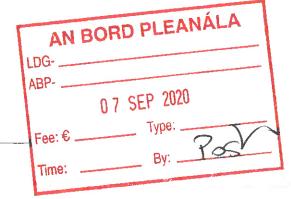
An Bord Pleanala, 64 Marlborough Street, <u>DUBLIN 1</u> D01 V902

Re: Boyne Greenway

Reference No: PL17.307652

Dear Sirs,



We are writing to object to the proposed Boyne Greenway on the following terms:-

- Firstly, and most importantly, we feel that the Boyne Estuary wildlife will be severely impacted if this greenway goes ahead. The proposed route runs right through the estuary which is home to many many bird species who return every year. This is a protected area under European Law and must continue to be protected.
- 2. Some of the residents along the route of the proposed greenway stand to lose large parts of their homes, some of whom have been living there for upwards of 50-60 years. Apart from losing their front gardens, they will now have people looking straight into their homes.
- 3. There is absolutely no proposals for car parking with the proposals put forward. During the recent lockdown due to Covid 19, and with such good weather, the Tower Road/Crook Road area where severely impacted with huge amounts of traffic and parking along roadsides, making it almost impossible for local residents to get to their homes. If there is a greenway, there will be similar situations almost daily. Parking must be a priority.

We feel that the proposals put forward for the Boyne Greenway will have a negative impact on Mornington and the surrounding area. Therefore we are not in favour of the Boyne Greenway.

