

BUILDING THE ORIEL PROJECT (ONSHORE)



The Oriel project will be connected into Ireland's energy grid via a cable that will come onshore close to Dunany Point. The preferred route would see the cable placed underground, mainly under public roads, to a substation about 3km to the east of Ardee. At this point, the substation will connect to existing power lines.

The preferred route was chosen to minimise environmental impact, avoid disruption to the local community and to negate traffic disruption where possible.

The route is approximately 20 km long. Construction will be similar to any other utilities work, with a traffic management plan in place to reduce disruption as much as possible. We are engaging on a one-to-one basis with homeowners adjacent to the route to ensure we address their particular needs.