

Bell County East to Big Hill 765-kV Transmission Line Approximate Procedural Schedule:

Date:	Event:
December 1, 2025	Application and Applicant’s Direct Testimony Filed
December 22, 2025	Deadline for Recommendations or Comments on Sufficiency of Application and Notice
December 31, 2025	Intervention Deadline
January 5, 2026	Application Deemed Sufficient Absent an Order Finding Application Deficient
January 5, 2026	Deadline to File Statement Challenging Route Adequacy (if any) and Request Route Adequacy Hearing
January 5, 2026	Deadline to Object to Applicant’s Direct Testimony
January 5, 2026	Deadline for Serving Discovery on Applicant's Direct Case
January 5, 2026	Deadline for Intervenors to Request a Hearing on the Merits; Deadline for Intervenor Comments if No Hearing is Requested
January 9, 2026	Deadline for Intervenors to file Testimony or Statement of Position
January 12, 2026	Deadline to Respond to Route Adequacy Challenge (if any)
January 15, 2026	Deadline to Respond to Objections to Applicant's Direct Testimony
January 16, 2026	Deadline to Object to Intervenor Direct Testimony
January 16, 2026	Administrative Law Judge (ALJ) Determination on Need for Route Adequacy Hearing
January 16, 2026	Deadline for Applicant to File List of Intervenors Who Did Not File Testimony or a Statement of Position
January 20, 2026	Deadline to Respond to Objections to Intervenor Direct Testimony
January 21, 2026	Hearing on Route Adequacy (if necessary)
January 23, 2026	Intervenor Cross-Rebuttal Testimony
January 23, 2026	Staff Direct Testimony
January 26, 2026	Approximate Date for ALJ’s Ruling on Route Adequacy (if necessary)
January 27, 2026	Deadline to Object to Staff Direct Testimony
January 27, 2026	Deadline to Object to Intervenor Cross-Rebuttal Testimony
January 27, 2026	Deadline to Serve Discovery on Staff Direct Testimony, Intervenor Direct Testimony, and Intervenor Cross-Rebuttal Testimony
January 30, 2026	Deadline to Respond to Objections to Staff Direct Testimony
January 30, 2026	Deadline to Respond to Objections to Intervenor Cross-Rebuttal Testimony
February 3, 2026	Applicant’s Rebuttal Testimony
February 6, 2026	Deadline to Object to Applicant’s Rebuttal Testimony
February 6, 2026	Deadline to Serve Discovery on Applicant’s Rebuttal Testimony
February 9, 2026	Deadline to Respond to Discovery on Applicant’s Rebuttal Testimony

Date:	Event:
February 9, 2026	Deadline for Pre-Hearing Submissions (Exhibit List, Intervenor Witness Cross-Examination List, etc., to be filed on the Commission Interchange; Exhibits and Exhibit Lists to be uploaded to Electronic Repository by 5:00 p.m.)
February 11, 2026	Response to Objections to Applicant's Rebuttal Testimony (live at hearing)
February 11, 2026	Final Prehearing Conference
February 11, 2026	Hearing on the Merits (Start)
February 12, 2026	Hearing on the Merits (End)
February 19, 2026	Deadline for Initial Briefs
February 19, 2026	Date Application is Eligible for Administrative Approval
February 26, 2026	Deadline for Reply Briefs (with Proposed Findings of Fact, Conclusions of Law, and Ordering Paragraphs)
April 27, 2026	Approximate Date for Proposal for Decision (PFD)
May 2, 2026	Deadline for Exceptions to the PFD
May 7, 2026	Deadline for Replies to Exceptions to the PFD
May 28, 2026	Approximate Date for Final Order
June 1, 2026	Commission Deadline for Decision under PURA § 37.057