

**Board Direction BD-010423-22 ABP-311496-21** 

The submissions on this file and the Inspector's report were considered at a Board meeting held on 01/04/2022.

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

## Reasons and Considerations

Having regard to national policy to improve connectivity and telecommunications infrastructure in rural communities, to the objectives set out in the current Wicklow County Development Plan to facilitate the improvement of telecommunications provision in the County, to the location relatively remote from concentrations of houses and subject to the conditions set out below it is considered that the proposed development would contribute to the improvement of telecommunications in the area, be in accordance with the objectives set out in the current Wicklow County Development Plan, would not negatively impact on human health or on ecology in the area and would, otherwise, accord with the proper planning and sustainable development of the area.

Conditions

1. The development shall be carried out and completed in accordance with the

plans and particulars lodged with the application as amended by the further plans

and particulars submitted on the 23rd day of August 2021, except as may otherwise

be required in order to comply with the following conditions. Where such conditions

require details to be agreed with the planning authority, the developer shall agree

such details in writing with the planning authority prior to commencement of

development and the development shall be carried out and completed in accordance

with the agreed particulars.

Reason: In the interest of clarity.

Surface water drainage arrangements for the proposed development shall

comply with the requirements of the planning authority.

**Reason:** In the interest of public health.

A landscaping scheme for the proposed development submitted to and agreed 3.

in writing with the planning authority prior to commencement of development.

Reason: In order to provide appropriate screening for the proposed development in

the interest of visual amenity.

Details of the proposed colour scheme for the telecommunications structure,

ancillary structures and fencing shall be submitted to and agreed in writing with the

planning authority prior to the commencement of development.

Reason: In the interest of the visual amenities of the area.

5. No advertisement or advertisement structure shall be erected or displayed on the proposed structure or its appendages or within the curtilage of the site.

Reason: In the interest of the visual amenities of the area.



