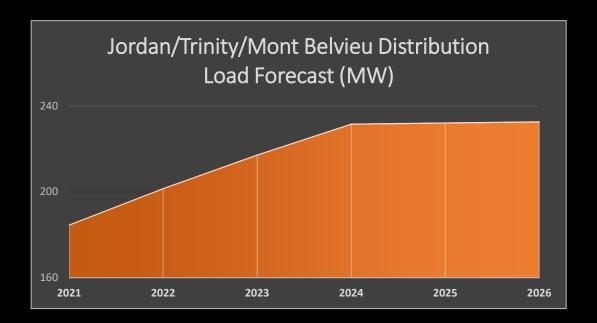
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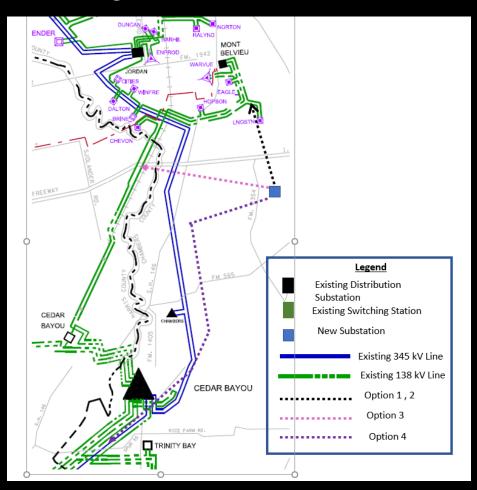


- Serve new load in the Jordan/Trinity/Mont Belvieu area. The Northeastern part of CenterPoint Energy's service territory is a highly industrialized area with several chemical facilities, which is also experiencing a significant distribution load increase with multiple commercial and residential developments. 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.



Project Need-Transmission

Kilgore Distribution Substation



- CenterPoint Energy studied 4 different transmission options to supply power to the Kilgore Substation.
- CenterPoint Energy concluded that a double-tap to the new Kilgore 138/35 kV substation via an approximately 3 mi long 138 kV double circuit line to ckt 52 EAGLE -WINFRE and ckt 86 LNGSTN to Mont Belvieu was the best option.
- The project will improve the reliability and load serving capabilities of the region

