



Investing £8.2 million
in Epworth and Haxey

Empowering the region

At Northern Powergrid our teams work 24/7 to manage the electricity network that powers everyday life for 8 million customers across 3.9 million homes and businesses in the North East, Yorkshire and northern Lincolnshire.



We understand the important role a safe, reliable power network has in supporting communities and the local economy and that's why we're **investing £8.2m to upgrade our assets and improve the resilience of our network in and around Epworth and Haxey.**

In early 2021 we successfully secured **£8.2 million investment** as part of a national Green Recovery Scheme to unlock network capacity and kick start green-growth projects that can help the UK reach its target of net zero by 2050. This has enabled us to bring forward a programme of work to empower your community by ensuring there's plenty of capacity to support low carbon technology and future demands on the network as the area develops, the population grows and people become more reliant on electricity to work, power their businesses, heat their homes and charge electric vehicles.

Taking place between **late January 2022 and summer 2023**, our work focuses on upgrading two substations (one in Epworth and one in Haxey). We're also installing 6.6km of underground electricity cables between the two substations to further increase the resilience of the local electricity supply.

Inside, you'll find a map outlining where we'll be working and when. The work on our substations is being delivered by our contractor, Freedom Utilities and will involve installing new equipment at our existing substation locations. The underground cable installation will be carried out by our contractor, Balfour Beatty and will involve us excavating in the road.

Working closely with North Lincolnshire Council, we're doing all we can to ensure this work causes as little disruption as possible. We'll use multiple teams and avoid any noisy activities if we work at weekends.

We're also committed to keeping local people informed and will write to all those directly affected by the work as well as sharing information through your local councillors, local press and social media and our dedicated webpage northernpowergrid.com/green-recovery.

We're not planning to turn off anyone's power during this work and it's unlikely we'll need access to premises. We'll also maintain pedestrian access to premises and make sure that businesses can make arrangements to continue to receive their deliveries.

We'll be sharing more information about this investment in the months ahead. In the meantime, thank you for your patience while we carry out this important investment work to improve your local power network and support the UK's decarbonisation goals.

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Investing in Epworth and Haxey



£8.2m

investment in the area



6.6km

new underground
electricity cables



10,000

local customers set to
benefit from improved
reliability and increased
capacity



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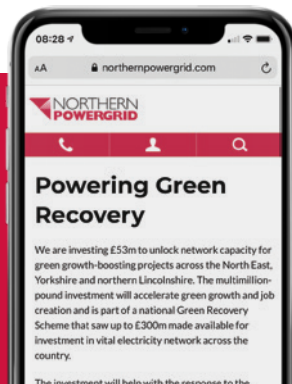
electricity substations
upgraded



Find out more

Green Recovery Scheme – northernpowergrid.com/green-recovery

What is net zero? – youtube.com/watch?v=IKe8PqM36qs



Epworth Substation

Work ongoing from the end of February 2022 until summer 2023

EPWORTH

EPWORTH TURBARY

LOW BURNHAM VILLAGE

OUR WORK IN AND AROUND EPWORTH AND HAXEY

Our work in the area involves upgrading two substations and also digging in the road along the route shown which may cause some disruption to local residents, businesses and road users. We're committed to carrying out the work as safely and promptly as possible while also minimising disruption. We'll be keeping those directly affected informed and will be working closely with local businesses to ensure deliveries can be made.

NB. Routes and dates may be subject to change.

Cable Route

We're excavating in the roadway to lay new cables from the end of January until August 2022

HAXEY

HaxeY Substation

Work ongoing from the end of January until the end of August 2022

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Find out more

To find out more about the **Green Recovery Scheme**
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