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Regarding: Nationwide Material Shortages

Dear local developers and customers:

Like energy providers and other industries nationwide, Evergy is encountering supply chain constraints driven by a shortage of raw materials, high demand, and global labor issues. Availability of electric equipment and common line construction materials is limited.

Based on our current supply chain situation, please prepare for project delays. To minimize the impact, we are taking the following measures:

- Seeking alternative suppliers
- Evaluating alternative product options that will meet safety and quality standards
- Transferring materials throughout our service area to meet demands
- Ordering items further in advance due to longer lead times
- Prioritizing outage repairs and customer jobs

Our Supply Chain team continues to work closely with our vendors to resolve these matters and to understand when to expect materials. Please recognize our supply chain challenges are a national issue with unknown timelines. We encourage you to contact Evergy early in your project planning process.

We thank you for patience and understanding.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Mark Welsh".

Sr. Director, Supply Chain