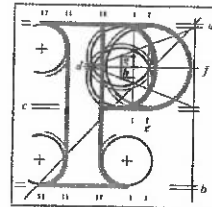


Our Case Number: ABP-314597-22

Your Reference: Yeats College



**An
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GormanCad Limited
Chartered Architectural Technologist Practice
16 Dunard
Craughwell
Co. Galway

Date: 01 December 2022

Re: BusConnects Galway Cross-City Link Scheme.
University Road to Dublin Road, Galway City.

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 be advised that landowners listed on the Compulsory Purchase Order schedule associated with this application are not required to pay the €50 fee associated with this case. As you are listed as a landowner, a refund of €50 will be issued to the debit/credit card used to make payment for this submission.

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.

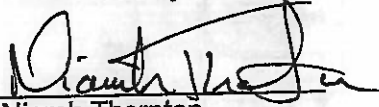
If you have any queries in relation to this matter please contact the undersigned officer of the Board.

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

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Observation on

Case reference: HA61.314597

314597: University Road to Dublin Road, Galway City.

Galway City Council

Description BusConnects Galway Cross-City Link Scheme.

Case type LA Road Dev – Application

Parties Galway City Council (Applicant)

Dear Sirs / Madam,

We are writing to make an observation on the above application on behalf of Yeats College, College Road, Galway City.

As part of this traffic system proposal, they have proposed that a gated access with restrictions to certain traffic movement at College Road which could see a potential traffic build-up if the necessary turning capability is not incorporated into the layout at this location, for example the introduction of a mini-roundabout. Otherwise, you have potential of multiple vehicles undertaking two point turns or similar manoeuvres on the main road to allow them to make their return journey up college road and to make their way to the desired route proposed by Galway City Council.

As this restricted access is to the immediacy of Yeats College this current layout proposal appears that it would have a detrimental impact in the accessibility of Yeats College for staff, Parents, students, school visitors, potential emergency services and school deliveries.

Yours sincerely,

Noel Gorman – GormanCad Limited – Planning Agent


Observation submitted on behalf of Yeats College (Mr. Terry Fahy).