Re: SunZia Southwest Transmission Project

Dear Mr. Garcia,

As the County Supervisor representing District 3 in Cochise County, which covers the entire portion of the proposed Sunzia Transmission Project crossing Northern Cochise County, I would like to share my thoughts on the project. The Sunzia Transmission Line Project appears to be a necessary project and could be beneficial for many areas of Cochise County including the San Simon and the Bowie areas. District 3 also includes a large portion of the San Pedro River Valley and as the representative of that area I would encourage the BLM to keep the Sunzia route to existing transmission or utility corridors that already cross the San Pedro and would oppose any new North/South transmission corridor.

Sincerely,

Richard Searle
Cochise County Supervisor
District 3