

DFI Strategic Planning Division
Clarence Court
10-18 Adelaide Street
Belfast
BT2 8GB

Date: 03/02/2022

Dear Sir/Madam

Application Reference: LA11/2021/1211/TBA

Description of Proposal: Proposed Riverine Pedestrian and Cycle Bridge
Location: Between Station Road, Lifford, Co. Donegal and Strabane, Co. Tyrone
Applicant: An Bord Pleanala

Derry City and Strabane District Council (DCSDC) Planning Department acknowledges receipt of your consultation dated 11th January 2022, the details of which were presented to Planning Committee Members for consideration on 2nd February 2022.

Members of DCSDC Planning Committee are aware of the overall Riverine Project which straddles the border between the Republic of Ireland and Northern Ireland which includes the pedestrian footbridge connecting the two sides.

In response to this consultation regarding the proposed pedestrian and cycle bridge, Members would be supportive of the proposed development and acknowledge the cross community benefits that the overall project will make for the wider area.

Yours faithfully

for **John Kelpie**

Chief Executive

Derry City and Strabane District Council