



Aideen and Marc Marry and Others Knockbrack Naul Co. Dublin

Date: 21st December 2022

Re: Proposed development of a Circular Economy Campus and san Integrated Waste Management

Facility at the Hollywood Landfill

Hollywood Great, Nag's Head, Naul, Co. Dublin, A41 YE92

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 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,

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Objection to an application by Integrated Materials Solutions Limited Partnership for an integrated waste management facility at Hollywood Great, Nag's Head, Co Dublin

from Aideen Marry & Marc Marry, Knockbrack, Naul, Co Dublin

Dear Sirs

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I refer to the above subject application from Integrated Material Solutions Limited Partnership registration number LP1457 CRO 583070 and I wish to object on the following grounds:

• My Children have attended Hedgestown national school and the natural cycle route to their school would have been down the LP-1080, however with the lack of a cycle lane or footpath and taking into account the volume of Heavy Goods Vehicles speeding up and down the road at 80kph to the IMS facility it would have been totally negligent of me to allow them cycle to school. It is difficult enough to encourage children to be active and provide opportunities such as cycling to school when we see that the site operators and waste removal companies have no respect for local communities.

I am also forced to take my car everywhere as I cannot walk the roads around my area due to heavy trucks with little regard for pedestrians.

- I am really concerned with the proposal to store IBA, as the site is on top of a hill and is very exposed to high winds it is most likely that dust will travel for kilometres and as IBA contains a multitude of hazardous materials the health and wellbeing of our community is being put at risk.
- The area surrounding the site is zoned as High Amenity, therefore I fail to understand why an application is being made for a commercial recycling centre. There are numerous locations zoned commercially with a suitable infrastructure and are not sitting on a precious aquifer resource. What is the point in employing well educated planning professionals in the local authorities who go thru rigorous scrutiny by the councillors and seek public participation in the design and approval of County Development plans for commercial interests to ignore the wishes of the professionals and the wishes of the public by attempting to circumvent the planning system. Either we have a county development plan process and respect its integrity or do we allow a free for all by developers? This would be a retrograde step and I call upon to the Bord to respect the wishes of the people and restore some credibility back into the planning process and reject the application before you.
- Agriculture is the mainstay of this community and in the past number of years with global warming it has become more evident that producing product nearer to market is preferable and reducing CO2 emissions by eliminating long transport legs is preferable. However the proposal before the Bord is contrary to best practice and the likely damage to Fingal reputation as a farming and horticulture producers is too high a price to risk and on this basis alone the application should be rejected.

I would implore An Bord Pleanala to consider all these factors above and reject this application for the good of the children of the area, our community and our environment.

Kind Regards

Aideen Marry, Marc Marry, Ciara Marry, Niamh Marry, Aine Marry and David Marry