



Lochay Transformer Replacement Newsletter

April 2026

The construction of a new substation compound, including building to house indoor equipment as part of SSEN Transmission's 132kV transformer replacement project adjacent to Lochay Power Station continues to make progress.

Safety is always our first priority at SSEN Transmission and with this in mind, we ask that you please remain vigilant of signage or direction around the construction works and do not enter our working areas.

Progress on site

The site team have been working to install the raised flooring in the control building with this work now complete. The communications racks and the LVAC board have also been installed. While these are still to be connected, this represents good progress for the project. A number of smaller tasks have also continued alongside this work.

Upcoming works

In the coming period, work will focus on erecting the busbars, which are now on site, alongside the installation of the post insulators. Preparatory work is also planned to install osprey deterrents on the towers.

Transformer deliveries

We are planning to deliver the new transformers to site on Monday 11 May 2026.

On the day, the convoy will travel through Killin and cross the Dochart Bridge before continuing up the Glen to the substation site. Exact timings are still being finalised as part of the delivery programme. Once these are confirmed, we will undertake a targeted mail drop to share the agreed timings directly with affected residents, helping you plan ahead and minimise disruption. We will continue to keep the community informed as plans progress.

If you have any questions, please do not hesitate to contact our Community Liaison Manager:

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