

Decision Summary – Energy Infrastructure

Project Name	SW MS Electric Overhead Line Installation		
Forest	National Forests in Mississippi, Homochitto District	Region	R8
Choose Type of Activity (Wilderness, Roadless, Energy infrastructure, Minerals, Vegetation CE, Land Management Plan) and level of Decision (No DM, DM, DN/FONSI, ROD)			
Energy Infrastructure, DM, 36 CFR 220.6(e)(3)			
Planned Decision Date	March 30, 2021		

Summary Description

Purpose/Need
The purpose is to install an overhead utility line on Caseyville Rd to provide power to electric service customers.
Intended Selected Action
Power line poles will be installed at various points adjacent to Caseyville road to support an overhead electric line. Some trimming over overhead branches will occur. No merchantable timber will be removed.
Potentially Significant Effects or Extraordinary Circumstances (if any)
No significant effects or extraordinary circumstances are expected
Public Involvement (include State, local governments and Tribal consultation)
Project was scoped to all parties interested in special use projects on the district as well as county officials and tribal agencies on September 3, 2019. One comment was received for this scoping. This comment was from a tribal agency asking about current archeology for this road area.
Timeline Considerations (statutory, court-related, administrative) and Objections Status
Archeological concurrence from the Mississippi archeological heritage is holding up this decision. The decision is not subject to objections.