

Notice of proposed project pursuant to Regulation 42(13) of the European Union (Birds and Natural Habitats) Regulations 2011 (S.I. No. 477 of 2011)¹

I. The location, nature and extent of the proposed works

The locations, natures and extents of proposed routine bridge maintenance works are listed in Table 1 below. Further details on the natures and extents of the proposed routine bridge maintenance works are contained within *Task Order No. 333 – Leinster Bridges – Term Maintenance Contract No. 4 – Natura Impact Statement* (Roughan and O’Donovan, April 2024).

I. The possible decisions

Transport Infrastructure Ireland will determine pursuant to Regulation 42(11) of the European Union (Birds and Natural Habitats) Regulations 2011 (S.I. No. 477 of 2011) and Article 6(3) of the Habitats Directive as to whether or not the proposed reactive bridge maintenance works would adversely affect the integrity of a European site.

II. Where and when the documents may be viewed

The Natura Impact Statement and a map of the proposed project may be viewed online on Transport Infrastructure Ireland’s website (<https://www.tii.ie/>).

The Natura Impact Statement and a map of the proposed project may be viewed free of charge by appointment at the offices of Transport Infrastructure Ireland at the following address:

Parkgate Business Centre,
Parkgate Street,
Dublin 8,
D08 DK10,
Ireland.

Appointments for viewing can be arranged by writing to the above postal address or emailing: EnvironmentalPolicyCompliance@tii.ie

The Natura Impact Statement and a map of the proposed project may also be purchased at a fee not exceeding the reasonable cost of such making available. Requests to purchase hard copies may be made to the above email and postal addresses.

III. A person may make submissions or observations to the public authority within 30 days from the date of the notice

The public may make submissions or observations in writing concerning the proposed project (within 30 days from the date of this notice) to Transport Infrastructure Ireland.

Submissions or observations may be sent by email to the following email address: EnvironmentalPolicyCompliance@tii.ie

Alternatively, submissions or observations may be sent by mail to:

Environmental Policy and Compliance Section,
Transport Infrastructure Ireland,
Parkgate Business Centre,
Parkgate Street,
Dublin 8,
D08 DK10,

¹ Regulation 42(13) of the European Union (Birds and Natural Habitats) Regulations 2011 (S.I. No. 477 of 2011), as substituted by Regulation 6(b) of the European Union (Birds and Natural Habitats) (Amendment) Regulations 2021 (S.I. No. 293 of 2021).

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IV. Any other details on public participation

Transport Infrastructure Ireland shall have regard to any submissions or observations received from the public.

Personal data contained in submissions or observations will be processed in accordance with TII's Data Protection Notice which is available on www.tii.ie.

Submissions or observations may be passed to our third-party service providers, including Roughan and O'Donovan, for their analysis, consideration and response. Such analysis, consideration and response may be documented.

V. Any other information the public authority considers relevant

Some information contained within the Natura Impact Statement could, if made publicly available, pose a risk to the conservation of protected species or habitats. For this reason, this information has been redacted. Personal data has also been redacted pursuant to the requirements of the General Data Protection Regulation.

Date: 17 of April 2024.

Table 1 - The location, nature and extent of the proposed works

County	Bridge ID	Bridge Name	Townland	Masonry repointing/ repair	Removal of material from riverbed	Scour repair	Concrete repair	Seal joints on edge beam	Reshaping of wingwall	Bedding mortar reinstated
Carlow	CW-N80-001.00	Raheen Culvert	Ballypierce and Lackabeg		✓	✓	✓			
Carlow	CW-N80-005.00	Ballykealey Bridge	Ballinadrum, Ballon and Ballykealey	✓	✓	✓				
Carlow	CW-N80-007.00	Fighting Cocks Bridge	Clonmacshane and Graiguealug	✓	✓	✓				
Carlow	CW-N80-009.00	Ballinacarrig Bridge	Ballinacarrig, Chapelstown and Staplestown	✓	✓					
Carlow	CW-N81-007.00	New Mill Leat	Bough and Patrickswell	✓			✓			
Kildare	KE-N78-002.00	Augustus Bridge	Athy, Bleach, Townparks and Woodstock South	✓			✓			
Kildare	KE-N78-003.00	Athy Bridge	Athy	✓						
Kilkenny	KK-N76-002.00	Kilbride River Bridge	Baunta Commons	✓						
Kilkenny	KK-N76-005.50	Moankeal Culvert	Knockreagh and Tullamaine (Ashbrook)	✓	✓	✓				
Kilkenny	KK-N76-006.00	Knockreagh Bridge	Tullamaine (Ashbrook)	✓	✓					
Kilkenny	KK-N76-009.00	Shellumsrath Bridge	Derdimus, Goslingstown and Shellumsrath		✓	✓				

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Kilkenny	KK-N77-002.00	Dinin Bridge	Ardaloo and Dunmore West	✓						
Kilkenny	KK-N78-001.00	Douglas River Bridge	Corbetstown and Webbsborough	✓			✓			
Kilkenny	KK-N78-002.00	Julianstown Bridge	Julianstown and Muckalee	✓	✓					
Kilkenny	KK-N78-003.00	Lisnafunshin Bridge	Julianstown and Damerstown West	✓			✓			
Kilkenny	KK-N78-004.00	Dysart Bridge South	Dysart Glebe	✓		✓	✓	✓		
Kilkenny	KK-N78-005.50	Ballycomey Culvert	Ballycomy and Clashduff Lower	✓	✓					
Kilkenny	KK-N78-006.00	Clashduff Lower Bridge	Ballyhimmin	✓	✓	✓				
Kilkenny	KK-N78-007.00	Castlecomer Bridge	Ardra, Castlecomer and Drumgoole	✓						
Kilkenny	KK-N78-008.00	Castlecomer Tributary Bridge	Ardra and Drumgoole	✓						
Kilkenny	KK-N78-009.00	Crettyard Bridge	Cloneen and Crettyard				✓			

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Longford	LD-N05-000.10	Termonbarry Bridge	Ballytoohey and Cloondara				✓			
Laois	LS-N77-001.00	Durrow Bridge	Course and Durrow Townparks				✓			
Laois	LS-N77-002.00	New Bridge, River Nore	Castlewood, Course and Rath	✓						
Laois	LS-N78-001.00	Ormonde Bridge	Clonbrock and Crettyard	✓			✓		✓	
Laois	LS-N80-000.80	Coolanowle Culvert	Castletown		✓	✓				
Laois	LS-N80-009.00	Mountmellick Bridge	Ballycullenbeg and Townparks			✓	✓			✓
Laois	LS-N80-010.00	Moll Rowe's Corner Bridge	Graigue and Townparks	✓	✓		✓			
Wicklow	WW-N81-002.00	Eldon Bridge	Raheen and Tuckmill Upper	✓		✓				
Wicklow	WW-N81-004.00	Mattymount Bridge	Saundersgrove, Saundersgrove Hill and Tuckmill Lower	✓						
Wicklow	WW-N81-005.00	Waterloo Bridge	Ballintruer More and Castleruddery Lower	✓						
Wicklow	WW-N81-007.00	Whitestown Bridge	Castleruddery Upper and Whitestown Lower	✓						

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Wicklow	WW-N81-008.00	Whitestown Stream Bridge	Castleruddery Upper and Whitestown Lower	✓			✓			
Wicklow	WW-N81-009.00	Carrigower Bridge	Ballylion Lower and Whitestown Lower	✓						
Wexford	WX-N30-004.00	Ballymackesy Bridge	Ballymackesy and Moneytucker			✓	✓			
Wexford	WX-N80-001.00	Tomnakipeen Bridge	Coolnahorna and Tomacurry	✓		✓	✓			
Wexford	WX-N80-002.00	Tomagarrow Bridge	Skeahanagh or Farmley and Tomgarrow	✓	✓					
Wexford	WX-N80-004.00	Clody Bridge	Carrickduff and Newtownbarry	✓						