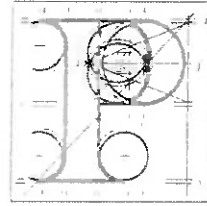


Our Case Number: ABP-316828-23



**An
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Cathy Mooney & Others - Stannaway Road Residents
73 Stannaway Road
Dublin 12
D12A3E6

Date: 20 March 2024

Re: Tallaght/Clondalkin to City Centre BusConnect Core Bus Corridor Scheme.
Tallaght/Clondalkin to Dublin City.

Dear Sir / Madam,

An Bord Pleanála has received your recent email in relation to the above mentioned proposed road development. The contents of your email have been noted.

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,

Lauren Griffin
Executive Officer
Direct Line: 01-8737244

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Lauren Griffin

From: LAPS
Sent: Tuesday 19 March 2024 08:57
To: Stannaway Road
Subject: RE: ABP-316828-23: Tallaght/Clondalkin to City Centre BusConnect Core Bus Corridor Scheme

A Chara,

The Board acknowledges receipt of your email, official acknowledgement will issue in due course.

Kind regards,

Lauren

From: Stannaway Road [REDACTED]
Sent: Monday, March 18, 2024 5:09 PM
To: LAPS <laps@pleanala.ie>
Subject: ABP-316828-23: Tallaght/Clondalkin to City Centre BusConnect Core Bus Corridor Scheme

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Planning Officer,
Planning Department,
Sent via email

Date of Submission of Application: 28.04.2023
Date of Submission of Observations: 26.06.2023
Date of 2nd Submission of Observations: 18.03.2024
Planning Application Reference: HA29N.316828
Case Number: ABP-316828-23
Applicant: National Transport Authority (Applicant)
Description of Development: Tallaght/Clondalkin to City Centre BusConnect Core Bus Corridor Scheme
Observer: Stannaway Road Residents
Observer Contact: Cathy Mooney, 73 Stannaway Road, Dublin 12, D12A3E6 - 0879690258

Dear Sirs/Madams,

I am emailing to submit the following observations in relation to the planning application submitted on 28.04.2023 by the National Transport Authority (Applicant) for Planning Reference Number HA29N.316828 / ABP-316828-23 - Tallaght/Clondalkin to City Centre BusConnect Core Bus Corridor Scheme.

I am representing the concerns of a number of residents on Stannaway Road who are deeply troubled by the potential impact of the proposed Tallaght/Clondalkin to City Centre BusConnect Core Bus Corridor Scheme, specifically in regard to the significant increase in traffic volumes. We urge the An Bord Pleanala to thoroughly assess and address these concerns during the planning process.

The primary concern lies in the natural redirection of traffic from the main arterial roads of Kildare Road and Clogher Road, as a result of the reconfiguration of traffic along both roads, to the neighbouring residential roads mainly to Stannaway Road. The reconfiguration of Clogher Road and Kildare Road will result in traffic flowing to Stannaway Road for locals to access the area. Additionally Stannaway Road will provide an alternative route for commuter and commercial traffic (LVGs and HVGs). Residents are also concerned that during the period of infrastructure works Stannaway Road will be significantly impacted by both increased volume of construction traffic and re-directed commuter and commercial traffic.

The residential road of Stannaway Road is not designed to handle heavy traffic as the road is narrow, has high-density 2-up-2-down housing, and on-street residential parking. There will be an exacerbation of existing unresolved issues of rat-running, speeding, non-compliance of HVG restrictions and the notable disregard of time limited No Turn onto Ferns road. Residents will be subjected to negatively impacted journey times on the no. 83 bus, noise pollution, heightened levels of air pollutants, and compromised road safety, which will result in increased challenges and burdens on the residents' daily lives. Furthermore, the sustained exposure to these unfavourable conditions raises legitimate concerns regarding the overall well-being and quality of life experienced by the affected communities.

No community engagement took place by the NTA with local residents in relation to Tallaght/Clondalkin to City Centre BusConnect Core Bus Corridor Scheme. Nor was there engagement to understand and incorporate feedback of the consequences of the cumulative impact of both the Tallaght/Clondalkin bus corridor and Kimmage bus corridor on Stannaway Road. We disagree with any suggestion that the impact on the community will be minimal and believe that it will have significant short-term, medium-term, and long-term consequences. It is our belief that the proposal, in its current form, will disproportionately burden the local community. Stannaway Road will bear heavy consequences of the combined effect of both the Tallaght/Clondalkin to City Centre BusConnect Core Bus Corridor Scheme and the Kimmage - City Centre BusConnect Core Bus Corridor Scheme. Mitigation measures such as making Stannaway Road a bus corridor with local access only, speed restrictions, enforced existing traffic restrictions, increased number of pedestrian cross-roads/traffic lights, raised intersections, have not been proposed. We believe if the proposed bus corridor is implemented without appropriate mitigation measures, it will exacerbate the existing problems and make an already challenging situation untenable for residents.

We sincerely hope that our observations will be taken into consideration and result in an improved plan that addresses the concerns of all stakeholders involved in the Tallaght/Clondalkin to City Centre BusConnect Core Bus Corridor Scheme.

Yours faithfully,

Stannaway Road Residents

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Michelle Bourke-Girgis 26 Stannaway Road
Patrick and Linda Brennan 35 Stannaway Road
Ann Spain 39 Stannaway Road
Trish McPhee 57 Stannaway Road
Jennifer Walsh 64 Stannaway Road
Seamus Donaghy 71 Stannaway Road
Cathy Mooney 73 Stannaway Road
John O'Mahony & Victoria Romero 75 Stannaway Road
Sharon Davis 81 Stannaway Road
Bill Aspil & Olive Kelly 97 A Stannaway Road
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Yvonne Kelly 110 Stannaway Road
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