SP Energy Networks

Clydesmill Substation Extension

SP Energy Networks is upgrading the grid in central and southern Scotland.

With total electricity demand set to double by 2050, we need a grid that's ready to meet future energy needs, while boosting the nation's energy security for generations to come.

To help make this happen we need to extend Clydesmill substation, in Cambuslang, to accommodate new transformers and equipment. This will enable us to increase the voltage on one side of the existing overhead line between our substations at Clydesmill and Denny North, to boost network capacity and get more electricity from where it's produced to where it's needed.

SP Energy Networks consulted local people on our proposals in February and March this year. We are now holding a further information event to explain how feedback from earlier consultation and engagement has been considered in the final proposals, ahead of submitting our consent applications:

Monday 2 November, 3pm to 7pm
Halfway Community Hub, 211 Hamilton Road, Cambuslang G72 7PJ

*A first consultation event for the proposed Clydesmill to Strathaven Upgrade Project (CVUP) will also take place at this venue on the same day.

You can find more information about our plans for Clydesmill substation on our project website at **www.spenergynetworks.co.uk/dwup**

You can also contact us in the following ways:

Email: clydesmill@communityrelations.co.uk
Freephone: 0800 470 2376
Or write to us at: FREEPOST SPEN DWUP

What happens next?

SP Energy Networks intends to submit a planning application under the Town and Country Planning (Scotland) Act 1997 (as amended) to South Lanarkshire Council for the proposed extension to Clydesmill substation. We will also submit an application to the Scottish Government Energy Consents Unit, under Section 37 of the Electricity Act 1989, and Section 57(2) of the Town and Country Planning (Scotland) Act 1997 (as amended), for the proposed changes to the overhead lines and uprating in voltage.

At this stage, your comments are not representations to the planning authorities. It is when we submit applications for development consent in the future that you will be able to make formal representations to those planning authorities.

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