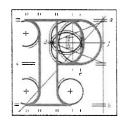
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An Bord Pleanála

Dublin City Council Civic Offices Wood Quay Dublin 8

Date: 10 October 2024

Re: Railway (Metrolink - Estuary to Charlemont via Dublin Airport) Order [2022]

Metrolink. Estuary through Swords, Dublin Airport, Ballymun, Glasnevin and City Centre to

Charlemont, Co. Dublin

Dear Sir / Madam.

An Bord Pleanála has received your recent letter in relation to the above mentioned case. The contents of your letter have been noted.

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 relation to the matter please contact the undersigned officer of the Board at laps@pleanala.ie

Please quote the above mentioned An Bord Pleanála reference number in any correspondence or telephone contact with the Board.

Yours faithfully,

Kevin McGettigan **Executive Officer**

Direct Line: 01-8737263

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Lauren Griffin

From:

Lauren Griffin

Sent:

Wednesday 9 October 2024 11:01

To:

deirdre.scully@dublincity.ie

Subject:

RE: Re: Letter to An Bord Pleanala

A Chara,

The Board acknowledges receipt of your email, official correspondence will issue in due course.

Kind regards,

Lauren

From: Deirdre Scully < deirdre.scully@dublincity.ie >

Sent: Tuesday, October 8, 2024 3:02 PM

To: LAPS laps@pleanala.ie

Subject: FW: Re: Letter to An Bord Pleanala

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Please find attached DCC submission regarding Metrolink FI. Kind regards Deirdre

Deirdre Scully BA MRUP FIPI I Phleanálaí na Cathrach I

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Please note I am not available Thursday or Friday afternoons.

Comhairle Cathrach

Dublin City Council

The Secretary
An Bord Pleanåla
64 Marlborough Street
Dublin 1
DOI V902

(Laps@pleanala.ie)

Date: 07th October 2024

Re: Dublin City Council Response to Notice of Further Information in relation to application for the Railway (Metrolink to Charlemont via Dublin Airport) Order [20221.

ABP Case Number: ABP - 314724-22.

Dear Secretary,

I refer to the above whereby in accordance with section 47D(1)(b) of the Transport (Railway Infrastructure) Act 201 1, as amended, An Bord Pleanåla instructed the National Roads Authority operating as Transport Infrastructure Ireland (T II) to make all materials submitted to the Oral Hearing which was held between 19 February 2024 — 28 March 2024, together with the revised Book of Reference submitted on 12 June 2024 available for public consultation and to invite further submissions or observations to be made in relation to it between 19 August — 8 October 2024.

I refer to Dublin City Council's written submission lodged with An Bord Pleanåla on the 30 September 2022. This submission remains current and sets out the views of Dublin City Council (DCC - a prescribed body) on the Metrolink Project and outlines the potential effects of the proposed project on the environment and the proper planning and sustainable development of the area.

I further refer to the subsequent engagement between T II and Dublin City Council in respect of agreed draft conditions (dated 15 February 2024), submitted to An Bord Pleanåla by TII, and suggested for inclusion in a future Railway Order, if granted by An Bord Pleanåla to ensure, inter alia that the project adequately addresses conservation impacts along the route as well as the potential to improve green infrastructure and pedestrian and cycle connectivity and permeability.

Dublin City Council has no additional substantive comment to make on foot of the Further Information published subsequent to the Metrolink Oral Hearing, and the Board is referred to the contents of the previous comments by the Council. The proposed project will help to achieve the strategic objectives envisaged in the City Development Plan 2022-2028

pertaining to: compact and sustainable urban growth; sustainable mobility and permeability; and place-making, while significantly contributing towards climate action. Dublin City Council is fully supportive of the project in the context of the submissions made and to the benefits it

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will bring to the City and its residents, workers and visitors in terms of increased liveability and quality of life.

Please contact the undersigned should you require any further clarification.

Yours faithfully,

Deirdre Scully
City Planning Officer.