

James English 16 Haverty Road Marino Dublin 3 D03V078

Date: 15 June 2022

Re: BusConnects Clongriffin to City Centre Core Bus Corridor Scheme

County Dublin

Dear Sir / Madam,

An Bord Pleanála has received your recent submission in relation to the above-mentioned proposed road development and will take it into consideration in its determination of the matter. A receipt for the fee lodged is enclosed.

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

The Board has also received an application for confirmation of a compulsory purchase order which relates to this proposed road development. The Board has discretion to hold an oral hearing in respect of any application before it. Accordingly, the Board will inform you in due course on this matter. The Board shall also make a decision on both applications at the same time.

If you have any queries in relation to this matter 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.

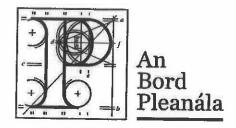
Yours faithfully,

Niamh Thornton Executive Officer

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## **SID Online Observation**

Online Reference: (SID-OBS-000048)

## **Online Observation Details**

Contact Name:	James English
Lodgement Date:	26/05/2022 22:35:27
Case Number / Description:	NTA Bus Connects Clongriffin to City Centre Core Bus Corridor Scheme Compulsory Purchase Order 2022 In particular, all rights of vehicular traffic, (except pedal cycles or other bicycles) over that section of the public right of way on Haverty Road and St Aidan's Park Road in the county of Dublin and between the lines BA1 and BA2, shown colour green on the Deposit Map reference 0001-DM-0011.

## **Payment Details**

Payment Method:	Online Payment	
Cardholder Name:	Mary Ann English	
Payment Amount:	€50.00	

Date: 26th May 2022

Name: James English

Address (for all communications): 16 Haverty Road, Marino, Dublin 3, D03 V078

Application: NTA Bus Connects Clongriffin to City Centre Core Bus Corridor Scheme Compulsory

Purchase Order 2022

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The following are my reasons and arguments in support of this application:

- Safer road for everyone, especially for children, vulnerable pedestrians and mobility aid users and cyclists
- 2. Changes to road design to deter traffic encourages pedestrian and cycle movement and promotes a better sense of community
- 3. Eradication of rat-running traffic through Haverty Road, Carlton Road and Brian Road (50-60 motor vehicles and motorbikes travelling at speed at peak times)
- 4. There are currently 17 children under the age of 12 on Haverty Road.
- The road is used every day by school children coming and going from St Joseph's primary and secondary school.
- 6. There is ample room at the junction of Haverty Road/St Aiden's Park Road at the proposed location for a turnaround area for motorists, emergency services and other services that are currently challenged by the number of cars and vans parked on corners.
  There are already several roads in Marino where this works successfully.

See evidence to support point 3 above:

Watch "Illegal Right Turns at Marino Park Ave Haverty Road Junction" on YouTube

https://youtu.be/e5wFnMI6qJg

James English