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6<sup>th</sup> October 2022

Dear Sir/ Madam,

**Re:** Strategic Housing Development – Regarding the construction of 457 no. apartments, creche and associated site works at North West corner of Omni Park Shopping Centre, Santry and Santry Hall Industrial Estate, Swords Road, Dublin 9.

Irish Water has reviewed the plans and particulars submitted for this Strategic Housing Development Application and based on the details provided by the applicant to Irish Water as part of their Pre-Connection Enquiry, and on the capacity available in the local networks, Irish Water has the following observations:

## In respect of Water:

Feasible Subject to upgrades.

In order to connect the development, the connection must be made to the existing 12" watermain on Swords Road.

## **Wastewater Connection**

Feasible Subject to upgrades.

In order to accommodate the proposed connection at the Premises, upgrade works are required to increase the capacity of the Irish Water's network. Irish Water currently has a project on our current investment plan which will provide the necessary upgrade and capacity. This upgrade project is scheduled to be completed by 2026 (this may be subject to change).

## **Design Acceptance:**

The applicant (including any designers/contractors or other related parties appointed by the applicant) is entirely responsible for the design and construction of all water and/or wastewater infrastructure within the development redline boundary which is necessary to facilitate connection(s) from the boundary of the development to Irish Water's network(s) (the "Self-Lay Works"), as reflected in the applicants Design Submission. A Statement of Design Acceptance was issued by Irish Water on 19<sup>th</sup> August 2022.

## **Planning Recommendation:**

Irish Water respectfully requests the board condition(s) any grant as follows:

- 1. The applicant shall sign a connection agreement with Irish Water prior to any works commencing and connecting to the Irish Water network.
- Irish Water does not permit any build over of its assets and separation distances as per Irish Waters Standards Codes and Practices shall be achieved.
  - (a) Any proposals by the applicant to build over/near or divert existing water or wastewater services subsequently occurs, the applicant shall submit details to Irish Water for assessment of feasibility and have written confirmation of feasibility of diversion(s) from Irish Water prior to connection agreement.
- 3. All development shall be carried out in compliance with Irish Water Standards codes and practices.

Queries relating to the observations above should be sent to	<u>planning@water.ie</u>
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PP. Ali Robinson

**Yvonne Harris** 

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