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Re: N6 Galway City Ring Road

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Dear Sir / Madam

The Galway City Business Association (GCBA) takes this opportunity to confirm our Association's support of the N6 Galway City Ring Road.

We are of the opinion that this important piece of infrastructure will:

- stimulate economic growth in Galway city and county;
- safeguard existing jobs;
- · remove unnecessary traffic from the city centre;
- enable the delivery of more sustainable development plans and solutions;
- improve residents and visitors Galway experience and enhance wellbeing.

The GCBA echoes Galway Chamber of Commerce's observation that the development of the N6 Galway City Ring Road is essential for the future economic prosperity of Galway city and the greater western region.

The GCBA represents 120 members with a diverse range of business interests across the retail, F&B and the services sectors. Our Members play fundamental roles in creating employment, investing in and making Galway City the success it is today. We want businesses to succeed in the best possible environment for growth and contribution.

In this regard the Galway City Business Association fully supports the delivery of the N6 Galway City Ring Road and sees it as an essential infrastructural project for Galway.

Representatives from the GCBA are avail to present to the oral hearing as required.

Yours sincerely

Cormac McGuckian
Chairperson
Galway City Business Association