



Carrick-on-Shannon to Dromod

Bulletin #6

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Notification of Phase 3 Design and Environmental Evaluation commencement

Leitrim County Council, in partnership with Roscommon County Council, Transport Infrastructure Ireland and the Department of Transport are committed to developing the N4 Carrick-on-Shannon to Dromod Project.

The Option Selection Report prepared during the Phase 2 Options Selection stage is published on the project website at <https://carrickdromod.ie/option-selection-report/> which provides information regarding the Preferred Transport Solution. Transport Infrastructure Ireland (TII) have given approval to proceed to the Phase 3 Design and Environmental Evaluation stage in accordance with the TII Project Management Guidelines.

Furthermore, the 2023 Grant Allocations to Local Authorities for National Roads, Active Travel and Greenways are made by TII having regard to the priorities set out in the National Development Plan 2021-2030, the objectives of the Climate Action Plan 2023, other national policies, and the terms and conditions set by the Minister for Transport pursuant to the Roads Acts 1993 to 2015. It is important to note that the appendix to this document clearly states in relation to the N4 Carrick-on-Shannon to Dromod Project that “The Minister wishes to see prioritisation afforded to the provision of the bypass and the provision of a concurrent traffic management plan for the Town Centre”.

Considering the Minister’s wishes and taking other considerations into account such as the uncertainty surrounding the European TEN-T regulations, the bypass element of the N4 Carrick-on-Shannon to Dromod Project is being prioritised for the Design and Environmental Evaluation stage which will include a new urban street, a demand management component, an active travel component, a road component comprising the bypass itself and a public transport component.

Who and How to Contact:

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