

**Proposed Residential Development at Fortbarrington Road, Ardrew, Athy, Co. Kildare.
Part 8 Reference No.: P82022-03**



The proposed development comprises the construction of 73 social housing units to include:

54 no. houses (50 no. 2-storey and 4 no. bungalows, comprised of 4 no. 1-bed, 24 no. 2-bed, 20 no. 3-bed and 6 no. 4-bed) and 18 no. triplex apartments (3 storey comprised of 18 no. 1-bed) and 1 no 2-bed duplex apartment.

The proposal includes an estate community unit (104.2 sqm), a new access off Fortbarrington Road, on-street car parking (141 spaces), public and private open space, boundary treatments, new pedestrian and cycle connection to south, public lighting, site drainage works, internal road networks and footpath, ESB switchrooms/kiosks, landscaping, play area and all ancillary site services and development works above and below ground.

The proposal has also undergone a preliminary examination under the EIA Directive 2011/92/EU as amended by Directive 2014/52/EU, (and the relevant provisions of the Planning and Development Act 2000, as amended, and the Planning and Development Regulations 2001, as amended) and the Planning Authority has concluded that there is no real likelihood of significant effects on the environment arising from the proposed development and that an Environmental Impact Assessment is not required.

Where any person considers that the proposed development would be likely to have significant effects on the environment, he or she may, at any time on or before 01/03/2022, apply in accordance with the provisions of article 120 of the Planning and Development Regulations 2001, as amended, to An Bord Pleanála for a screening determination as to whether the development would be likely to have such effects.

The proposed development has undergone **Appropriate Assessment Screening** under the Habitats Directive (92/43/EC) and the Planning and Development Act 2000, as amended and the Planning Authority has determined that a Natura Impact Statement is not required in this instance.

Plans and particulars of the proposed development (Part 8 Ref No. P820212-03) may be inspected or purchased at a fee not exceeding the reasonable cost of making a copy, at the offices of Kildare County Council, Aras Chill Dara, Devoy Park, Naas, Co. Kildare, W91 X77F (Public Display Area, Level 1) during its public opening hours during the period between 01/02/2022 to 01/03/2022. Please note that an appointment may be necessary to access the building. Bookings can be made online at <http://kildare.ie/county council/OnlineBookingSystem/>

Details of the Part 8 process will also be available to view on Kildare County Council's website at <https://kildare.ie/county council/AllServices/Planning/Part8Schemes/housing/P8202203ProposedResidentialDevelopmentatFortbarringtonRoadArdrewAthy II/>

and <https://consult.kildarecoco.ie/en/consultation/p8202203-proposed-residential-development-fortbarrington-road-ardrew-athy> for a period between 01/02/2022 to 15/03/2022.

Submissions or observations with respect to the proposed development dealing with the proper planning and sustainable development of the area in which the developments would be situated may be made in writing before 4.00pm on 21/01/2022 to:

Fiona Byrne, Housing Department, Level 5, Kildare County Council, Áras Chill Dara, Devoy Park, Naas, Co. Kildare. W91 X77F

Or online at: <https://consult.kildarecoco.ie/en/consultation/p8202203-proposed-residential-development-fortbarrington-road-ardrew-athy>.

Submissions should be headed: **"Proposed Residential Development at Andrew, Athy, Planning Reference No. P82022-03"**

All comments including names of those making comments submitted to the Council in regard to this scheme, as outlined above, will form part of the statutorily required report to be presented at a meeting of the elected members. Accordingly, they will also be included in the minutes of that meeting and may appear in the public domain.

Please note that the data collected from this consultation will be shared by Kildare County Council with their Consultants. Any information which you submit via Kildare County Council's websites will be treated with the highest standards of security and confidentiality, strictly in accordance with the General Data Protection Regulation (GDPR) and the Data Protection Act 2018. Please refer to the Privacy Statement included with the plans and particulars of the proposed development and to the Kildare County Council Public Consultation Portal Privacy Policy.