



# Investing in Scarborough

# Powering the region

**At Northern Powergrid our teams work 24/7 to manage the electricity network that powers everyday life for our 8 million customers across 3.9 million homes and businesses in the North East, Yorkshire and northern Lincolnshire.**



We understand the important role a safe, reliable power network has in supporting communities, local businesses and visitors. That's why we're investing to improve the quality and resilience of our network in Scarborough.

We're about to start a **£1 million** investment programme to improve the reliability of the town's electricity supply. Taking place between **late August 2020 and the end of 2021**, this work focuses on replacing **7km of high voltage underground electricity cabling** dating back to the 1960s with a more modern and sustainable alternative. This new cabling will be capable of meeting any future increase in the demand for power as the town develops, the population grows and more people swap their cars for electric vehicles.

Overleaf you'll find an overview of where we'll be working. This work is being delivered by our contractor, O'Connor Utilities and will involve us excavating in the road to install the new cabling.

We're working closely with North Yorkshire County Council to ensure this work causes as little disruption as possible and we're committed to keeping local people informed. We'll write to those directly affected by the works and will be sharing information through local and social media.

We're not planning to turn anyone's power off during these works and it's unlikely we'll need access to premises. We'll also make sure we maintain pedestrian access to properties and that businesses can make arrangements to continue to receive their deliveries.

We'll be sharing more information about this investment in the months ahead. In the meantime, thank you for your patience while we carry out this important investment work to improve your local power network.

*Mike*

**Mike Hammond**  
General Manager,  
North Yorkshire Region



## Investing in Scarborough:

 **£1m**

investment in the town



**9**  
electricity substations upgraded

 **1/2**

half of our customers in  
Scarborough will benefit  
from improved reliability

 **7km**

is the length of the route  
we'll be working along

## Meet the team



**Simon Dunn**  
Programme Manager

Simon is responsible for the overall management of all our work in the wider Scarborough area.



**Andrew Staveley**  
Delivery Engineer

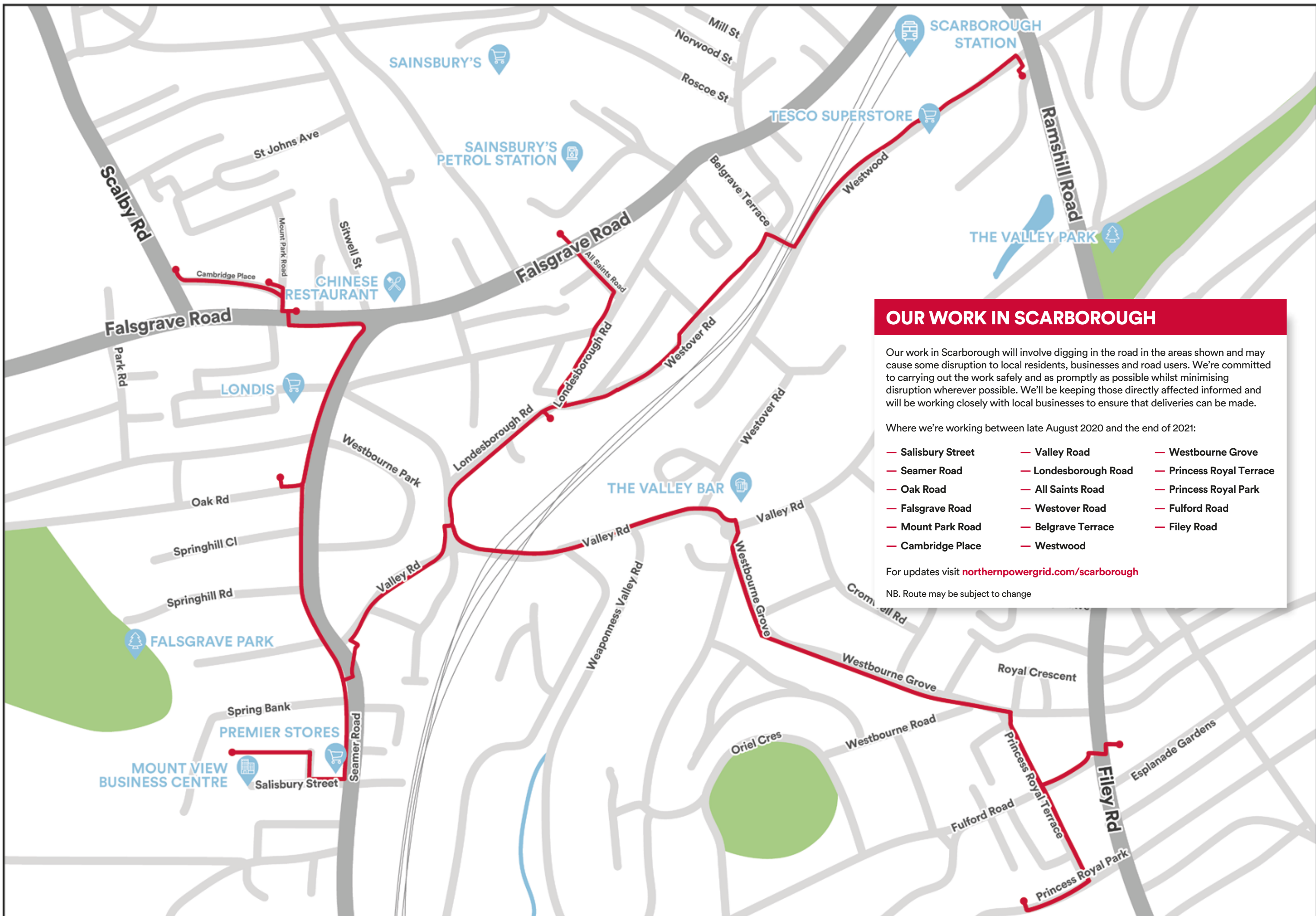
Andrew will work with our contractors to deliver our programme of work in Scarborough.



**Lynne Papadimitriou**  
Customer Care  
Operations Manager

Lynne and her team are committed to responding to your enquiries about the work we're doing in Scarborough.





## Find out more

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