

WEC_00115

DEVELOPMENT
SERVICES
CENTER



Public Works Department
Engineering Planning

731 S. Fourth Street
Las Vegas, NV 89101

Voice 702-229-6541
FAX 702-382-8551
TTY 702-386-9108

Las Vegas City Council
Oscar B. Goodman
Mayor
Gary Reese, Ward 3
Mayor Pro Tem
Larry Brown, Ward 4
Steve Wolfson, Ward 2
Lois Tarkanian, Ward 1
Steven D. Ross, Ward 6
Ricki Y. Barlow, Ward 5

City Manager
Douglas A. Selby

Public Works Director
Charles Kajkowski, PE.



15901-005-06-07

February 4, 2008

West-Wide Energy Corridor DEIS
Argonne National Laboratory
9700 S. Cass Avenue
Building 900, Mail Stop 4
Argonne, IL 60439
Fax: (866)542-5904

To Whom It May Concern:

The City of Las Vegas appreciates the opportunity to comment on the West-Wide Energy Corridor PEIS. The establishment of the Energy Corridor can provide the City of Las Vegas and the western cities with the energy needed for future energy demand growth. The City of Las Vegas is in support of the establishment of the Energy Corridor in the West.

115-001

While the City of Las Vegas supports the establishment of the Energy Corridor, the City of Las Vegas would like to propose a slight revision to the corridor section 223-224. The current proposed Energy Corridor Section 223 – 224 follows the Desert National Wildlife Range boundary toward the northwest of Las Vegas Valley. This section of the Energy Corridor deviates from the Desert National Wildlife Range boundary and connects to Highway 95 diagonally. Considering that the City may continue to grow toward the northwest area of the Las Vegas Valley beyond the current BLM boundary in the next 50 years, a potential exists that City's infrastructure may intercept this section of the Energy Corridor. Therefore, the City would like to suggest a new alignment of the Section 223 – 224 Energy Corridor to continue to follow the Desert National Wildlife Range boundary and connect to Highway 95 at the Department Of Defense (DOD) range property line. (Please see attached map).

115-002

Thank you for the opportunity to comment. Please feel free to contact Cheng Shih, Environmental Officer, for City of Las Vegas at (702) 229-2338, if you have any questions.

Sincerely,

Charles Kajkowski, P.E.
Public Works Director
City of Las Vegas

CTS/cp

cc: Randy Fultz, P.E.
Cheng T. Shih, P.E.

PART 1: LARGE SCALE BASE MAP SERIES

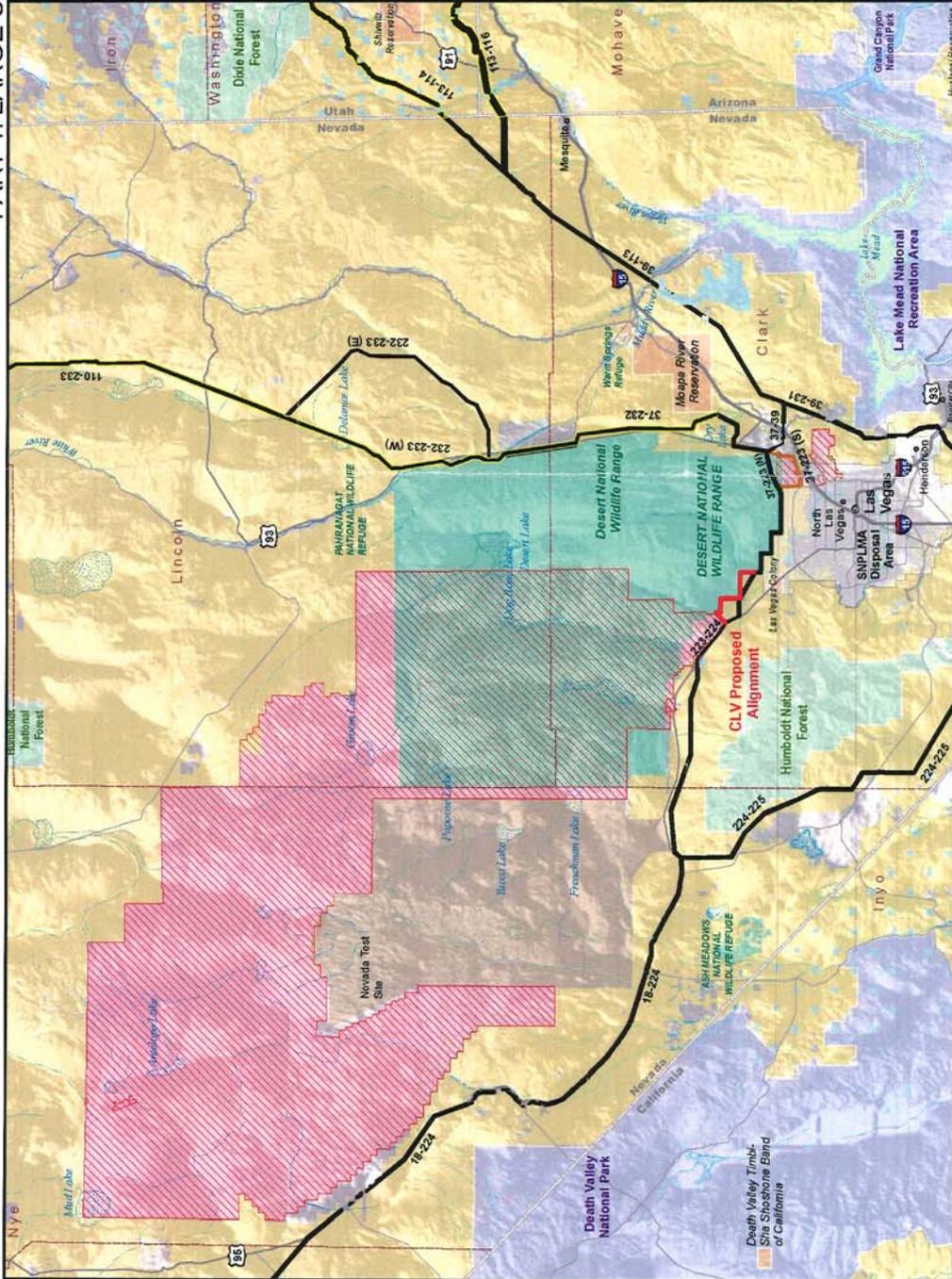
Proposed Section 368 Energy Corridors

MAP D7



Transmission Designation	
[Black line]	Multi-modal
[Green line]	Electric-only, Upgrade-only
[Blue line]	Electric-only
[Yellow line]	Underground-only
[Orange line]	Locally Designated

[Red dashed line]	County Boundary
[Black dashed line]	State Boundary
[Grey dashed line]	International Boundary
[Blue dashed line]	State Owned
[Light blue dashed line]	Tribal Lands
[Red hatched box]	DOD Installations and Ranges
[Yellow box]	Federal Ownership
[Light green box]	Bureau of Land Management
[Light blue box]	Bureau of Reclamation
[Light purple box]	Department of Defense
[Light orange box]	Department of Energy
[Light pink box]	Fish and Wildlife Service
[Light yellow box]	National Park Service
[Light cyan box]	Other
[Light green box]	US Forest Service



CO380111605