

The map illustrates the proposed power distribution network for the West End and Cathedral Square areas. It shows three main routes connecting two substations: West End and Cathedral Square.

- Route 1 (Orange line):** Connects West End to Cathedral Square via Burrard St, Hornby St, Howe St, Georgia St, Pender St, and Hastings St.
- Route 2 (Green line):** Connects West End to Cathedral Square via Burrard St, Nelson St, Granville St, Seymour St, Richards St, Hamilton St, and Beatty St.
- Route 3 (Red line):** Connects West End to Cathedral Square via Burrard St, Nelson St, and Howe St.

The map also shows various streets, including Burrard St, Nelson St, Georgia St, Pender St, Hastings St, Cordova St, Homer St, Dunsmuir St, and Drake St. Highway markers for 7A, 99, and 1A are visible. A legend in the bottom right corner identifies the routes, substations, and maintenance vaults.

We're planning for new underground power lines in downtown Vancouver

Learn about the routes from November 3 to November 25, 2025.

We're planning to build the West End Substation, underground next to Nelson Park, to help keep delivering clean, reliable power to Vancouver's downtown core. To deliver electricity to the new substation, we'll also need to build two new underground power lines:

- **Route 1**, which connects to an existing power line in Gastown, and
- **Route 2**, which connects to our existing Cathedral Square Substation.

We'll also build the housing for **Route 3**, but we'll only install the power line in the future, when more electricity is needed.

We expect to start this construction work no earlier than late 2027.

This fall, we're sharing information about where and how the new power lines will be constructed. Join us to learn more and take the survey to share your feedback.

Open houses		
Saturday November 8 Lord Roberts Annex 1150 Nelson St 10 am to noon	Thursday November 13 Online Register by email 6 pm to 7:30 pm	Saturday November 15 UBC Robson Square 800 Robson St 11 am to 1 pm

Can't join us at these events?

From November 3, you'll be able to find our materials and survey online:
bchydro.com/westendsub

And you're always welcome to reach us by email too
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