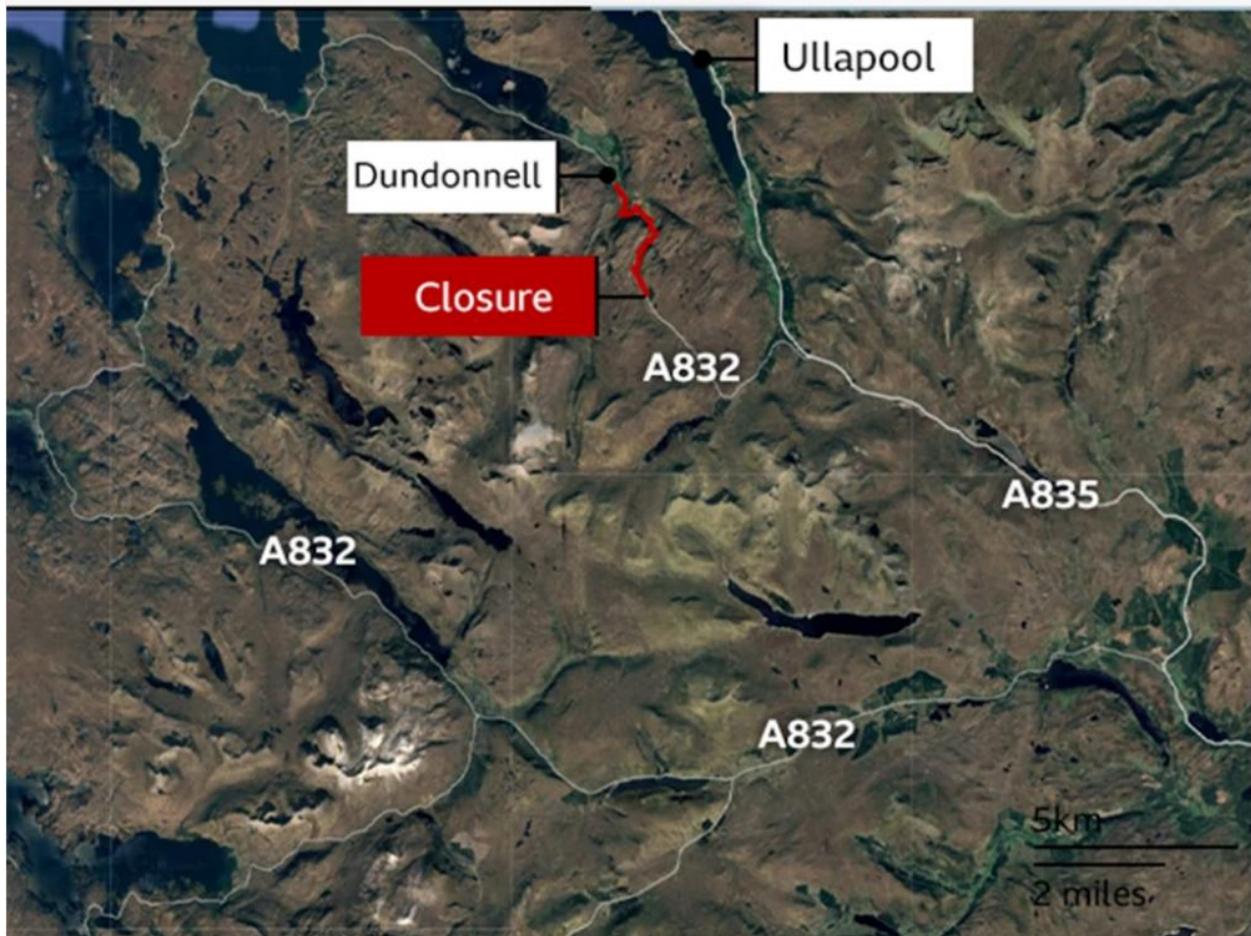


Closing a section of the A832 near Dundonnell

SSEN is closing a section of the A832 near Dundonnell on Little Loch Broom in phases for their Western Isles HVDC Link Project, with Phase 2 starting 5th January 2026, running until Spring 2026 (March/April), involving daytime closures for underground cable work, causing diversions via Gairloch/Kinlochewe. Community feedback led to revised, less disruptive plans from SSEN with single-lane access likely rather than a full closure with an 80 mile diversion. Dundonnell is on the Wester Ross trail, part of the popular 500 Route around the north of Scotland.

The proposed 80-mile diversion route



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The work involves bringing a renewable energy cable from the Western Isles ashore at Dundonnell

