

## North Plains Connector transmission project awarded grant from U.S. Department of Energy



## PGE WILL RECEIVE APPROXIMATELY \$140 MILLION IN GRANT BENEFITS IN SUPPORT OF A 3,000 MEGAWATT EAST-WEST TRANSMISSION LINE

North Plains Connector is a transformative transmission project that will establish a new 3,000 MW connection between Montana and North Dakota and the eastern and western electrical grids. A \$700 million grant total from the Grid Resilience and Innovation Partnerships (GRIP) program will help reduce costs for customers and support the development of the transmission line to facilitate access to new sources of energy for PGE customers.