

Our Ref: ABP-301908-18



Laurence and Geraldine Byrne
31 Clonshaugh Close
Clonshaugh
Dublin 17

Date: 20th August 2018

Re: Greater Dublin Drainage Project consisting of a new wastewater treatment plant, sludge hub centre, orbital sewer, outfall pipeline and regional biosolids storage facility
Townlands of Clonshagh, Dubber and Newtown, County Fingal and Dublin City

Dear Sir / Madam

An Bord Pleanála has received your recent submission in relation to the above mentioned proposed development and will take it into consideration in its determination of the matter. A receipt for the fee lodged is enclosed.

The Board will revert to you in due course with regard to the matter.

Please be advised that copies of all submissions / observations received in relation to the application will be made available for public inspection at the offices of Dublin City Council and Fingal County Council and at the offices of An Bord Pleanála when they have been processed by the Board.

More detailed information in relation to strategic infrastructure development can be viewed on the Board's website: www.pleanala.ie.

If you have any queries in the meantime, please contact the undersigned officer of the Board. Please quote the above mentioned An Bord Pleanála reference number in any correspondence or telephone contact with the Board.

Yours faithfully,

Kieran Somers
Executive Officer
Direct Line: 01-873 7107

An Bord Pleanála
64 Marlborough Street
Dublin 1

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TIME 12.57 BY HAND
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Received: 16/8/18
Fee: €50 Cash
Receipt No:

To whom it may concern

The proposed sewage plant mentioned above is now in the final phase of planning. We confirm that we object to the above proposed project and location. We enclose the fee of €50 with this letter. The objections are listed below:

Consultation with CLONSHAUGH:
19 November 2014

We note from the Public and Stakeholder Participation Report there was only one meeting held with the Clonshaugh residents and this was in the initial phase on 19 November 2014. There have been no further meetings and we would be a major stakeholder as the plant will be positioned only 300 meters to the nearest house. **The proposed site for this plant is much too close to the residential area, schools, hotels and other local amenities.** The size of the plant is 13,200 square meters, how can this be deemed best practice?

29 November 2017

Also, in the Public and Stakeholder Participation Report it notes a public information evening was held on 29 November in Northern Cross for Clonshaugh residents, yet no local people seem to know anything about this. Where was the notification posted for this meeting? How many people attended this session? Are there recorded minutes?

There will be increased traffic on the R139 and surrounding area, which at present is highly congested. Who is going to police traffic and stop trucks from taking short cuts through our local estate?

Odours – how are the residents of Clonshaugh and surrounding area expected to deal with what will be unacceptable odour emitting from this plant? No one can guarantee 100% that this will not happen. One more reason why this plant should be located far away from any residential area.

We would ask that An Bord Pleanála review this proposal again in the light of the issues and concerns highlighted.

Yours sincerely

 

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