

Longford County Council

SITE NOTICE

Planning and Development Act (as amended) Part 8 Planning and Development Regulations 2001 (as amended)

Notice is hereby given in accordance with the requirements of the above regulations that Longford County Council proposes to undertake the following works:

Construction of the 'Aghafad Pedestrian and Cycle Scheme' to include the provision of a shared walking and cycling pathway from the factories at Aghafad, Longford Town, to link with the existing service road along the eastern boundary of Longford Slashers GAA at Farranyoogan, Longford Town, and thereby provide a connection onto the Royal Canal Greenway.

The development will consist of:

- Three metre wide, shared pathway, commencing to the immediate east of the existing Longford Slashers GAA entrance and proceeding approximately 400m south west along the L1127 to the Aghafad existing factory entrances, with uncontrolled crossing where required.
- Shared pathway to separately advance, approximately 290 metres north along the eastern boundary of Longford Slashers GAA with Prospect Wood, to include the partial redesignation of the existing service road for pedestrian / cyclist provision.
- Raised pedestrian / cyclist crossing at the main Slashers GAA entrance, and separate raised pathway crossing to align with the reassignment of existing parking spaces for the purposes of pedestrian / cyclist connectivity to the front entrance door of Slashers GAA / Backstage Theatre.
- Accommodation works to include boundary and entrance treatment to main entrance and that of the upper Slasher GAA / Backstage Theatre / Gaelscoil Longfoirt carpark, relocation / redesign of existing public lighting poles, signage, drainage, etc.

Plans and particulars of the proposed development will be available for inspection or purchase at a fee, not exceeding the reasonable cost of making a copy, at the Planning Department offices of Longford County Council, Áras an Chontae, Great Water Street, Longford during official public opening hours, excluding weekends and bank holidays from Friday 19th May up to and including Monday 19th June.

Plans and particulars will also be available to view online at www.longfordcoco.ie.

Submissions with respect to the proposed development, dealing with the proper planning and sustainable development of the area, may be made in writing to Longford County Council, headed "**Part 8 - Aghafad Pedestrian and Cycle Scheme**" and addressed to *Planning Section, Longford County Council, Áras an Chontae, Great Water Street, Longford* to arrive not later than Tuesday 4th July at 4pm.

Signed: 

19th May 2023

Signed: John Brannigan
Director of Services