



NOS Outreach and Engagement

December 13, 2022



Objective

- Per the edited and approved Resolution 6518, OPPD's Board of Directors cited that OPPD's continued outreach should ...

“Engage with local educational, public health, and community-led organizations in carrying out the process that includes engaging the North Omaha community in understanding the benefits and developing action plans to reduce overall impacts related to ongoing operations at North Omaha Station for residents.”



Phase Updates at Monthly PI and Board Committee Meetings

Phase I (pre-August vote)

Inform and communicate local, regional and national challenges and changes to the electrical system landscape.

Various, internal communications, external 1:1s, videos, industry articles, Speakers Bureau, website education, FAQs, etc.

Phase II (Aug-Dec)

Engage with, consult and listen to local educational, public health, and community-led organizations.

Listening tour, data collection, employee community connections and retiree outreach, LB1024 hearings, NOS plant tour and community leader conversations.

Phase III (Jan-TBD)

Output of listening phase – plan to be developed based on feedback.

Likely to include continued engagement with LB1024 implementation and the North O business park, product development & marketing engagement, community conversation and events.

Listening and Learning



- **1:1 Meetings with City and Community Leaders Continues**
 - Mayor and Staff – provided an update on variety of topics, including NOS outreach
 - NOAH – follow-up meeting to share EAP options and program qualifications
 - SPARK – partnership opportunities around public health and solar education for developers
 - Empowerment Network – discussed future speaking engagements
 - Community Faith Leaders – concerned with health-related impacts of burning coal
- **Douglas County Health Department**
 - DCHD sharing community health data; further discussion on data review & interpretation and potential equity review process
- **LB 1024**
 - Continuing engagement with projects
- **North Omaha Station Tour**
 - Second tour on 12/8; presentation and discussion with key North Omaha community leaders
- Feedback continues to be varied, with most focused on affordability and reliability, while we continue to identify partnerships for community development, health and safety
 - Work with DCHD, data to focus work in pockets where community needs are greatest

Looking Forward



June - July

- Pre-vote engagement and communication via social channels, websites, relationship owners

August - December

- Board Resolution/Vote
- Board alignment on success
- Engage North Omaha community to understand and identify community needs
- Engage public health, data collection
- 1:1 meetings and listening tour with leaders, officials, orgs, etc.
- Attend all LB1024 meetings
- NOS Tours (2) with elected officials and community leaders
- State of the Utility

January

- Broader engagement based on 1:1 feedback
- (2) Empowerment Network presentations to leaders and residents
- OPPD public meeting
- Additional NOS tours
- Continued communication with those closest to plant – neighborhood assoc., churches, etc.
- Summary of meetings, feedback and key findings
- Identify buckets of work and OPPD role within scope of work

February & Ongoing

- Present short-term and long-term action plans to Board
- Provide clarity on work being done, items in motion and where we need more insight
- Alignment around long-term engagement so teams can go and do!