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Volume 3(d) West Clare Municipal District Written Statements and Settlement Maps

Associated Documents

None of the above

Environmental Reports

None of the above

Your Submission

I disagree with the proposal to build more housing at R1 and R2 locations. Currently the infrastructure for travelling is not fit for purpose. There is an abundance of cars and no safe way to cycle. There is massive congestion at peak hours. I don't think adding more residential housing before the travel infrastructure is developed is sensible. The tailbacks are already too long. There are too many cars on the road already, we cannot add more. In addition there should be cycle lanes on the Corbally Road to allow safe and quick travel to the city centre. The greenway at Shannon Fields is fantastic but there is not a safe way to get there by bicycle from Westbury or Shannon Banks. The bridge is extremely dangerous for families to cycle across. When you are on it, it can encourage drivers to take risks to pass you out. The Open spaces (OS2 and OS3) it is imperative that these stay as open spaces. However, I would encourage more diverse planting and not just grass.

Throughout Westbury there are lots of open spaces that are necessary for our well being. However I would like these developed further - more bio diversity and in the

larger ones, some paths so kids and the elderly can do exercise loops. There is also a lack of benches in the area. Benches would be useful to both the elderly (nursing home residents) and young families and kids. It would make walking in the estate more accessible. In addition to the open spaces, it would be great to have bins in the area. Particularly near the bus stops where people congregate. It would help us that live in the community have a nicer cleaner area. It would also be good to have a facility like a community centre in the neighbourhood to allow groups to meet and further community recreational options. This could also help to give our teenagers somewhere to go and fight against anti social behaviour.

Location Map



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