

on the proximity, visibility, size of parcel and whether sited in an industrial or natural setting; and,

WHEREAS, Richland County's Comprehensive Plan and Land and Water Resource Management Plan both reflect the inherent and economic value of natural resources and farmland of the town; and,

WHEREAS, the karst geology in our county can be unstable for extremely heavy development such as the transmission towers, and vulnerable to potential ground water pollution during construction; and,

WHEREAS, LRTP Project #26, North Rochester-Columbia as designed would add hazardous obstacles for migrating and resident raptors, water fowl and songbirds that routinely utilize the Mississippi River Flyway; and,

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that The Marshall Town Board hereby requests that Transource provide the following information either in written, electronic format or through an in-person presentation before our Board before June 9, 2026:

1. A map of eligible, existing transmission line routes for the considered 765 kV transmission line project through Vernon, Crawford and Richland Counties.
2. Images of the types of towers that might be used for the transmission line project in Vernon, Crawford and Richland Counties.
3. The range of the heights of these 765 kV transmission towers, in feet.
4. The range in total easement widths that these 765 kV transmission towers would require, in feet.
5. The name(s) of the entity or entities that would own the 765 kV transmission line from East of Bell Center to the Wisconsin line of the Vernon, Crawford and Richland County sited portions of the 765 kV/161 kV transmission line.
6. The name(s) of the entity or entities that would own the 765 kV transmission line from the Wisconsin State line to the termination in the Chicago area.
7. Estimated date that Transource's 765 kV transmission line application in Wisconsin is expected to be proposed to the Public Service Commission of Wisconsin.
8. Estimated total 20 year cost to the ratepayers for Transource's "BECL," segment including R.O.E., financing costs and the costs of additional power plants that MISO planning assumes.
9. An estimate of the acreage of additional land required for the 765 kV right of way in Richland County by habitat types including forest, agriculture, water ways and conservation purposes.