

# Skye Reinforcement Project Public Consultation Events



Scottish & Southern  
Electricity Networks

## SSEN Transmission invites you to come and share your views with us

### What is happening?

SSEN Transmission is holding a series of Public Consultation Events across Skye and the Highlands to gain views and feedback on our proposals to reinforce the high voltage electricity networks, from Ardmore on the Isle of Skye, to Fort Augustus.

### Why is the Skye reinforcement project required?

**Securing supply:** The current overhead line was constructed between 1956 and 1989, and after a long service is now reaching the end of its life. The replacement is essential to maintain security of supply to homes and businesses along its route, as well as to the Western Isles, which is supplied by two subsea cables from the north of Skye.

**Connecting renewables:** There is demand to connect new renewable electricity generation on Skye, this requires an increase in capacity of the overhead line.

**Network for net zero:** SSEN intends to 'future proof' the replacement line to allow the connection of additional renewables to help meet Government 'net zero' climate change targets. Supporting the transition to 'net zero' emissions.

For further information on  
the proposals, please visit our  
dedicated project website  
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## Come and meet us here:

### **Dunvegan Hall, Dunvegan**

Monday 16 March 2020

3pm – 7pm

### **Aros Centre, Portree**

Tuesday 17 March 2020

3pm – 7pm

### **Broadford Village Hall, Broadford**

Wednesday 18 March 2020

3pm – 7pm

### **Kyleakin Community Hall, Kyleakin**

Thursday 19 March 2020

3pm – 7pm

### **Glengarry Community Hall, Glengarry**

Tuesday 24 March 2020

3pm – 7pm

### **Glenelg Community Hall, Glenelg**

Wednesday 25 March 2020

3pm – 7pm

### **Fort Augustus Village Hall, Fort Augustus**

Thursday 26 March 2020

3pm – 7pm