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Jean Gammons
North Cray Residents Association

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Dear Ms Gammons,

National Grid London Power Tunnels 2 - public information event

I am writing to you in your position as secretary of North Cray Residents Association.

We are planning to build a new network of tunnels deep below the surface in South London, between our sites at Wimbledon and New Cross, and New Cross and Hurst. The tunnels will carry high voltage electricity cables.

The works are essential in order to replace existing electricity circuits which are coming towards the end of their useful life. By placing the cables in deep underground tunnels, we will reduce disruption to the local area.

As part of this work, we will need to build a tunnel shaft and headhouse at our existing Hurst substation, accessed via Stable Lane/Vicarage Road. The shaft is needed to help build the tunnel and the headhouse will cover the shaft and will be used as an access point once the tunnel is built.

These works should be carried out under our permitted development rights and we would like to invite you to a public information event to explain our works at this site and the wider project. You will also be able to learn about the wider project. The event will take place on **Monday 9 April from 2pm to 8pm** at **Bexley Village Library, Bourne Road, Bexley, DA5 1LU**. Members of the project team will be available at the event to talk you through our plans and answer any questions you might have.

These works form part of our investment to ensure a continued safe and secure supply of electricity to the capital.

I hope that you are able to attend the information event, but in the meantime if you have any questions please don't hesitate to contact us on 0800 783 2855 or email nationalgrid@londonpowertunnels.co.uk.

Yours sincerely,

Phil Clements

Project Development Manager

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