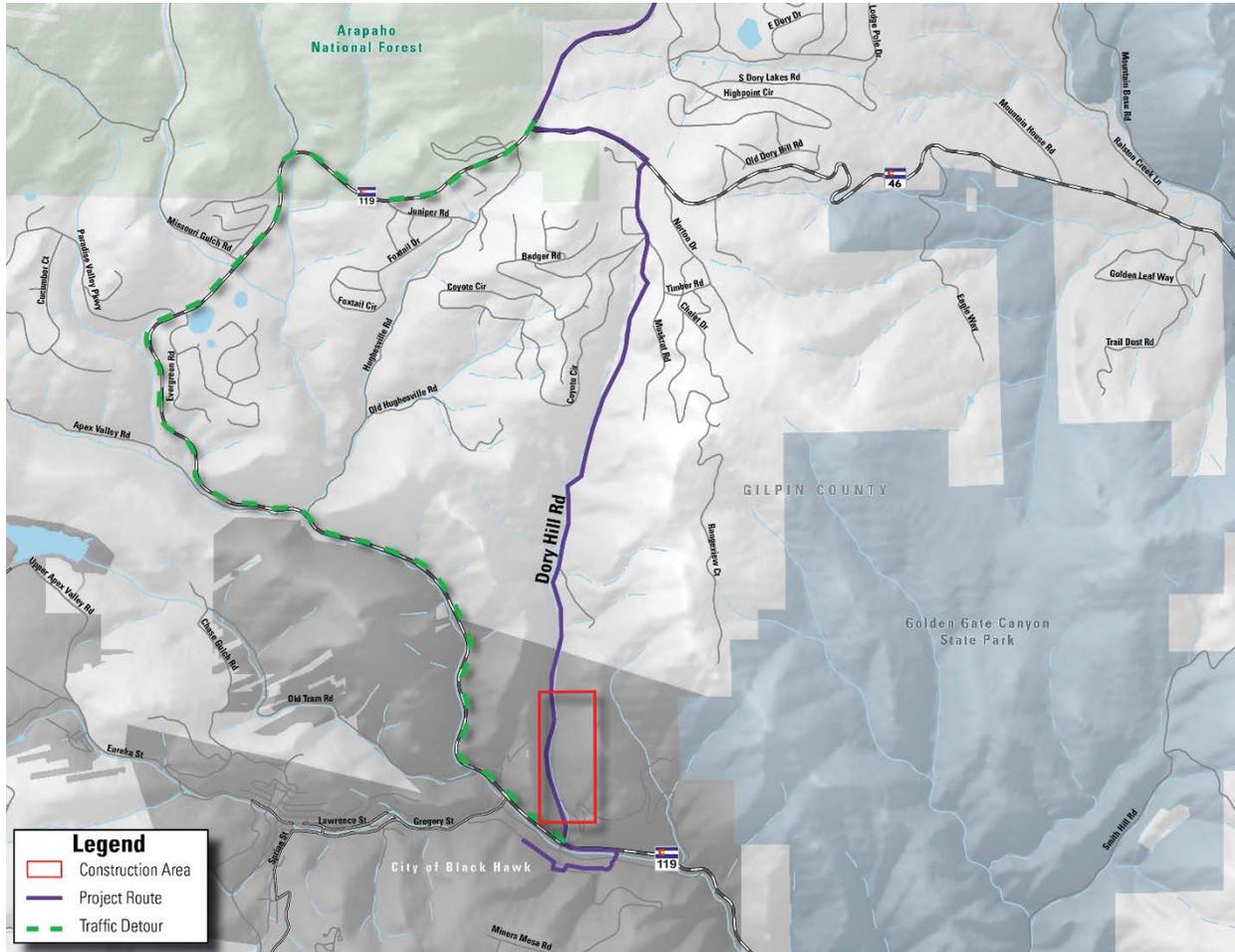
Black Hawk

During the week of July 15, 2019, crews will continue to work in the following areas:

Mill Street, between State Highway 119 and Miners Mesa Road. Work at the intersection of Mill Street and State Highway 119 and across the bridge will continue. Lanes will be reduced, but through traffic will continue, and sites will remain accessible.

Once natural gas line installation is completed in Black Hawk, restoration of work areas will occur.

Dory Hill Road Closure Update



The construction work area shown on the map displayed above is a graphic representation. Refinements to work areas will occur as project construction continues.

Construction activities are anticipated to continue next week in the same area or north of this week's construction work area. Closures shown on Project maps are approximate and will be adjusted as needed based on driveway locations, culvert and utility crossings and lane crossings.

Detour signs are posted north and south of the construction work area to route through traffic around the construction work area.