Our Case Number: ABP-316272-23

Planning Authority Reference Number:



Cllr. Lynn McCrave SDCC County Hall Tallaght Dublin 24 D24 A3XC

Date: 22 August 2023

Re: Bus Connects Templeogue/Rathfarnham to City Centre Core Bus Corridor Scheme

Templeogue/Rathfarnham to City Centre

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 accept this letter as a receipt for the fee of €50 that you have paid.

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 at laps@pleanala.ie

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

Yours faithfully,

Eimear Reilly Executive Officer

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Peace Commissioner



15th August 2023

An Bord Pleanála 64 Marlborough St Dublin 1

Rathfarnham/Templeogue Bus Corridor

To whom it may concern

As a Councillor of the Rathfarnham/Templeogue Area, I wish to support Rathfarnham Wood Residents Association and Beaufort Downs Residents Association on their submissions on 2 issues requiring to be looked at regarding BusConnects from Rathfarnham Road R114 to R115/R821 junction.

- 1) The number of trees to be taken out for such a short section and the granite wall opposite St. Mary's Boys School.
- 2) The number of bats and their rooks been removed plus the natural habitat of so many other animals and ducks to be lost out on, in their natural woodlands and area of significance to the people of DSW, who walk and live beside Rathfarnham Castle Park.

In support of Woodview Cottages Residents Association, Church Lane, my submission raises the point of moving the BusConnects Depot from the R112 Dodder View Rd to a more suitable location in the area thus not disturbing the significant Historical knowledge it holds. The serious dust falling on residents continuously for years while Construction takes place, with Asthma and Pulmonary conditions, is by no means desirable.

I give overall support to increase the public transport within the Templeogue/Rathfarnham Area along with Recorder Residents Association, but in their submission amongst numerous issues, BusConects gives a severe rise of concern for the DSW area going forward, with no Metro.

I wish to support the many submissions made by Residents Groups and individuals on this point and hope that an Bord Pleanála will look favorably on their position.

Kind regards

Lynn
Cllr. Lynn McCrave Peace Commissioner
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