

COMHAIRLE CONTAE CHILL DARA

KILDARE COUNTY COUNCIL



Director of Services Order

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I, Siobhán Scully, Director of Services of Transport, Mobility and Open Spaces, by the powers conferred on the Chief Executive of Kildare County Council under Section 151 of the Local Government Act 2001, as amended by the Local Government Reform Act 2014, and which powers are delegated to me pursuant to Section 154 of the Local Government Act 2001 (as amended) by Chief Executive's Order number: CE 64303, do hereby make the following Order:

ORDER NO: DO66189 **Section:** Transportation

SUBJECT: Section 38 of the Road Traffic Act 1994 (as amended) -Scoil an Linbh Íosa, Prosperous, Safe Routes to School Scheme(Traffic Works Order).

SUBMITTED: A memorandum from Mr Chris Galvin (Senior Engineer) advising that the public consultation process has been completed and was noted at the Clane Maynooth District meeting held on the 05 June 2026 and recommends that a Traffic Works Order be issued.

HM 16/6/26

ORDER: **I hereby order the following** that the Traffic Works Order be issued and that the Sustainable Transport Section to proceed with the works associated with the Safe Routes to School Scheme, subject to funding from the National Transport Authority (NTA).

MADE THIS 16 DAY

OF June YEAR 2026

SIGNED:

Siobhán Scully

AS **DIRECTOR OF SERVICES**

Internal Memo

This matter is being dealt with by:

Ronan Keane
Executive Engineer

Sustainable Transport Section



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To: Kevin Healy, A/Senior Engineer

Cc: Tonhorai Mutsikadowo, Assistant Engineer
Chris Galvin, Senior Engineer

Date: 15/06/2026

Re: Conclusion of Section 38 - Road Traffic Act 1994 – Scoil an Linbh Íosa, Prosperous – Safe Routes to School Scheme

In accordance with the provisions of Section 38 of the Road Traffic Act 1994, Kildare County Council hereby gives notice of its intention of:

Scoil an Linbh Íosa, Prosperous - Safe Routes to School Scheme comprising of:

- Implementation of Safe Routes to School measures, including pencil bollards and road markings, to improve safety for vulnerable road users at the school.
- Reconstruction & widening of the footpath outside of Scoil an Linbh Íosa to promote safe active travel & the relocation of the Raised School Warden Crossing outside of the school.
- Installation of six (6) raised uncontrolled pedestrian crossings with junction tightening on roads adjoining the R403 and Hatters Cross Road in close proximity to Scoil an Linbh Íosa.
- Installation of one (1) uncontrolled at grade pedestrian crossing at Curryhills Park and one (1) uncontrolled crossing in Barrington Court to improve safety for vulnerable road users.
- Installation of one (1) uncontrolled at grade pedestrian crossing with localised carriageway narrowing on the R408, to improve safety for vulnerable road users.
- Construction of a new 2m wide footpath to link Scoil an Linbh Íosa with Goretti Terrace with one (1) upgraded raised uncontrolled pedestrian crossing.
- Car parking directly outside of Scoil an Linbh Íosa removed and replaced with a regulated bus set down zone and two (2) accessibility parking spaces.

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Under Section 38 of the Road Traffic Act 1994 Local Authorities are obliged to carry out a public consultation process and consult with An Garda Síochána with regard to implementing and enforcing traffic calming measures.

The above proposed traffic calming measures were advertised in the 21st of April 2026 edition of the Leinster Leader and the 25th of April 2026 edition of the Liffey Champion. It was also placed on public display on Level 4 counter in Áras Chill Dara and on the council website. It was open for submissions for a period of five weeks and one day from Tuesday 21st April 2026 to Wednesday 27th of May 2026.

This Safe Routes to School Scheme will be funded by National Transport Authority to allow the procurement of a contractor and progression of this scheme.

It was forwarded to An Garda Síochána, Kildare North Community Engagement for comment. Confirmation was received that they reported no objections to the proposed scheme. See Appendix A for correspondence.

The Section 38 was placed on the Clane-Maynooth Municipal Meeting agenda on the 10th of April 2026 to note its commencement and was placed on the Clane-Maynooth Municipal Meeting agenda on the 5th of June 2026 to note its conclusion.

Recommendation: It is recommended that a Traffic Works Order is issued to note the conclusion of the Section 38 and for permission to progress works associated with the Section 38, subject to funding from the NTA.

Signed:

Ronan Keane
Executive Engineer
Sustainable Transport Section

Endorsed:

Kevin Healy
A/Senior Engineer
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Appendix A Correspondence with An Garda Síochána, Kildare North Community Engagement

Ronan Keane

From: KC KildareNorth.CE <KC.KildareNorth.CE@garda.ie>
Sent: Monday 6 April 2026 15:00
To: Ronan Keane
Subject: RE: (External)Kildare County Council, Section 38, Road Traffic Act 1994 - Scoil an Linbh Íosa, Prosperous Safe Routes to School Scheme

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Good Afternoon,

Having liaised with the Sergeant in charge, there are no Garda objections to these proposals.

Kind Regards,

Sent on behalf of Superintendent Irene Campbell.

Garda Deirdre McCormick
Kildare North CEFA office

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From: Ronan Keane [mailto:rkeane@kildarecoco.ie]
Sent: Wednesday 1 April 2026 15:46
To: KC.KildareNorth.CE <KC.KildareNorth.CE@garda.ie>
Cc: Marie Kelly <mkgkelly@kildarecoco.ie>; Tonhorai Mutsikadowo <TMutsikadowo@kildarecoco.ie>
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FAO Superintendent,

Kildare County Council's Sustainable Transport Section proposes to commence a Section 38 process of the Road Traffic Act 1994, which details the delivery of a Safe Routes to School Scheme at Scoil an Linbh Íosa in Prosperous.

The scheme proposal is to provide interventions to improve infrastructure outside and on the routes to the school with the aim of increasing the number of children who walk, cycle or scoot to school. These proposed interventions are based on survey findings, audits, consultation with the school, and have been reviewed by the NTA and have been developed by the Local Authority and the Safe Routes to School Officer as per the attached drawings and scheme description below:

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Please find attached design drawings relating to this scheme. It will be the intention of Kildare County Council to publish the Section 38 on our consultation portal for the public to review on Tuesday, 21st April 2026.

It will be possible for members of the public to make submissions in relation to these proposals on Kildare County Council's online consultation portal from the 21st of April until the 27th of May 2026.

We kindly request your response by 01st May 2026

If you have any queries on the subject, please do not hesitate to contact me.

Kind Regards,

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