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Dear Sirs.

Re: Proposed Boyne Greenway Drogheda to Mornington, Co. Meath and Co. Louth. I welcome the opportunity to make a submission on the proposed Drogheda to Mornington Greenway as submitted to An Bord Pleanala by Meath County Council. I am supportive of the proposal and requesting that An Bord Pleanala approve permission for this project to proceed as it represents essential infrastructure for this developed area and on balance is in accordance with the proper planning and development of the area.

Hi my name is a large large large grew up adjacent to the propose development . I am aware of the proposed cycle and walkway and wish to support it . I Now live on the and as part of my fitness regime like to run and cycle ,especially to visit my parents in Mornington .

It is a disgrace that there are no footpaths on most of this route ,and it is dangerous to use this road . The creation of this route would transform the lives of so many of its residents both young and old .It would literally bring the area from zero to heaven, such is the beauty of the route .

The seasonal visitors to the estuary mainly arrive in the deepest winter months when use of the walkway would be at its least. The design of the route sticking closely to the foreshore and on raised stilts is absolutely no threat to the bird life I believe. Having lived on for most of my life and seen the huge increase in the traffic volumes over this time I have noted the birds adaptability and their feeding habits are not effected in the least. I believe the mitigating actions of the low fence along the route from The old church to the end of the high road will in fact offer more cover from the road traffic and the visual effect of passing traffic on the wildlife.

As a young resident of This area we desperately need this infrastructure which will enable us to enjoy the beauty of the wildlife ,be its custodians and protectors . I work in Dublin and the stress of the current Covid 19 Pandemic and the lack of proper social outlets would be another important reason to give us this marvellous facility which is in harmony with nature

