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PRESS RELEASE

Oncor to Prune Trees Near Power Lines

Wylie, TX, Dec. 14, 2017 – In order to minimize the risk of power outages, Oncor will trim trees throughout the city of Wylie during the month of January. Those affected will be notified by a door hanger three to five days prior to the pruning. Work should begin around the first week of January, weather permitting.

Asplundh will be performing the work; their trucks are orange. Oncor will strive for minimal impact on the health of trees pruned. In most cases, affected trees will be trimmed 10 feet; however, cuts could go back to the trunk in order to protect the future health of the tree. Oncor trims to industry standards using directional pruning methods, usually making cuts in the shape of “V” or “L” depending on the type of tree, size of limb, proximity to the lines, and other considerations.

Although it is not possible to prevent all tree-related outages, a well-managed tree pruning program can drastically reduce outages and provide a safer environment for utility workers and the public.

Roads that will be affected include Forrest Ross Road, Skyview Drive, Lynda Lane, U.S. Highway 78, Fleming Street, Cotton Belt Avenue, Elliot Street, Oak Street, Marble Street, Da Vinci Lane, W. Brown Street, Jefferson Street, Birmingham Street, Jackson Avenue, Ballard Avenue, 1st Street, 2nd Street, 4th Street, Woodmoor Circle, Castillo Trail, Cordero Trail, Southview Drive, Osage Lane, St. Paul Road, Coveview Lane, Paul Wilson Road, Dog Drop Road, Eubanks Lane, Ireland Way, Centennial Drive, Spring Creek Parkway, N. W A Allen Road, S. W A Allen Road, La Colina Drive, Elm Drive, and Sachse Road from Oakridge Circle to Elm Drive.

For more information visit www.Oncor.com.

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