

15th April 2025

Kildare County Council,
Áras Chill Dara,
Naas, Co. Kildare,
W91 X77F.

Meath County Council,
Buvinda House,
Dublin Road,
Navan, Co. Meath,
C15 Y291.

Re: Adopted Maynooth and Environs Joint Local Area Plan 2025-2031

A chara,

The Office of the Planning Regulator (the Office) writes in relation to the Maynooth and Environs Joint Local Area Plan 2025-2031 (the JLAP).

While the Office generally welcomes the JLAP, the planning authorities should be advised to reconsider permeability measure PERM 61 and cycle measure CYCLE 52 as part of the active travel infrastructure to serve the Railpark Key Development Area.

The Office welcomes the adoption of the JLAP by the members of Kildare County Council on 17th February 2025 and Meath County Council on 19th February 2025 and looks forward to continued engagement with Kildare County Council and Meath County Council in the implementation of national policy at the local level.

Is mise le meas,

A handwritten signature in black ink, reading "AM C'Connor." with a stylized flourish at the end.

Anne Marie O'Connor

Deputy Regulator and Director of Plans Evaluation
Designated Public Official under the Regulation of Lobbying Act 2015
