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Sec-Seg ID	ESS ID	ESS Name	Easting	Northing	UTM Zone	Channel Width	Wet Width	Fish Habitat Class	Habitat Sensitivity
S2-S09	S2-Aqua- 109	Parker Drain	611290	5495282	14N	N/A	4m	Low	Marginal
S2-S09	S2-Aqua- 110	Unnamed Drain	611293	5495151	14N	N/A	N/A	None	None

Potential Effects:

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Specific Mitigation:

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ESS Group: Groundwater

Sec-Seg ID	ESS ID	ESS Name	Location	Start	Stop	UTM Zone	Distance
S2-S08	S2-Aqua-200	Saline artesian areas	Site: 5 to 6	E-605565 N-5496688	E-611257 N-5496792	14N	5693m
S2-S09	S2-Aqua-200	Saline artesian areas	Site: 9 to 10	E-611257 N-5496792	E-611391 N-5490218	14N	6574m

Potential Effects:

Increase in salinity of soils and surface water in case of potential groundwater discharge to the surface; wetting the surficial environment (ground saturation); effect on local vegetation.

Specific Mitigation:

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S2-S10	S2-Aqua- 111	Garber Drain	611387	5490553	14N	N/A	7m	Low	Marginal
S2-S10	S2-Aqua- 112	Garber Drain	611558	5490222	14N	N/A	4m	Low	Marginal

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S2-S10	S2-Aqua-200	Saline artesian areas	Site: 11 to 12	E-611391 N-5490218	E-619944 N-5490397	14N	8554m

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ESS Group: Groundwater

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S2-S10	S2-Aqua-200	Saline artesian areas	Site: 11 to 12	E-611391 N-5490218	E-619944 N-5490397	14N	8554m

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Sec-Seg ID	ESS ID	ESS Name	Easting	Northing	UTM Zone	Channel Width	Wet Width	Fish Habitat Class	Habitat Sensitivity
S2-S10	S2-Aqua- 113	Unnamed Drain	616907	5490335	14N	N/A	3m	Low	Marginal
S2-S10	S2-Aqua- 114	Manness Drain	618051	5490359	14N	N/A	7m	Low	Marginal
S2-S10	S2-Aqua- 115	Roberts Drain	620518	5490417	14N	N/A	7m	Low	Marginal

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Sec-Seg ID	ESS ID	ESS Name	Easting	Northing	UTM Zone	Channel Width	Wet Width	Fish Habitat Class	Habitat Sensitivity
S2-S11	S2-Aqua- 116	Domain Drain	623839	5490470	14N	N/A	2m	Low	Marginal

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ESS Group: Archaeological

Sec-Seg ID	ESS ID	ESS Name	Easting	Northing	UTM Zone
S2-S14	S2-Hert-100	Old creek bed east of current drain	628452	5490429	14N

Potential Effects:

Potential disturbance to heritage resources.

Specific Mitigation:

- Carry out construction activities on frozen or dry ground to minimize surface damage, rutting and erosion
- Identify and flag prior to start of work
- Conduct site investigation with Archaeologist post clearing and prior to construction
- Minimize surface disturbance around the site to the extent possible
- Inspect excavated materials or surface disturbance for heritage resources and report any finds to Environmental Inspector
- Implement additional mitigation from site investigation

ESS Group: Water Crossing

Sec- Seg ID	ESS ID	ESS Name	Easting	Northing	UTM Zone	Channel Width	Wet Width	Fish Habitat Class	Habitat Sensitivity
S2-S14	S2-Aqua- 117	Unnamed Drain	624682	5490494	14N	N/A	N/A	None	None
S2-S14	S2-Aqua- 118	Unnamed Drain	626330	5490549	14N	N/A	N/A	Low	Marginal
S2-S14	S2-Aqua- 119	La Pointe Coulee	628394	5490443	14N	N/A	4m	Low	Marginal

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ESS Group: Archaeological

Sec-Seg ID	ESS ID	ESS Name	Easting	Northing	UTM Zone
S2-S15	S2-Hert-101	Potential Archaeological Site - Red River west shore	630003	5489915	14N
S2-S15	S2-Hert-102	Registered Archaeological Site	630019	5489897	14N
S2-S15	S2-Hert-103	Potential Archaeological Site - Red River east shore	630119	5489790	14N

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ESS Group: Historic

Sec-Seg ID ESS ID		ESS Name	Easting	Northing	UTM Zone
S2-S15	S2-Hert-300	Heritage River (Red River)	630075	5489837	14N

Potential Effects:

Potential aesthetic concerns with presence to canoe route traffic; disruption from operational activities

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ESS Group: Water Crossing

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S2-S15	S2-Aqua- 120	Red River	630071	5489841	14N	50m	N/A	High	Important

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ESS Group: Birds and Habitat

Sec-Seg ID	ESS ID	ESS Name	Location	Start	Stop	UTM Zone	Distance
S2-S15	S2-Wild-100	Red River crossing	Site: L1 to L2	E-630036 N-5489875	E-630115 N-5489792	14N	113m

Potential Effects:

Higher risk of wire collision; risk of wire collision is localized to the right-of-way.

Specific Mitigation:

- Adhere to reduced risk timing windows for protection of birds (August 1- April 30)
- Maintain applicable setback during nesting and breeding timing window
- Conduct priority assessment for bird diverters and other measures prior to transmission line stringing
- Install bird diverters or other measures at high priority sites

ESS Group: Groundwater

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S2-S15	S2-Aqua-201	Saline artesian areas	Site: 13 to 14	E-632182 N-5489241	E-633123 N-5489008	14N	970m

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