

# N24 Cahir to Limerick Junction Project



## Introduction

Tipperary County Council, in partnership with Limerick City and County Council, Transport Infrastructure Ireland and the Department of Transport are progressing the N24 Cahir to Limerick Junction Project. The overall aim of the N24 project is to deliver a reliable and sustainable transport solution that will encourage balanced regional development and improve the quality of life of residents along this corridor.

## Project Progress Update

The project team have completed the deliverables for Phase 2. The Option Selection Report which is going through a final review is due to be published in early 2023. This report will be made available on the project website ([www.n24cahirlimerick.ie](http://www.n24cahirlimerick.ie)). The Option Selection Report contains all of the supporting detail behind each step in the analysis during Phase 2, documenting both the assessments undertaken and the decisions made. The finalisation of the Option Selection Report however has not delayed the progression of the project which is currently at Phase 3, Design and Evaluation.



The purpose of Phase 3 is to develop the design of the Preferred Transport Solution identified in Phase 2 and undertake an environmental evaluation of the design to a sufficient level of detail to establish landtake requirements and to progress the project through the statutory process. The actual landtake required for the project to be included in the Compulsory Purchase Order will not be confirmed until the end of Phase 3 when the planning application will be made to An Bord Pleanála.

As part of the Design and Environmental Evaluation stage of the project, environmental and topographical surveys are currently being undertaken within an area which includes, but is not limited to, the corridor for the road component for the Preferred Transport Solution, and will continue in the coming months. Letters have been issued to inform landowners of these surveys.

## What Happens Next

Detailed ground investigations will take place in Q1 2023, and directly affected landowners will be contacted by letter in advance of any works taking place. Similarly, archaeological geophysics will take place in Q1 2023 and directly affected landowners will be contacted by letter in advance.



As the design progresses, the project team will engage with landowners and relevant stakeholders to discuss the design and any potential impacts and identify potential mitigation measures.

The project team continues to be available to answer any questions and you can book an online or in person meeting with a member of the project team through the online booking facility on the project website [www.N24cahirlimerick.ie](http://www.N24cahirlimerick.ie) or by phoning **061 951000**.

Updates, news and details of future public displays will be published on the project website

