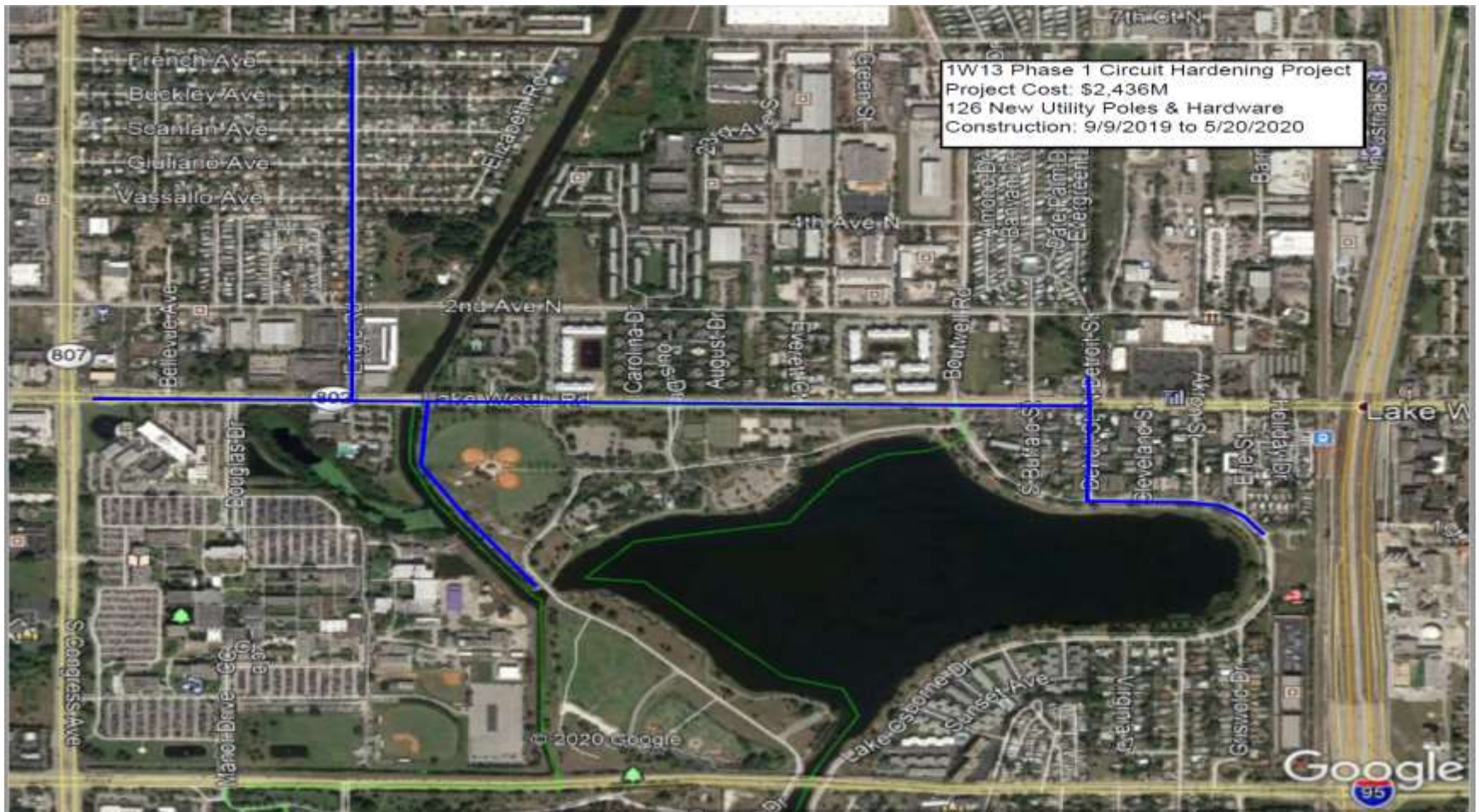




**Electric Utility System Hardening and Reliability Improvement
Project**

**Western Circuits - 26B1W13 Update and
26B6001, 26B6003, 26B6004 Hooper Construction \$2.4 Million
Project**

What Has Been Accomplished Thus Far: 26B1W13 Phase 1 Area Covered



26B1W13 Phase 1

- All system circuits were forced ranked by performance (poorest)
 - 26B1W13 ranked #1 as the poorest performing
 - 3 Phase project, phase 1 is complete
 - Work performed by outside contractor L.E. Myers
 - » 126 total poles replaced
 - 72 Class 1 Wood
 - 54 KIP8 Concrete
 - » 18 new transformers
 - » Phase 1 total cost \$2436800.00



26B1W13 Phase 1 Project Example

Early 2019 the 26B1W13 Circuit was ranked the poorest performing circuit

August 2019 – Phase 1 Construction Started

October 2019 – Mid-point Reclosers into Service

Work Complete – Normal Configuration July 2020

	2019	2020	% Reduction
Customers Affected	11235	1942	-82.7%
Trip/Close Operation	6	5	-16.7%
Breaker Lockout	6	1	-83.3%
Outage Minutes	6812	5082	-25.4%
Customer Outage Minutes	711732	119952	-83.1%
Outages	48	39	-18.8%

Since July 2020 the 26B1W13 circuit has not had any breaker operations or lockouts. This work has had a direct impact on the reliability of service to 2,205 customers.



What's Next?

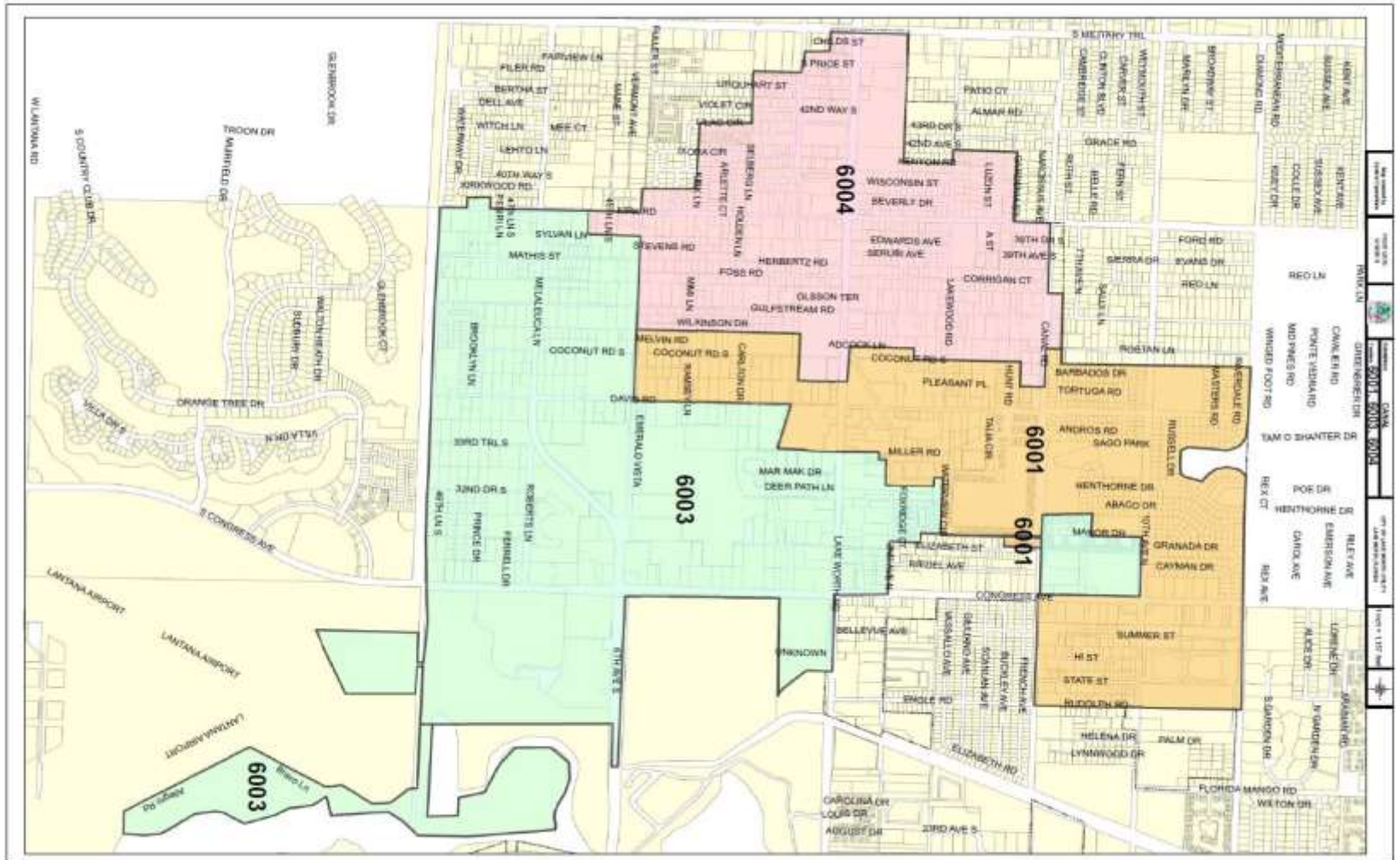
26B1W13 Phases 2 & 3

- Phases 2 & 3 are currently at 95% design
- Construction of Phases 2 & 3 is currently scheduled to begin by summer of this year.



**System Hardening and Reliability Improvement
Hooper Construction \$2.4 Million Project
26B6001, 26B6003, 26B6004**

Project Area



#2,#3 & #4 on the Poorest Performing Circuits List

- The circuits were ranked 1 to 41 in 5 separate categories with 41 being the poorest rating. These 5 categories included customers affected, breaker operations, outage minutes per customer, total outage minutes, and number of outages on the circuit.



CIRCUIT#	CIRCUIT COUNT	CUSTOMERS AFFECTED	TRIP/ CLOSE	# AFFECTED T/C	OUTAGE MINUTES	TOTAL OUTAGE MINUTES	OUTAGE COUNT	C	D	F	G	H	WORST
26B1W13	1600	20564	7	11000	4142	568686	48	44	44	42	42	42	214
26B6004	1500	9408	4	12000	9433	714474	77	39	40	44	43	44	210
26B6003	2600	9500	4	10200	6541	562568	54	40	41	43	41	43	208
26B6001	1800	8575	4	3620	3926	908437	21	38	39	41	44	41	203
26B1W05	4680	10435	4	18820	1392	301055	16	41	42	32	38	40	193
26B5002	2550	10450	0	0	1125	388358	12	42	22	26	40	37	167
26B1E09	1350	8318	0	0	1470	241489	15	37	21	33	37	39	167
26B1801	500	600	4	2000	1885	31485	15	25	38	36	26	38	163
4R0602	1000	2097	0	0	2035	142815	8	35	20	38	36	30	159
26B0603	650	815	2	1300	1477	53625	8	27	35	34	31	29	156



Project area issues

- Metal Brackets
- Old Insulators
- Open Wire Secondary
- Pole Bonding
- Animal Guard
- Automatic Conductor Sleeves
- Bad Poles

Internal Staff has identified 1948 poles, that will need to be looked at and corrected





- Images of what happens if the Identified Issues are not Addressed
- Early Morning February 17th 2021 Pole Fire - causing 2 Breaker reclosing events affecting 1373 customers - sustained outage for 174 customers for 2 hours – extended outage for 20 customers for 7 hours





- Internal Line Crews began the work and have done an excellent job
- due to the sheer magnitude of the project - it was discussed and decided to have contractors attack the area





Hooper Construction, with Commission Approved \$2.4 Million Work Order, will pick up where internal labor crews left off accomplishing the following:

- Remove/Replace steel cross-arms with fiberglass cross-arms
- Remove/Replace open-wire secondary with 4/0 triplex
- Remove any Automatic Conductor Sleeves and Replace with Compression Type
- Install animal guards
 - Middle Φ on cross-arms/vertical/Modified-vertical construction
 - Install insulated bird-wire on transformers, fuse switches and LA's
 - Install eel-guard on feeder jumpers/junctions
- Replace blown or damaged LA's
- Remove/Replace deteriorated wood cross-arms as needed
- Remove/Replace deteriorated wood poles; CLWB approval required
- Remove/Replace leaking or deteriorated transformers; CLWB approval required



Work Tasks (cont):

- Test all ground rod locations; maximum 25 Ohm's, record per location
- Repair/replace missing/damaged pole bonds
- Replace broken or missing down-guys
- Inform CLWB team areas requiring vegetation management
- Contractor to coordinate all planned outages
 - Hang door notices 72 hours in advanced
 - Provide CLWB with outage schedule, address & location
- Contractor shall be responsible for all property, landscaping, grassed and sidewalk restoration as needed
- Contractor shall be responsible for all Maintenance of Traffic and required MOT permits as needed
- Substantial completion in 90 Business Days, Final Completion in 110 Business Days upon issuance of NTP or Purchase Order

What to Expect

Images of our own
Internal Labor's Work





End.....Questions

