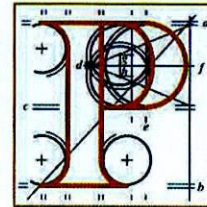


**Our Case Number: ABP-316178-23**



**An  
Bord  
Pleanála**

Gerard, Josephine and James Gallagher  
Shanvolahan  
Bellacorrick  
Ballina  
Co. Mayo

**Date:** 19 May 2023

**Re:** Proposed development of Oweninny Wind Farm Phase 3 consisting of 18 wind turbines.  
Within the townlands of Laghtanvack, Croaghaun (also known as Croaghaun West), Moneynieran,  
Corvoderry, Shanvolahan, Dooleg More, Shranakilly, Bellacorrick and Shanvodinnaun, Co. Mayo

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. Please accept this letter as a receipt for the fee of €50 that you have paid.

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 the local authority 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](http://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.

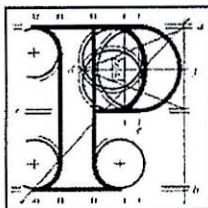
Yours faithfully,

  
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Sarah Caulfield  
Executive Officer  
Direct Line: 01-8737287

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## Planning Appeal Form

### Your details

#### 1. Appellant's details (person making the appeal)

Your full details:

(a) Name

Gerard Gallagher, Josephine Gallagher & James  
Gallagher

(b) Address

Shanvolahan Bellacorick, Ballina Co.Mayo

### Agent's details

#### 2. Agent's details (if applicable)

If an agent is acting for you, please **also** provide their details below. If you are not using an agent, please write "Not applicable" below.

(a) Agent's name

Michael Bohan Solicitor.

(b) Agent's address

7 Teeling Street Ballina, Co.Mayo



## Postal address for letters

3. During the appeal we will post information and items to you or to your agent. For this appeal, who should we write to? (Please tick ✓ one box only.)

You (the appellant) at the  
address in Part 1

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The agent at the address in  
Part 2

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## Details about the proposed development

4. Please provide details about the planning authority decision you wish to appeal. If you want, you can include a copy of the planning authority's decision as the appeal details.

**(a) Planning authority**

(for example: Ballytown City Council)

Mayo County Council

**(b) Planning authority register reference number**

(for example: 18/0123)

ABP-316178-23

**(c) Location of proposed development**

(for example: 1 Main Street, Baile Fearainn, Co Ballytown)

Oweninny Wind Farm phase 3

## Appeal details

5. Please describe the grounds of your appeal (planning reasons and arguments). You can type or write them in the space below or you can attach them separately.

Please see our Solicitors letter attached.



## Supporting material

6. If you wish you can include supporting materials with your appeal.

Supporting materials include:

- photographs,
- plans,
- surveys,
- drawings,
- digital videos or DVDs,
- technical guidance, or
- other supporting materials.

## Acknowledgement from planning authority (third party appeals)

7. If you are making a third party appeal, you **must** include the acknowledgment document that the planning authority gave to you to confirm you made a submission to it.

## Fee

8. You **must** make sure that the correct fee is included with your appeal. You can find out the correct fee to include in our Fees and Charges Guide on our website.

## Oral hearing request

9. If you wish to request the Board to hold an oral hearing on your appeal, please tick the "yes, I wish to request an oral hearing" box below.

Please note you will have to pay an **additional non-refundable fee** of €50. You can find information on how to make this request on our website or by contacting us.

If you do not wish to request an oral hearing, please tick the "No, I do not wish to request an oral hearing" box.

**Yes, I wish to request an oral hearing**

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**No, I do not wish to request an oral hearing**

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NALA has awarded this document its Plain English Mark  
Last updated: April 2019.





Bord na Mona,  
Powergen Limited,  
Main Street,  
Newbridge,  
Co. Kildare W12 XR59

Your Ref:  
Our Ref: M/N/  
16<sup>th</sup> May 2023

RE: Our Clients: Gerard Gallagher, Josephine Gallagher & James Gallagher  
Address: Shanvolahan, Bellacorick, Ballina, Co. Mayo  
Oweninny Phase 3 Windfarm planning application

Dear Sirs,

We have been requested to write to you by our above Clients in relation to the proposed construction by you of the above Windfarm close to their dwellinghouses. They have great concerns as to the personal effects which the Windturbines will have on them as well as the potential effect they will have on the value of their dwellinghouses.

According to their instructions the closest Windturbine proposed to be constructed will be within 1.5 kilometres of their houses which undoubtedly will have the following consequences for them:-

1. Noise/swish.
2. Flicker.
3. Infestation of deer on their private properties.
4. Visual impact not to mention the enormous impact of the monstrous Windturbines which we understand will be up to 200 metres high
5. Devaluation of their houses.
6. Devaluation of their land.
7. Sleep disturbance.
8. Potential effect on their health having to live with these turbines for the rest of their lives bearing in mind that our Clients have lived in the locality all their lives as have generations before them without disturbance.
9. Noise pollution which will arise during the course of construction of infrastructure.
10. Potential for dust blowing in the direction of their houses during the course of the installation of roads.

Unless the above issues are addressed our Clients will have no alternative but to lodge a formal objection to the development.

Our Clients would welcome a meeting with an official from your company, on a strictly without prejudice basis, to ascertain as to whether or not accommodation works and matters can be provided to them to resolve what undoubtedly will be future difficulties for them for the rest of their lives.

We await hearing from you without delay noting that our Clients have to make observations should they so wish on or before the 26<sup>th</sup> of May next.

Yours faithfully,

MICHAEL G. BOHAN & CO