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Construction works continue on SSEN Transmission's Killin VISTA project which will see a total of 7.8km of overhead line removed, including 32 steel lattice towers, betwen Killin substation and Lix Toll.

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. Users of the access tracks are asked to obey signage and are reminded that large vehicles and construction traffic are also using the tracks.



Cable sealing end tower assembly

Killin Highland Games

Members of the SSEN Transmission Killin VISTA project team and our Principal Contractor Morgan Sindall Infastructure will be attending the Killin Highland Games on Wednesday 3 August. They'll be on hand to meet all interested parties and answer any questions pertaining to the works.

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

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Works to date

The first power outage is underway at Killin substation to install new electrical plant and equipment ahead of energising the circuit in early August. Ducting works through Killin village are now complete with final re-surfacing works planned to be completed in August.

Morgan Sindall Infrastructure have submitted an application for a permit to Stirling council to undertake the final re-surfacing works through the village during night-time road closures.

These road closures are required for safety purposes due to the narrow width of the road which cannot safely accomodate the size of re-surfacing equipment needed within a single lane closure.

Discussions are ongoing with Stirling council to agree timings for amnesty periods during the closures.

Project milestones

Quarter one of 2022 saw the completion of the Horizontal Directional Drilling (HDD) works under the River

Dochart, this was a great milestone achieved by the project team, followed in quarter 2 with the completion of the cable duct installation in the carriageway of the A827. Quarter 3 will see the next milestones which consist of 3 out of 4 cable circuits energised in September along with the tower felling which is also anticipated to commence in September.