

From: Kevin McGettigan
Sent: Thursday 2 July 2026 12:56
To: 'eiaportal@housing.gov.ie' <eiaportal@housing.gov.ie>
Subject: EIA Portal Case ACP-324410-26

To whom it may concern,

An Coimisiún Pleanála has received a **Local Authority Road Development application under Section 51 of the Roads Act, 1993 (as amended)** for the **Proposed West Clare Railway Greenway Section 1: Kilrush to Kilkee Project, Kilrush to Kilkee via Moyasta, Co. Clare** which is the subject to an EIA procedure.

Please find attached:

The completed EIA Request Form

Portal Confirmation Notice

Case page: [324410 | An Coimisiún Pleanála -](#)

If you require any further information, please do not hesitate to contact me.

Kind regards,

Kevin

Deirdre Neff

From: Housing Eiaportal <EIAportal@housing.gov.ie>
Sent: Friday 26 June 2026 09:56
To: Deirdre Neff
Subject: EIA Portal Confirmation Number: 2026106

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Dear Deirdre,

An EIA Portal notification was received on 26/06/2026 in respect of this proposed application. The information provided has been uploaded to the EIA Portal on 26/06/2026 under EIA Portal ID number 2026106 and is available to view at <https://experience.arcgis.com/experience/a1a85d92623147b191dd25a14b2571da>

Portal ID: 2026106

Competent Authority: An Coimisiún Pleanála

Applicant Name: Clare County Council

Location: The proposed development will be located across the five Electoral Divisions (ED) of Kilrush Urban, Kilrush Rural, Einagh, Kilfearagh and Kilkee.

Description: A pedestrian and cycle route and associated ancillary and consequential works, generally following the route of the former West Clare Railway repurposing the former railway infrastructure, diverting around property boundaries in certain instances.

Linear Development: No

Date Uploaded to Portal: 26/06/2026

Kindest Regards,

Hugh Wogan,

EIA Portal team

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EIA Portal

To be completed by Competent Authority

Notification to EIA Portal of application for development consent which requires Environmental Impact Assessment under Directive 2011/92/EU as amended by 2014/52/EU on the assessment of the effects of certain public and private projects on the environment.

Please download and complete this form and return it (with the attachments listed below) to EIAPortal@housing.gov.ie.

All fields marked with an asterisk must be completed.

***Name of Applicant:**

Clare County Council

***Competent Authority email address:**

For correspondence. This will not be published on the EIA portal.

laps@pleanala.ie

***Contact phone number:**

This number will not be published on the EIA portal.

018588100

Contact person:

This name will not be published on the EIA portal.

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***Location of proposed development:**

Where appropriate, a specific address should be given - with Eircode, if available. Where the address exceeds the space provided, it should be given in general terms, as the proposed public notice will be visible on the EIA Portal to give more precise information.

Kilrush to Kilkee via Moyasta, Co. Clare

***Description of proposed development:**

Where the description of the proposed development would exceed the space provided, it should be given in general terms, with sufficient information to assist members of the public understand what is proposed. The proposed public notice will be visible on the EIA Portal to give more precise information.

Proposed West Clare Railway Greenway Section 1: Kilrush to Kilkee Project

***Competent authority to which the application is being/will be made:**

Where development consent from more than one competent authority, separate notification to the EIA Portal will be required for each application.

An Bord Pleanála



***Competent authority reference:**

Include the unique file reference no. assigned to this application by the competent authority

ACP-324410-26

***Link to application:**

URL link to the relevant file and/or information on the competent authority website

<https://www.westclarerailwaygreenway.ie/section-1>

***Link to documents:**

URL link(s) to any documents (including EIA report) associated with the application, if such documents are not already available on the competent authority website through the URL link provided under "Link to Application" above

<https://www.westclarerailwaygreenway.ie/section-1>

***Is this a linear development (e.g. road, pipeline, transmission cable)? 'Yes' or 'No'**

No

Please confirm documentation being attached and returned with this form to EIAPortal@housing.gov.ie

(Please note that the maximum total size allowable for your email plus all attachments is 18MB)

Searchable copy of proposed public notice (e.g. searchable PDF):

Typically, this will be the electronic file you have prepared to submit to newspapers

Searchable copy of site map (in PDF format):

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Yes I have read the disclaimer