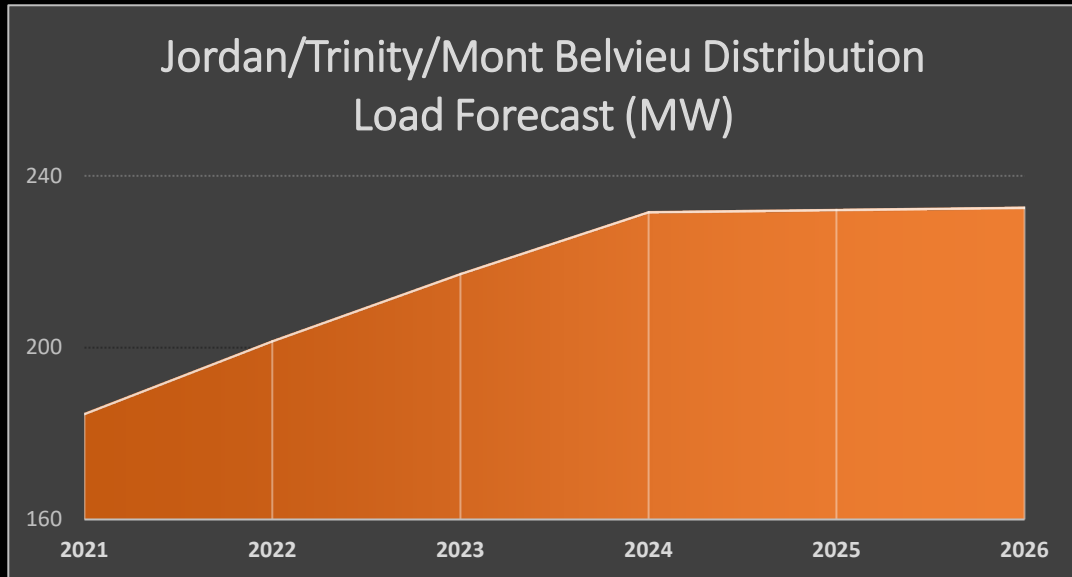


Project Need-Transmission

Kilgore Distribution Substation



- ❖ **Serve new load in the Jordan/Trinity/Mont Belvieu area.** The Northeastern part of CenterPoint Energy's service territory is a highly industrialized area with several chemical facilities, which is also experiencing a significant distribution load increase with multiple commercial and residential developments. It is forecasted to have an approximate 25% load growth between 2021 and 2026. The new Kilgore Distribution substation will supply part of this increase in distribution load.
- ❖ **Relieve capacity limitations of the existing distribution substations.**
- ❖ **Increase reliability in the Jordan/Trinity/Mont Belvieu area..**
- ❖ **Support future load growth.**

