



LionLink

Geophysical Non-Intrusive
Surveys – October 2026

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The LionLink project will shortly be undertaking non-intrusive ground surveys works. The non-intrusive surveys will be undertaken near the landfall site (G3) in Walberswick and will mobilise from week commencing 12 October 2026.

LionLink is a new subsea electricity cable (known as an interconnector) between the UK and the Netherlands. LionLink is a first of its kind technology, which will connect to the Dutch offshore windfarm, Nederwiek 3.

LionLink will help make the UK's energy supply more secure by increasing the amount of electricity that can be shared between countries. Energy security is a growing priority, and stronger cooperation with European nations will play a key role for the UK.

Summary of works

We are undertaking non-intrusive surveys as a continuation of previous surveys to confirm ground conditions. These surveys are building on the extensive work already carried out.

All survey techniques being undertaken are **non-intrusive**, meaning they do not require excavation or significant disturbance to the ground. Any activity below the surface will be limited to the top 10cm of soil.

You may see specialist contractor teams transporting lightweight equipment and carrying out temporary investigation works, such as laying electrodes for measuring geophysical activity.

Duration of works

The surveys are expected to commence week commencing **12 October 2026** and will take **up to 14 days to complete**.

Where practicable, we have planned the programme to avoid the October half-term period, recognising that visitor numbers and tourism activity in the area may be higher. The non-intrusive surveys will take place at three locations on or nearby Public Right of Way (PRoW) 19 in Walberswick.

We will issue letters to households and businesses close to the survey locations with further information about the works.

The works will be carried out **Monday to Friday during daylight hours**.

We will keep the local community updated on progress via the surveys page on our dedicated project website.

Access

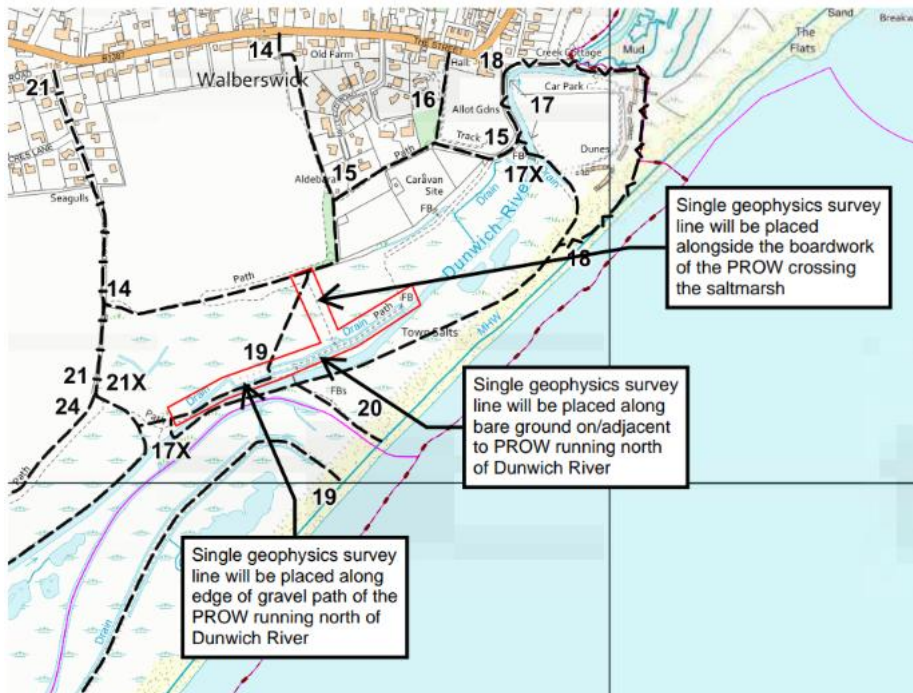
The surveys will be undertaken near the landfall site (G3). The survey areas will be accessed on foot from Walberswick, with a trolley used to transfer equipment.

No work on the beach is required as part of these surveys.

The surveys will take place adjacent to public rights of way. Pedestrian access will be maintained safely throughout the works. If pedestrians need to pass the work area during a survey, testing will be paused to allow them to pass safely.

Clear signage will be in place, and site staff will marshal the area during the works.

All rights of access have been agreed with landowners.



Contact us

We will aim to keep disruption to a minimum. If you have any further questions about our upcoming surveys, you can contact our team in the following ways:

- **Email us** – Send an email to info@lionlink.nationalgrid.com
- **Call us** – You can contact the team on 0800 083 1787 (Mon - Fri, 9am-5.30pm)
- **Write to us** – Letters can be posted free of charge to Freepost NGV LionLink (no further postage required)

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