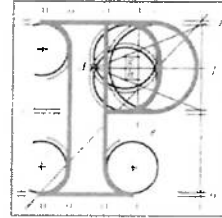


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BASICC CLG  
c/o Kieran Doherty  
BASICC CLG  
Ballybofey & Stranorlar

**Date:** 25 September 2026

**Re:** Proposed Development of the Barnesmore Gap Greenway Project  
County Donegal

Dear Sir / Madam,

An Coimisiún Pleanála has received your recent submission (including your fee of €50) in relation to the above-mentioned proposed road development and will take it into consideration in its determination of the matter.

Please note that the proposed road development shall not be carried out unless the Commission has approved it or approved it with modifications.

If you have any queries in the meantime, please contact the undersigned officer of the Commission at [laps@pleanala.ie](mailto:laps@pleanala.ie)

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

Yours faithfully,

Lauren Griffin  
Executive Officer  
Direct Line: 01-8737244

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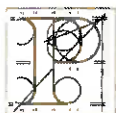
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## SID Online Observation

Online Reference  
SID-OBS-006106

### Online Observation Details

Contact Name  
Eunan Quinn

Lodgement Date  
25/09/2026 10:34:32

Case Number / Description  
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### Payment Details

Payment Method  
Online Payment

Cardholder Name  
Eunan Quinn

Payment Amount  
€50.00

### Fee Refund Requisition

Please Arrange a Refund of Fee of

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Lodgement No

LDG—

Reason for Refund

Documents Returned to Observer

☐ Yes ☐ No

Request Emailed to Senior Executive Officer for Approval

☐ Yes ☐ No

Signed

EO

Date

### Finance Section

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EO/AA (Accounts Section)

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Refund Date

Authorised By (1)

SEO (Finance)

Authorised By (2)

Chief Officer/Director of Corporate Affairs/SAO/Board  
Member

Date

Date



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**To Whom It May Concern,**

**Re: Letter of Support – Proposed Greenway through Ballybofey & Stranorlar**

On behalf of **BASICC CLG (Ballybofey & Stranorlar Integrated Community Company)**, we wish to formally express our strong support for the development of the proposed Greenway through Ballybofey and Stranorlar.

BASICC is committed to supporting the sustainable social, economic and physical development of the Twin Towns, and we believe the Greenway represents a significant long-term opportunity for Ballybofey, Stranorlar and the wider East Donegal area.

The development of a high-quality Greenway would provide a number of important benefits to our community, including improved opportunities for walking and cycling, healthier and more active lifestyles, better connectivity and the creation of safe and attractive recreational infrastructure for residents and visitors.

From a tourism perspective, the Greenway also has considerable potential. Ballybofey and Stranorlar are strategically located within Donegal and can provide an important stopping point and service centre for visitors using the Greenway. Increased visitor numbers have the potential to support local cafés, restaurants, accommodation providers, shops and other businesses, while encouraging visitors to spend more time within the Twin Towns.

The Greenway can also help connect our town centres with existing and future recreational, community and tourism amenities and provide opportunities for further investment in public realm, walking and cycling infrastructure.

BASICC recognises that major infrastructure projects require careful planning and consideration of landowners, businesses, residents, environmental matters and existing community facilities. We would encourage continued engagement with all affected stakeholders as the project progresses.

Subject to these considerations, BASICC views the Greenway as a **positive and important piece of strategic infrastructure for the future of Ballybofey and Stranorlar**. It has the potential to contribute significantly to sustainable transport, recreation, tourism, economic activity and the overall attractiveness of the Twin Towns as a place to live, work, visit and invest.

BASICC therefore welcomes the progression of the Greenway and supports its development as an important long-term investment in Ballybofey, Stranorlar and the wider region.

Yours sincerely,

**Kieran Doherty**

Chairperson

**BASICC CLG**

Ballybofey & Stranorlar