



DRAFT KILLALOE-BALLINA TOWN ENHANCEMENT AND MOBILITY PLAN

Clare County Council and Tipperary County Council have jointly prepared a Draft Killaloe-Ballina Town Enhancement and Mobility Plan. The Draft Plan outlines a coordinated approach to public realm enhancements within Killaloe (town in County Clare) and Ballina (town in County Tipperary), providing a clear vision for Killaloe and Ballina as linked settlements in the context of the changing transport and mobility profile of the towns, as a result of the future Killaloe Bypass and Shannon bridge crossing.

Clare County Council and Tipperary County Council are looking for your views on the Draft Plan and hereby invites any interested parties or individuals to make submissions and observations in respect of the Draft Plan.

The Draft Plan is accompanied by a Strategic Environmental Assessment (SEA) Environmental Report that details the likely significant environmental effects of implementing the Draft Plan, if unmitigated. The Draft Plan is also accompanied by a Natura Impact Report, which considers potential significant effects on the integrity of European sites. These reports and the consultation on the Draft Plan are prepared in accordance with the European Communities (Environmental Assessment of Certain Plans and Programmes) Regulations 2004 (as amended) and European Communities (Birds and Natural Habitats) Regulations 2011 (as amended).

Copies of the Draft Plan and associated environmental reports will be available on Clare County Council and Tipperary County Council websites: www.clarecoco.ie and www.tipperarycoco.ie and at the following locations:

- Clare County Council, Economic Development Directorate, Clare County Council, Áras Contae and Chláir, New Road, Ennis. V95 DXP2.
- Killaloe Municipal District Office, Mountshannon Court, Ballyminoge, Scarriff, Co. Clare. V94 NY33.
- Killaloe Public Library, The Lock House, Killaloe, Co. Clare. V94 ED83.
- Tipperary County Council, Civic Offices, Limerick Road, Nenagh, Co. Tipperary. E45 A099.
- Tipperary County Council, Civic Offices, Emmet Street, Clonmel, Co. Tipperary. E91 N512.

(Please check the Council's website or call for arrangements to access to these buildings as appointments may be necessary having regard to prevailing COVID precautions).

Public Consultation Webinar

As part of the public consultation process, a public webinar event on the Draft Killaloe-Ballina Town Enhancement and Mobility Plan will be held on:

- Wednesday 21st July 2021 from 7:00 p.m. to 9:00 p.m.

This webinar which is open to everyone, will give an overview of the Draft Killaloe-Ballina Town Enhancement and Mobility Plan. Further details are available at www.clarecoco.ie and www.tipperarycoco.ie

Submissions or Observations

Submissions or observations with respect to the Draft Killaloe – Ballina Town Enhancement and Mobility Plan and associated SEA Environmental Report and Natura Impact Report should be made by email to: forwardplan@clarecoco.ie identifying “Draft Killaloe-Ballina Town Enhancement and Mobility Plan” in the subject line;

OR in writing to:

- Draft Killaloe-Ballina Town Enhancement and Mobility Plan, Economic Development Directorate, Clare County Council, Áras Contae and Chláir, New Road, Ennis, Co. Clare. V95 DX92;

Submissions or observations must be made in writing from Friday 9th July 2021 and up to 5.00pm on Friday, 20th August 2021.

Please note that submissions or observations received are subject to meeting requirements under relevant data protection legislation. All submissions/observations will be subject to Freedom of Information legislation.

