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Leitrim County Council Habitats Directive (92/43/EEC) Appropriate Assessment Screening Determination

Proposed Flood Defence Works at Drumhierny and Leitrim Townlands, Leitrim Village

Description of Proposed Development

The Capital Projects Section of Leitrim County Council are proposing the provision of flood defence works involving the construction of a flood defence berm, the creation of a controlled drainage culvert and all ancillary works at lands adjacent to the R-284 Regional Road (Keadue Road) in the townlands of Drumhierny and Leitrim, Leitrim Village, Co. Leitrim.

Stage 1 Appropriate Assessment Screening Determination

Leitrim County Council, as competent authority, in accordance with Article 6(3) of the EU Habitats Directive (Directive 92/43/EEC) and Regulation 42 (1) of the European Communities (Birds and Natural Habitats) Regulations 2011, as amended, has undertaken an Appropriate Assessment Screening on the proposed development as outlined above.

An Appropriate Assessment Screening Report has assessed, in view of the best scientific knowledge and the conservation objectives of European Sites, if the proposed works, individually, and in combination with other plans and projects, are likely to have a significant effect on any European site (known as a Natura 2000 site).

In accordance with Article 6(3) of the EU Habitats Directive (Directive 92/43/EEC) and Regulation 42 (1) of the European Communities (Birds and Natural Habitats) Regulations 2011, as amended, Leitrim County Council has made a determination that Appropriate Assessment is not required for the proposed development. It has been concluded on the basis of the report prepared by Liam Flynn, Acting Senior Executive Planner, informed by the submitted Appropriate Assessment Screening Report prepared by Ryan Hanley Ltd. Consulting Engineers that the works individually, and in combination with other plans and projects, are not likely to have a significant effect on any European site.

Signed on behalf of the Competent Authority:

Mr. Justin Fannon,
Acting Director of Economic Development,
Planning & Infrastructural Services,
Leitrim County Council
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