

**Board Direction** BD-012972-23 ABP-313597-22

The submissions on this file and the Inspector's report were considered at a Board meeting held on 20/07/2023.

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

## Reasons and Considerations

The development the subject of the retention application, being a construction entrance and access road, is not related or linked to any current or permitted development on the lands to be accessed. In such circumstances, the Board is satisfied that a grant of planning permission for retention would be perceived as preempting a decision on any future application in terms of a positive decision, and/or, the location of accesses to the land. The Board considered that the development proposed would represent a haphazard and disorderly form of development and would be contrary to the proper planning and sustainable development of the area.

**Board Member** 

Eamonn James Kelly Date: 21/07/2023