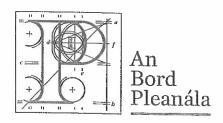
Our Case Number: ABP-314056-22



Our Lady of the Assumption Parish 197 Kylemore Road Ballyfermot Dublin 10 D10P659

Date: 24 August 2022

Re: Liffey Valley to City Centre Core Bus Corridor Scheme. Fonthill Road to High Street all in the County of 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.

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 absolute discretion to hold an oral hearing in respect of any application before it, in accordance with section 218 of the Planning and Development Act 2000, as amended. 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.

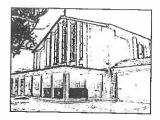
Please quote the above-mentioned An Bord Pleanála reference number in any correspondence or telephone contact with the Board.

Yours faithfully,

Niamh Thornton Executive Officer

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RE: Liffey Valley to City Centre Core Bus Corridor Scheme — Compulsory Purchase Order — Plot List: 1026(1).1e

To whom it concerns,

I wish to register my objection to the proposed compulsory purchase order referred to above, and in the attached literature.

The area of land concerned is a wide pedestrian area (and includes car park space)s, at the main front gate entrance to the church of Our Lady of the Assumption in Ballyfermot, Dublin 10. There is some uncertainly as to whether ownership of the said area is in the portfolio of Dublin City Council or St. Laurence O'Toole Diocesan Trust or is shared by both.

This piece of land facilitates the entry and exit of thousands of pedestrians, and some vehicular traffic of disabled users and funeral vehicles, that access services in the church on a daily basis, 365 days of the year. I believe that the proposed plan to change the nature of this space will impact hugely on the health and safety of those who access the church, many of whom are vulnerable, elderly, or with a disability and will impact on our ability to provide services to those who attend our parish church.

Insofar as it is relevant, I also wish to object to the proposed removal of the roundabout nearby and the plan to replace it with a signalled junction. This roundabout facilitates the flow of an enormous amount of traffic, including buses, and does it incredibly well. There are rarely, if ever, any tailbacks at the various entries and exits on this roundabout. It works brilliantly and does what it's supposed to do. In my view, replacing it with a signalled junction will create traffic chaos, long tailbacks and delays and lend to associated dangers. The roundabout is also one of the defining, physical features of Ballyfermot and should remain as such.

Yours sincerely,

Very Rev. Fr. Adrian Egan, C.Ss.R., PP at Assumption Church and Parish



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FORM OF NOTICE OF THE MAKING OF A COMPULSORY PURCHASE ORDER UNDER SECTION 76 OF AND THE THIRD SCHEDULE TO THE HOUSING ACT 1966, AS EXTENDED BY SECTION 10 OF THE LOCAL GOVERNMENT (No. 2) ACT 1960, TO BE SERVED ON OWNERS, LESSEES AND OCCUPIERS IN ACCORDANCE WITH ARTICLE 4(b) OF THE THIRD SCHEDULE TO THE HOUSING ACT 1966 AS AMENDED BY THE PLANNING AND DEVELOPMENT ACT 2000 (AS AMENDED) AND UNDER SECTION 213 OF THE PLANNING AND DEVELOPMENT ACT 2000 (AS AMENDED), SECTION 184 OF THE LOCAL GOVERNMENT ACT 2001 AND SECTION 44 OF THE DUBLIN TRANSPORT AUTHORITY ACT 2008 (AS AMENDED)

COMPULSORY ACQUISITION OF LAND

"Liffey Valley to City Centre Core Bus Corridor Scheme Compulsory Purchase Order 2022"

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