

Proposed Slope Remediation Project at Coghlanstown, Ballymore Eustace, Co. Kildare.

Reference P82019-06

Pursuant to the requirements of the above, Kildare County Council proposes to develop a Slope Remediation Project at Coghlanstown, Ballymore Eustace. In August 2016 significant slope failure occurred along the north bank of the River Liffey, west of Ballymore Eustace. As a result the local road (L6047) has remained closed to the public. This development, which is the subject of this Part 8, will include the following:

- The permanent realignment of approximately 160m of the River Liffey to follow the former alignment of the river approximately 150 years ago. A temporary diversion channel will be constructed as part of the works.
- The slope stabilisation works will include: clearance of the remaining vegetation at the slope failure location, reprofile the slope to a stable gradient along the north bank of the River Liffey, establish scour protection at the toe of the slope, backfill of the temporary channel and reinstate lands.
- The reconstruction of the local road (L6047) over a distance of 300m.
- Maintain a road width of 5m, introduce a 2m grass verge, construct 100m of wall with 50m of safety barrier on the approach to and departure from the wall.

Particulars of the proposed development will be available for inspection or purchase at a fee not exceeding the reasonable cost of making a copy during normal opening hours from 5th February 2019 until 4th March 2019 during public opening hours at the following locations:

Kildare County Council,
Level 2,
Aras Chill Dara,
Devoy Park,
Naas,
Co. Kildare,
W91 X77F.

Naas Community Library,
Harbour View,
Naas,
Co. Kildare,
W91 A997

Particulars of the proposed development will also be available to view on Kildare County Council's website at <http://kildare.ie/countycouncil/PublicConsultations-Part8Schemes/roadsandtransportation/index.html>

The proposed development has undergone **Appropriate Assessment Screening** under the Habitats Directive (92/43/EEC) and the Planning and Development Act 2000, as amended and the Planning Authority has determined that a Stage 2 Appropriate Assessment is not required in this instance. In addition, the proposal has also undergone screening for **Environmental Impact Assessment** under the EIA Directive 2014/52/EU (and the relevant provisions of the Planning and Development Act 2000, as amended) and the Planning Authority has determined that there will be no real likelihood of significant effects on the environment arising from the proposed development and therefore an Environmental Impact Assessment is not required. In accordance with Section 120 of the Planning & Development Regulations (as amended), any person may, within 4 weeks from the date of this notice, apply to An Bord Pleanála for a screening determination as to whether the proposed development would be likely to have significant effects on the environment.

Submissions or observations with respect to the proposed development, dealing with the proper planning and development of the area in which the proposed development would be situated may be made in **writing to:**

Senior Executive Officer,
Roads Transportation and Public Safety Department,
(Level 4), Kildare County Council,
Aras Chill Dara,
Devoy Park,
Naas,
Co. Kildare,
W91 X77F.

or by email to: roadssubmissions@kildarecoco.ie on or before 5pm on the 19th March 2019.

Submissions should be headed:

"Slope Remediation Project at Coghlanstown, Ballymore Eustace. - Reference P82019-06"

All comments, including names of those making comments, submitted to the Council in regard to this development will form part of the statutorily required report to be presented to the monthly meeting of Kildare County Council. Accordingly they will also be included in the minutes of that meeting and may appear in the public domain.

Signed on behalf of Kildare County Council

Brigitte Rea SEC.

Date

1/2/2019