

**Comhairle Chontae Chill Chainnigh
Kilkenny County Council**



Draft Masterplan for Loughmacask

**Invitation for Submissions on the Draft Masterplan for Loughmacask
by 5pm on Friday 7th October, 2022**

Notice is hereby given that Kilkenny County Council has prepared a Draft Masterplan for the Loughmacask Area in Kilkenny City. As regards the Draft Masterplan, the Council has determined that a Strategic Environmental Assessment is required. It has also been determined that an Appropriate Assessment pursuant to Article 6 (3) and (4) of the Habitats Directive 92/43/EEC and the European Communities (Birds & Natural Habitats) Regulations 2011 is required.

The Draft Masterplan, the Strategic Environmental Assessment Report, the Appropriate Assessment Report and the Flood Risk Assessment, may be inspected or purchased from **Friday 26th August 2022 – Friday 7th October 2022** (both dates inclusive) at the following locations:

- <http://consult.kilkenny.ie>
- Planning Office, Kilkenny County Council, County Hall, John Street, Kilkenny
- Kilkenny City Library, John's Quay, Kilkenny
- Fr. McGrath Centre, St Joseph's Rd, Kilkenny

Submissions or observations may be made:

- online at <http://consult.kilkenny.ie/> or
- by e-mail to ourplan@kilkennycoco.ie or

In writing to:

The A./Senior Planner, Planning Department, Kilkenny County Council, County Hall, John Street, Kilkenny

Submissions or observations received before 5pm on Friday 7th October, 2022 will be taken into consideration in deciding upon the Draft Masterplan. Children,

or groups or associations representing the interests of children, are invited to make submissions or observations.

Submissions or observations in respect of the Strategic Environmental Assessment (SEA) report, Appropriate Assessment (AA) report and Flood Risk Assessment (FRA) made to the Planning Authority within the period specified will also be taken into consideration.

Please note that all submissions will be made available for public viewing on Kilkenny County Council's consultation website during the plan-making period. Kilkenny County Council will treat all personal data provided as confidential. We will retain your data for no longer than is necessary for the purpose of this Masterplan and in accordance with Kilkenny County Council's Retention Policy and the relevant Data Protection legislation.

Submissions or observations must be received by 5pm Friday, 7th October 2022.

Please note late submissions will not be accepted.

Two **public consultation evenings** will be held on the Draft Loughmacask Masterplan as follows;

Dicksboro GAA Clubhouse, GAA Club at Palmerstown Road, Kilkenny R95 D362 on **Tuesday 6th September, 2022** from 7:00pm to 9:00pm and at

St. Canices Neighbourhood Hall, 22-28 Butt's Green, Gardens, Kilkenny, R95 X72P on **Monday 19th September, 2022** from 7:00pm to 9:00pm.

Individuals, groups, organisations and representatives are invited to attend the public engagement meetings and collectively feedback from these meetings along with submissions received will shape the final plan.

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