

Upcoming work at Cellarhead substation: Opportunity to find out more



National Grid is extending Cellarhead substation to reinforce the electricity transmission network. In summer 2025 we will begin constructing a small extension to the north of the substation on land that National Grid owns. We will also be carrying out maintenance of existing equipment on site.

Public drop-in event – 21 May 2025

We are bringing forward essential long-term plans to upgrade the substation at Cellarhead, including works to reinforce the network and enable future new connections such as the renewable energy projects in the local vicinity. This is in support of the UK's mission to achieve net zero by 2050.

Throughout the project we are committed to engaging with local communities and keeping people updated on our progress. Before the main construction work starts, we are holding a public drop-in event:

- **Where:** Wetley Rocks Village Hall, Mill Lane, Wetley Rocks, Stoke on Trent, ST9 0BN
- **When:** Wednesday 21 May between 4pm–8pm

Please drop in at any point to find out more details about the project at Cellarhead. Team members will be available to answer your questions and provide further information.

At the event we'll be presenting details about our planned construction work, some temporary closures and diversions to the public rights of way around the site, as well as our Community Grant Programme. These details will also be available to view on our website in the coming weeks.

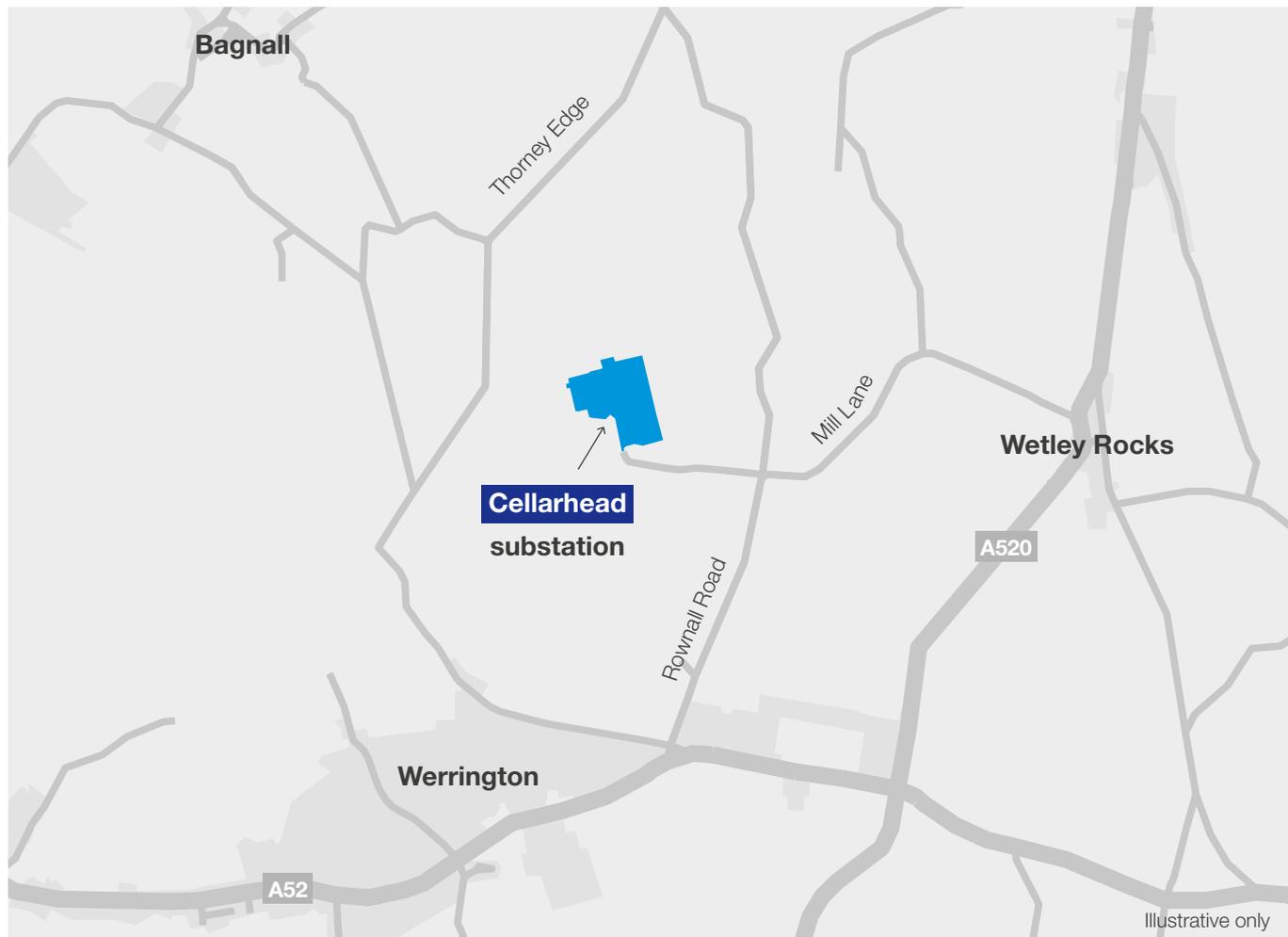


Community Grant Programme

National Grid has a Community Grant Programme for organisations and charities in communities where our work is impacting local people through our operations and on-site activities. This grant helps to fund projects which are run by charities and community groups that meet local needs

by providing a range of social, economic and environmental benefits. Communities that are impacted by maintenance and the building of new infrastructure can apply for grants of up to £20,000. For further details please visit: nationalgrid.com/communitygrantprogramme

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About National Grid

National Grid owns and maintains the high-voltage electricity transmission network in England and Wales, transporting electricity through our high voltage network to the local distribution system so it reaches homes and businesses.

As a business regulated by Ofgem, we have a legal obligation to connect new sources of energy generation to our transmission network when requested.



Contact us

For more information, please get in touch with our community relations team or scan the QR code to visit the website

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