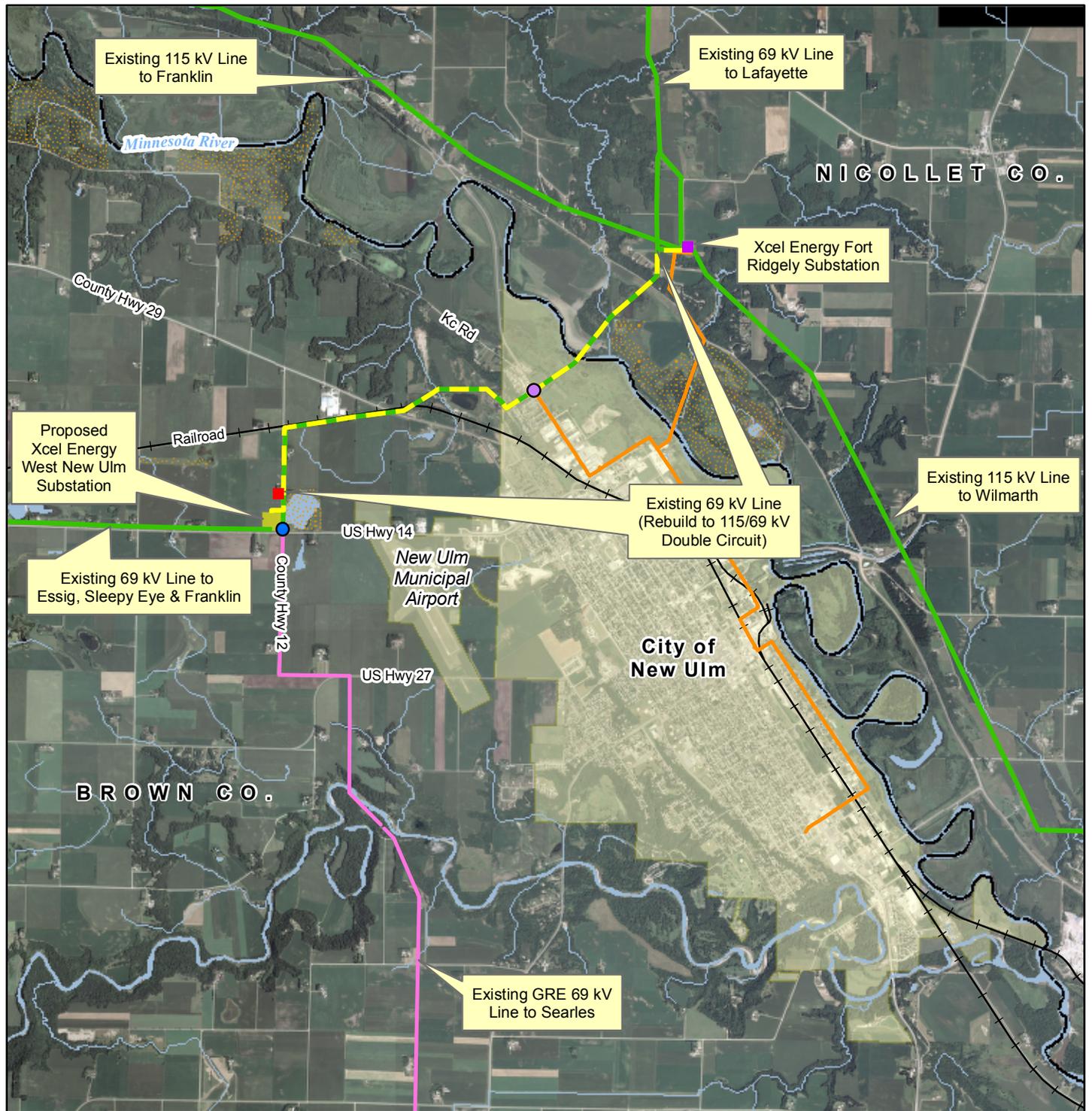


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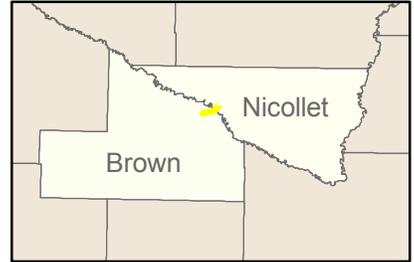
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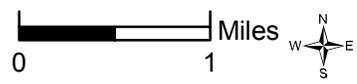
Proposed West New Ulm Substation and 115/69 kV Transmission Line Rebuild Project

Brown and Nicollet counties, MN

- Legend**
- Existing Substation - Fort Ridgely
 - Existing Substation - Brown Co. REA
 - New Ulm Switch
 - GRE Switch
 - Proposed Xcel Energy 115/69 kV Transmission Line
 - Proposed Xcel Energy West New Ulm Substation
 - Xcel Energy Transmission Line
 - GRE Transmission Line
 - New Ulm Public Utilities Transmission Line
 - Railroad
 - MN DNR Wildlife Area
 - Waterbody
 - River/Stream
 - County Boundary
 - City Boundary



Data Source(s): Xcel Energy, MN DNR, USDA.



General Vicinity Map Appendix B.1



Proposed West New Ulm Substation and 115/69 kV Transmission Line Rebuild Project

Brown and Nicollet counties, MN

Legend

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| ● GRE Switch | — GRE Transmission Line | City of New Ulm Municipal Airport |
| ■ Existing Substation - Brown Co. REA | — New Ulm Public Utilities Transmission Line | Airport Runway Zone |
| ■ Proposed Xcel Energy West New Ulm Substation | Railroad | Safety Zone "A" |
| Proposed Xcel Energy 115/69 kV Transmission Line | MN DNR Wildlife Area | Safety Zone "B" |
| Proposed Route Corridor | Waterbody | Safety Zone "C" |
| — Xcel Energy Transmission Line | River/Stream | |
| - - - Xcel Energy Transmission Line Connection | City Boundary | |



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Project Location Map
Appendix B.2a

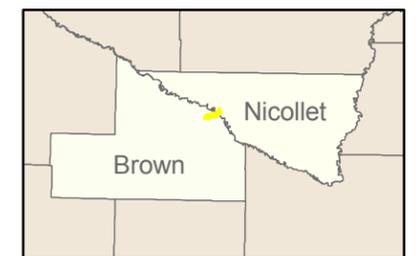
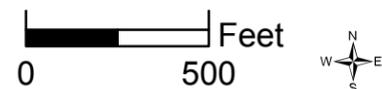


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Legend

- Proposed Xcel Energy/New Ulm Switch (Move From Existing Location)
- New Ulm Switch
- Proposed Xcel Energy 115/69 kV Transmission Line
- Proposed Route Corridor
- New Ulm Public Utilities Transmission Line
- Xcel Energy Transmission Line
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Project Location Map
Appendix B.2b

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