

NOTICE TO MARINERS

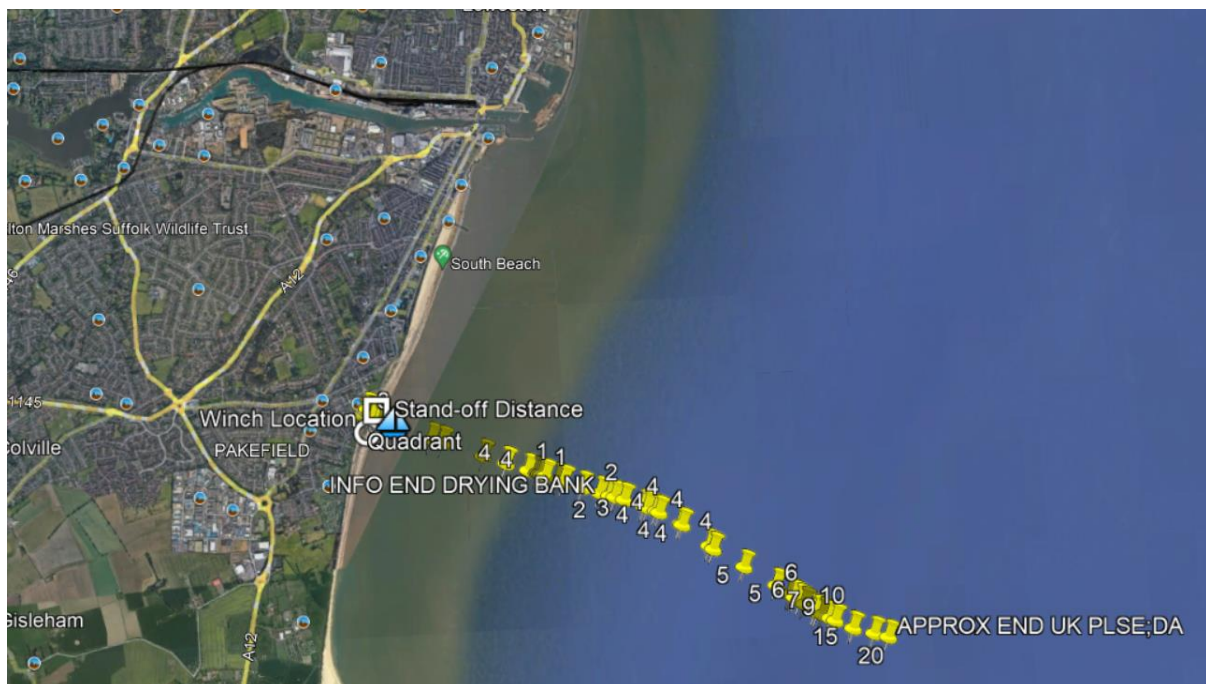
Submarine Cable Installation – Lowestoft Southern Approaches

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Mariners and Port-Users are advised that works are planned to install a submarine cable in an area from Pakefield (below Church) to South of the entrance of the Stanford channel. Work is planned to commence 26th March 2022.

The cable route is shown on the chartlet below. The eastern part of the route passes approx. 0.1 nm south of the Newcome Sand (Q.R) Lightbuoy. The route is approximately 1.5km from Lowestoft from

52° 26.100 N, 001° 47.526 E westwards to 52° 27.077' N, 001° 44.190 E



Works will involve vessels laying/ trenching cable, support craft, CTV transiting to/from Lowestoft, local guard vessel and a dive vessel. Marine craft working on this project will be:

- Gundog – Lay
- Voe Vanguard – lay and trenching
- CRC Lodestar – CTV
- Edradour – Dive vessel
- 2 x open RHIB
- Moremma – Guard vessel

Current schedule of works are:

- Pre lay grapnel run – 26/03/2022 -27/03/2022
- Cable beach pull in – 14/04/2022 – 16/04/2022
- Cable lay – 16/04/2022 – 18/04/2022
- Cable trenching – 18/04/2022 – 22/04/2022

Vessels will be monitoring VHF Ch16.

Vessels transiting this area are requested to pass the works/vessels at slow speed, and to afford them as wide a berth as is safe and practicable.

Please contact Lowestoft Port Control, VHF Ch14, or Tel. 01502 572286 Option 3, if further information is required.

Divisional Harbour Master East Anglia

19 March 2022

Notice to Mariners Currently in Force:

2006 No.5 **2007** No.13 **2009** No.19 **2011** No.7, No.10 **2012** No.3, **2013** No.17, No.19, **2015** No.24 **2016** No.12 **2017** No.5, No.22, No.24, No.32 **2019** No.2, No.18 **2020** No.17, No.24, No.26, No.29, No.40, No.43, No.44, No.47, No.50, **2021** No.01, No.40, No.51, No.54, No.57, No.58, **2022** No.1, No.2, No. 3, No. 10, No. 13.

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