

ABP Clongriffin Update/Note to be issued to Comm Forum Members 14.04.22

Dear Community Forum Member,

We are emailing you to provide a status update in relation to the Core Bus Corridors.

Last week, the National Transport Authority (NTA) gave notice of its application under Section 51(2) of the Roads Act 1993 (as amended) to An Bord Pleanála for approval in relation to a proposed road development consisting of the construction of the **Clongriffin to City Centre Core Bus Corridor Scheme**.

A copy of the application documentation may be viewed and downloaded free of charge at: www.clongriffinscheme.ie. Please note all previous documents regarding BusConnects are still available on www.busconnects.ie

Submissions/observations may be made in writing to the **Board at An Bord Pleanála (Strategic Infrastructure Division), 64 Marlborough Street, Dublin 1, D01 V902** between Thursday 07 April and Thursday 02 June 2022.

Any submissions/observations must be accompanied by a fee of €50 and must be received by the Board not later than **5.30 p.m. on the 2nd June 2022**. This fee will not apply to certain prescribed bodies including those specified in Section 51(3)(b) of the Roads Act 1993 (as amended) or to landowners and others with a legal interest in land who are objecting to compulsory acquisition of land in which they have such an interest in a compulsory acquisition case.

Submissions/observations can also be made on the An Bord Pleanála website at the following address: <https://online.pleanala.ie/en-ie/sid/observation> .

It is our intention to submit the schemes on a phased basis with the next five schemes likely to be submitted in the order shown below:

- Belfield/Blackrock to City Centre CBC Scheme;
- Blanchardstown to City Centre CBC Scheme;
- Liffey Valley to City Centre CBC Scheme;
- Ringsend to City Centre CBC Scheme;
- Ballymun/Finglas to City Centre CBC Scheme

As each scheme is submitted for approval to An Bord Pleanála the process of public notifications in newspapers and online will be repeated. After these first six scheme applications are made, the remaining six projects are likely to be submitted to An Bord Pleanála during the second half of this year.

Yours Sincerely,

BusConnects Team