

27 August 2026

Dear Customer,

Installation of electricity cables from Chessington – Kingston

UK Power Networks runs and operates the electricity network delivering power to your area. We are currently undertaking a project to improve and upgrade underground cables between our substations in Chessington and Kingston. The work is part of our ongoing investment in the network to maintain reliable power supplies.

Duct laying by Horizontal Directional Drill

The final section of duct laying on Villiers Road will take place under the Hogsmill River. This will be completed by Horizontal Directional Drill, with two work sites set up either side of the river. The table below shows the location, dates, and traffic management for this phase of work:

Location	Dates	Traffic Management
From the junction with Dawson Road to the junction with Portland Road.	11 September to 1 October 2026	Multi-way lights installed around our works area. Some parking bays suspended.

Cable installation

With duct laying between our two substations almost complete, we are preparing to return to specific intervals along the full route to install joint bays where we will pull the new cables into place within the ducts and connect them to our electricity network.

The table below includes the location, date, and traffic management plan for the installation of a joint bay on Villiers Road:

Location	Dates	Traffic Management
From 71-77 Villiers Road	21 September to 28 October 2026	Two-way lights installed around our works area. Some parking bays suspended.

Access to properties will be maintained, and the site team will work with residents and businesses to understand their access and delivery needs and plan the daily works with the least disruption possible.

Our working hours are from 8am to 5pm Monday to Saturday and should have no impact on your electricity supply.

Public information event

Following well attended information events in January 2026 during the duct laying phase of works, we are holding another session for residents to speak to the project team about the cable installation phase.

Date: Thursday 17 September

Time: 6pm – 8pm

Location: Duke of Buckingham, Villiers Road, KT1 3BB

Keeping you updated

For live updates or more information, please visit our webpage by scanning the QR code at the bottom of the letter or via www.ukpowernetworks.co.uk/chessington-to-kingston.

We have worked closely with the local authority in planning these works and apologise for any inconvenience caused. If you have any questions, please contact our customer care team on **0800 028 4587** Monday to Friday 08:30 – 17:00, or care@ukpowernetworks.co.uk.

Yours sincerely,

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