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Question:

Please refer to p. 198 of the “2024 GA ITS Ten-Year Plan,” within the “2025 IRP Volume 3 TRADE SECRET,” regarding the Atkinson - Northside Drive 115kV Rebuild and respond to the following questions:

1. How will the Atkinson - Northside Drive 115kV rebuild contribute to long-term resilience against extreme weather events, and what additional protections are being considered?
2. What additional upgrades are anticipated in the next 10-year planning cycle?

Response:

1. The Atkinson – Northside Drive 115kV Line Rebuild addresses thermal constraints as defined in the Steady State Transmission Planning Criteria of the NERC Reliability Standard (TPL-001-5) under P1-Single Contingency event. Please refer to Section III.A, Table 6 of the 2024 GA ITS Ten-Year Plan and Section B2, R3 of the ITS Planning Procedure #9, in Technical Appendix Volume 3.
2. No additional upgrades are anticipated in the next ten years.