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Board Direction
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The submissions on this file and the Inspector's report were considered at a Board meeting held on 22/06/2022.

The Board decided to refuse permission, generally in accordance with the Inspector's recommendation, for the following reasons and considerations.

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Having regard to the presented layout and configuration of the proposed development within the constraint for Recorded Monuments LE031-039 Church Site which is subject to statutory protection in the Record of Monuments and Places, established under section 12 of the National Monuments (Amendment) Act 1994, the development of which would involve groundworks in an area where archaeological excavations and testing have identified significant archaeological remains, it is considered that the proposed development as presented would directly impact the ecclesiastical enclosing ditch and will have detrimental impact upon the internal features identified during testing and as such would injure or interfere with a Recorded Monument, which would be contrary to Policies and Objectives in the County Development Plan 2015-2021 (Policy 106, Objective 93 and 95) and the Carrick on Shannon Local Area Plan 2010-2019 (Policy 11.3f and Objective 11.4d) to protect such sites and to ensure their continued preservation. The proposed development would, therefore, be contrary to the proper planning and sustainable development of the area.

Board Member

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Date: 01/07/2022