

**Planning Authority Habitats Directive Assessment
Screening Determination Statement
for the proposed**

Rock Road Urban Improvement Works, Road Road, Killarney, Kerry.

Stage I Appropriate Assessment Screening Statement

Kerry County Council as Competent Authority determines that the proposed works, individually, and in combination with other plans and projects, are not likely to have a significant effect on a European site (Natura 2000 Site), and as such, a Stage 2 Appropriate Assessment / Natura Impact Statement is not required.

It is considered that the AA Screening Report prepared by the Environmental Assessment Unit contains a fair and reasonable assessment of the likelihood of significant effects of the development on European sites. That assessment is adopted as the assessment of Kerry County Council.

Reasons for Determination

- This is a standard small-scale urban road improvement project. The works are not complex in nature or scale.
- The proposed works are located at a distance from Natura 2000 sites and annexed habitat associated with same.
- There is no potential for impacts on Qualifying Interest habitats or species associated with Natura 2000 Sites.

Signed:



Michael Scannell

**Director of Services / Stiúirthóir Seirbhísí, Economic & Community
Development / Forbairt Eacnamaíochta & Pobail**

Date:

13/5/2019

**Planning Authority Environmental Impact Assessment
Preliminary Screening Conclusion Statement
for the proposed**

Rock Road Urban Improvement Works, Road Road, Killarney, Kerry.

**Environmental Impact Assessment Preliminary Screening Conclusion
Statement**

Kerry County Council concludes that this project is not one which requires EIA Screening or EIA. The Preliminary EIA Screening Examination prepared by the Environmental Assessment Unit contains a fair and reasonable assessment. That assessment is adopted as the assessment of Kerry County Council.

Reason for Conclusion

- The proposal is substantially below relevant mandatory EIA thresholds.
- There are no potential cumulative or in combination effects likely to arise.
- There is no real likelihood of significant effects on the environment arising from the proposed development.

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