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### **1.0 INTRODUCTION**

Traynor Environmental Ltd has prepared this Construction & Demolition Waste Management Plan (CDWMP) on behalf of Rhonellen Development Ltd. The proposed development comprises a Build to Rent (BTR), Strategic Housing Development (SHD) as follows: Demolition of the existing buildings (former shopping centre and associated structures). Construction of 3 no. apartment blocks (Blocks A - C) ranging in height from 3 to 6 storeys (with Block B over 3 no. lower courtyard floors) providing a total of 101 units (19 no. studios, 41 no. 1-beds, 41 no. 2-beds). Provision of Resident Support Facilities/Resident Services and Amenities, 2 no. retail units, car parking (at ground floor), cycle parking, ESB substation/switch room, plant, bin stores, open space, landscaping, boundary treatments, all associated site works and services provision.

A more detailed description of the development is outlined in the statutory planning notices and Chapter 3 of the Environmental Impact Assessment Report (EIAR).

The purpose of this plan is to provide information necessary to ensure that the management of construction and demolition waste at the site is undertaken in accordance with current legal and industry standards including the Waste Management Acts 1996 - 2011 and associated Regulations, Protection of the Environment Act 2003 as amended, Litter Pollution Act 1997 and the Eastern-Midlands Region Waste Management Plan 2015 – 2021. In particular, this Plan aims to ensure maximum recycling, reuse and recovery of waste with diversion from landfill, wherever possible. It also seeks to provide guidance on the appropriate collection and transport of waste from the site to prevent issues associated with litter or more serious environmental pollution (e.g., contamination of soil and/or water).

This CDWMP includes information on the legal and policy framework for construction waste management in Ireland, estimates of the type and quantity of waste to be generated by the proposed development and makes recommendations for management of different waste streams.

#### 1.1 Construction & Demolition Waste Management in Ireland

#### European & National Level

The project will follow the "EU Construction and Demolition Waste Management Protocol 2016". A construction and Demolition (C&D) waste is the largest waste stream in the EU – it represents about third of all waste produced. This Protocol fits within the construction 2020 strategy, as well as the communication on resource efficiency opportunities.

The overall aim of this protocol is to increase confidence in the C&D waste management process and the trust in the quality of C&D recycled materials. This will be achieved by:

- Improved waste identification, source separation and collection.
- Improved waste logistics.
- Improved waste processing.
- Quality management.
- Appropriate policy and framework conditions



One of the guiding principles of European waste legislation, which has in turn been incorporated into the Waste Management Act 1996 as amended and subsequent Irish legislation, is the principle of "duty of care". This implies that the waste producer is responsible for waste from the time it is generated through until legal disposal (including its method of disposal.) Following on from this is the concept of "polluter pays" whereby the waste producer is liable to be prosecuted for pollution incidents, which may arise from incorrect management of waste produced, including the actions of any contractors engaged (e.g.: for collection and transport of waste / Permits). The most recent national policy document was published in July 2012, entitled '*A Resource Opportunity* - *Waste Management Policy in Ireland*'. This document stresses the environmental and economic benefits of better waste management, particularly in relation to waste prevention. The document sets out several actions in relation to C&D waste and commits to undertake a review of specific producer responsibility requirements for C&D projects over a certain threshold.

### National Level

The Irish Government issued a policy statement in September 1998 known as *'Changing Our Ways'*, which identified objectives for the prevention, minimisation, reuse, recycling, recovery and disposal of waste in Ireland. The target for C&D waste in this report was to recycle at least 50% of C&D waste within a five-year period (by 2003), with a progressive increase to at least 85% over fifteen years (i.e., 2013).

In response to the *Changing Our Ways* report, a task force (Task Force B4) representing the waste sector of the already established Forum for the Construction Industry, released a report entitled '*Recycling of Construction and Demolition Waste'* concerning the development and implementation of a voluntary construction industry programme to meet the Government's objectives for the recovery of C&D waste.

The most recent national policy document was published in July 2012, entitled 'A Resource Opportunity - Waste Management Policy in Ireland'. This document stresses the environmental and economic benefits of better waste management, particularly in relation to waste prevention. The document sets out a number of actions in relation to C&D waste and commits to undertake a review of specific producer responsibility requirements for C&D projects over a certain threshold.

The National Construction and Demolition Waste Council (NCDWC) was launched in June 2002, as one of the recommendations of the Forum for the Construction Industry, in the Task Force B4 final report. The NCDWC subsequently produced '*Best Practice Guidelines for the Preparation of Waste Management Plans for Construction and Demolition Projects*' in July 2006 in conjunction with the then Department of the Environment, Heritage and Local Government (DoEHLG). The guidelines outline the issues that need to be addressed at the pre-planning stage of a development all the way through to its completion. These guidelines have been followed in the preparation of this document and include the following elements:

- Predicted construction wastes and procedures to prevent, minimise, recycle, and reuse wastes.
- Waste disposal/recycling of construction wastes at the site.
- Provision of training for waste manager and site crew.



- Details of proposed record keeping system.
- Details of waste audit procedures and plan; and
- Details of consultation with relevant bodies i.e., waste recycling companies, Fingal County Council etc.

Section 3 of the Guidelines identifies thresholds above which there is a requirement for the preparation of a C&D Waste Management Plan for developments. This development requires a C&D WMP under the following criterion:

- New residential development of 10 houses or more; and
- Demolition/renovation/refurbishment projects generating in excess of 100m<sup>3</sup> in volume, of waste.

Other guidelines followed in the preparation of this report include 'Construction and Demolition Waste Management – a handbook for Contractors and Site Managers' published by FÁS and the Construction Industry Federation in 2002. These guidance documents are considered to define best practice for C&D projects in Ireland and describe how C&D projects are to be undertaken such that environmental impacts and risks are minimised and maximum levels of waste recycling are achieved.

# **Regional Level**

The proposed development is located in the Local Authority area of Fingal County Council.

The Eastern-Midlands Region Waste Management Plan 2015 – 2021 is the regional waste management plan for the Fingal County Council area published in May 2015. This Plan replaces the previous Waste Management Plan due to changing National policy as set out in A Resource Opportunity: Waste Management Policy in Ireland and changes being enacted by the Waste Framework Directive (WFD) (2008/98/EC). The Regional Plan sets out the strategic targets for waste management in the region but does not set a specific target for C&D waste. However, the Waste Framework Directive sets Member States a target of "70% preparing for reuse, recycling and other recovery of construction and demolition waste" (excluding natural soils and stones and hazardous wastes) to be achieved by 2020.

The *Fingal Development Plan 2017 – 2023* sets out a number of policies for the Fingal County area, in line with the objectives of the regional waste management plan. Waste objectives with a particular relevance to the proposed development are:

# 1.2 Objectives (FDP 2017 – 2023)

- Objective WM03 Implement the provisions of the Eastern Midlands Region Waste Management Plan 2015 -2021 or any subsequent Waste Management Plan applicable within the lifetime of the Development Plan. All prospective developments in the County will be expected to take account of the provisions of the Regional Waste Management Plan and adhere to the requirements of that Plan.
- **Objective WM07** Promote the increased re-use of waste in accordance with the Eastern Midlands Region Waste Management Plan 2015 -2021 (or any subsequent plan).



- **Objective WM18** Ensure that construction and demolition Waste Management Plans meet the relevant recycling / recovery targets for such waste in accordance with the national legislation and regional waste management policy.
- **Objective DMS36** Ensure all new residential schemes include appropriate design measures for refuse storage areas, details of which should be clearly shown at pre-planning and planning application stage. Ensure refuse storage areas are not situated immediately adjacent to the front door or ground floor window unless adequate screened alcoves or other such mitigation measures are provided.
- **Objective DMS37** Ensure the maximum distance between the front door to a communal bin area does not exceed 50 metres. With regard to C&D waste specifically, the Development Plan requires that a 70% target for the re-use, recycling and recovery of man-made C&D waste in Ireland by 2020 is required in compliance with the EC (Waste Directive) Regulations 2011.
- **Objective RF93** Encourage the recycling of construction and demolition waste to reduce the need for extraction.

A Construction & Demolition Waste Management Plan, as a minimum, should include provision for the management of all construction & demolition waste arising on site, and make provision for the re-use of said material and/or the recovery or disposal of this waste to authorised facilities by authorised collectors. Where appropriate, excavated material from development sites should be reused on the subject site.

# 1.3 Legislative Requirements

The primary legislative instruments that govern waste management in Ireland and applicable to the project are:

- Waste Management Act 1996 (No. 10 of 1996) as amended. Sub-ordinate legislation includes:
  - European Communities (Waste Directive) Regulations 2011 (SI 126 of 2011) as amended.
  - Waste Management (Collection Permit) Regulations (S.I No. 820 of 2007) as amended.
  - Waste Management (Facility Permit and Registration) Regulations 2007, (S.I No. 821 of 2007) as amended.
  - Waste Management (Licensing) Regulations 2004 (S.I. No. 395 of 2004) as amended.
  - Waste Management (Packaging) Regulations 2014 (S.I. 282 of 2014) as amended.
  - Waste Management (Planning) Regulations 1997 (S.I. No. 137 of 1997)
  - Waste Management (Landfill Levy) Regulations 2015 (S.I. No. 189 of 2015)
  - European Union (Waste Electrical and Electronic Equipment) Regulations 2014 (S.I. No. 149 of 2014)
  - European Union (Batteries and Accumulators) Regulations 2014 (S.I. No. 283 of 2014) as amended.
  - Waste Management (Food Waste) Regulations 2009 (S.I. 508 of 2009), as amended.
  - European Union (Household Food Waste and Bio-waste) Regulation 2015 (S.I. No. 191 of 2015)
  - Waste Management (Hazardous Waste) Regulations, 1998 (S.I. No. 163 of 1998) as amended.
  - Waste Management (Shipments of Waste) Regulations, 2007 (S.I. No. 419 of 2007) as amended.
  - Waste Management (Movement of Hazardous Waste) Regulations, 1998 (S.I. No. 147 of 1998)
  - European Communities (Transfrontier Shipment of Waste) Regulations 1994 (SI 121 of 1994)
  - European Union (Properties of Waste which Render it Hazardous) Regulations 2015 (S.I. No. 233 of 2015)



- Environmental Protection Act 1992 (No. 7 of 1992) as amended.
- Litter Pollution Act 1997 (No. 12 of 1997) as amended.
- Planning and Development Act 2000 (No. 30 of 2000) as amended.

One of the guiding principles of European waste legislation, which has in turn been incorporated into the *Waste Management Act 1996 - 2001* and subsequent Irish legislation, is the principle of "*Duty of Care*". This implies that the waste producer is responsible for waste from the time it is generated through until its legal recycling, recovery, or disposal (including its method of disposal).

As it is not practical in most cases for the waste producer to physically transfer all waste from where it is produced to the final destination, waste contractors will be employed to physically transport waste to the final destination. Following on from this is the concept of *"Polluter Pays"* whereby the waste producer is liable to be prosecuted for pollution incidents, which may arise from the incorrect management of waste produced, including the actions of any contractors engaged e.g., for transportation and disposal/recovery/recycling of waste.

It is therefore imperative that the client ensures that the waste contractors engaged by construction contractors are legally compliant with respect to waste transportation, recycling, recovery, and disposal. This includes the requirement that a contractor handle, transport, and recycle/recover/dispose of waste in a manner that ensures that no adverse environmental impacts occur as a result of any of these activities.

A collection permit to transport waste must be held by each waste contractor which is issued by the National Waste Collection Permit Office (NWCPO). Waste receiving facilities must also be appropriately permitted or licensed. Operators of such facilities cannot receive any waste, unless in possession of a Certificate of Registration (COR) or Waste Facility Permit granted by the relevant Local Authority under the *Waste Management (Facility Permit & Registration) Regulations 2007 and Amendments* or a waste or IED licence granted by the EPA. The COR/permit/licence held will specify the type and quantity of waste able to be received, stored, sorted, recycled, recovered and/or disposed of at the specified site.



#### 2.0 DESCRIPTION OF THE PROJECT

#### 2.1 Location, Size and Scale of the Development

This Strategic Housing Development (SHD) will comprise a Build to Rent (BTR), Strategic Housing Development (SHD) com- prising the following: Demolition of the existing buildings (former shopping centre and associated structures). Construction of 3 no. apartment blocks (Blocks A - C) ranging in height from 3 to 6 storeys (with Block B over 3 no. lower courtyard floors) providing a total of 101 units (19 no. studios, 41 no. 1-beds, 41 no. 2-beds). Provision of Resident Support Facilities/Resident Services and Amenities, 2 no. retail units, car parking (at ground floor), cycle parking, ESB substation/switch room, plant, bin stores, open space, landscaping, boundary treatments, all associated site works and services provision.

The proposed development will involve the demolition of the former shopping centre and associated buildings with a total are of 4005.8 m<sup>2</sup>

The site was previously the former 'Mall Shopping Centre'. The site is located within a part-urban, part-greenspace area of Balbriggan Town. The site is bounded by Quay Street to the north, High Street to the east and several commercial units and a hotel to the south and the west. Land use to the north consists of commercial units, intersected by the Bracken River and a small park. A mixture of commercial, residential and greenspace occupies the lands to the south and west of the site. Land use to the east is predominantly residential interspersed with greenspace and the occasional commercial unit with Balbriggan Harbour.



Figure 2.1 Site Layout of the Proposed Development



## 2.2 Objectives

The objectives of the CDWMP are as follows:

- Promote an integrated approach to waste management throughout the project construction & demolition stage and to set out appropriate responsibilities.
- Promote sustainable waste management in line with waste management hierarchy.
- Provide an outline for the management of wastes arising from construction works for the project in accordance with the relevant Irish and EU waste management legislation; and
- Provide a framework for the designers and the Principal Contractor to appropriately manage waste generated during the course of the project. Both the designers and the Principal Contractor will be responsible for implementing the findings and recommendations of the CDWMP in their "Site Waste Management Plan" (SWMP).

The CDWMP outlines methods to achieve waste prevention, maximum recycling and recovery of waste and provides recommendations for the management of the various anticipated waste streams. The plan also provides guidance on collection and transport of waste to prevent issues associated with litter or more serious environmental pollution (e.g., contamination of soil or water resources). The CDWMP describes the applicable legal and policy framework for C&D waste management in Ireland (both nationally and regionally).

### 2.3 Details of the Non-Hazardous Wastes to be produced.

There will be subsoil excavated to facilitate demolition and construction of the new building's foundations, installation of services and site levelling. The project engineers, ORS Engineers, have estimated that the total volume of material to be excavated will be c. 4,900 m<sup>3</sup>. However, in the unlikely event that there is surplus material that requires removal from site and it is deemed to be a waste, removal and reuse/recycling/recovery/disposal of the material will be carried out in accordance with the *Waste Management Act 1996* (as amended), the *Waste Management (Collection Permit) Regulations 2007* (as amended) and the *Waste Management (Facility Permit & Registration) Regulations 2007* (as amended). The volume of waste requiring recovery/disposal will dictate whether a Certificate of Registration (COR), permit or license is required by the receiving facility.

An Article 27 application may also be made to the EPA. Soil requiring off-site disposal will be sampled and classified for waste disposal purposes and will be disposed of at appropriately permitted or licensed facilities and will be subject to waste classification in accordance with relevant waste legislation (Classification, Labelling and Packaging Regulation (CLP) European Waste Catalogue and Hazardous Waste List (EPA, 2002), EU Council Decision (2003/33/EC) of 19 December 2002 establishing criteria and procedures for the acceptance of waste at landfills pursuant to Article 16 of Annex II to Directive 1999/31/EC, Council Directive 1999/31/EC on the landfill of waste, Waste Management Act 1996 and the Environment (Miscellaneous Provisions) Act 2011 (No. 20 of 2011).

All excavated materials will be visually assessed for signs of possible contamination such as staining or strong odours. Should any unusual staining or odour be noticed, this soil will be segregated and samples of this soil analysed for the



presence of possible contaminants in order to determine an appropriate disposal outlet. There was limited evidence of contamination identified in soil laboratory analysis from the geotechnical site investigation works.

During the construction phase there may be a surplus of building materials, such as timber off-cuts, broken concrete blocks, cladding, plastics, metals, and tiles generated. There may also be excess concrete during construction which will need to be disposed of. Plastic and cardboard waste from packaging and oversupply of materials will also be generated. Waste will also be generated from construction workers e.g., organic/food waste, dry mixed recyclables (wastepaper, newspaper, plastic bottles, packaging, aluminium cans, tins, and Tetra Pak cartons), mixed non-recyclables and potentially sewage sludge from temporary welfare facilities provided onsite during the construction phase. Waste printer/toner cartridges, waste electrical and electronic equipment (WEEE) and waste batteries may also be generated infrequently from site offices.

#### 2.4 Potentially Hazardous Wastes to be Produced.

#### **Contaminated Soil**

In the event that any contaminated material is encountered, it will need to be segregated from clean/inert material, tested, and classified as either non-hazardous or hazardous in accordance with the EPA publication entitled *Waste Classification: List of Waste & Determining if Waste is Hazardous or Non-Hazardous'* using the *HazWaste Online* application (or similar approved classification method). The material will then need to be classified as clean, inert, non-hazardous, or hazardous in accordance with the *EC Council Decision 2003/33/EC*, which establishes the criteria for the acceptance of waste at landfills.

#### Fuel/Oils

As fuels and oils are classed as hazardous materials, any on-site storage of fuel/oil, all storage tanks and all draw-off points will be bunded (or stored in double-skinned tanks) and located in a dedicated, secure area of the site. Provided that these requirements are adhered to and site crew are trained in the appropriate refuelling techniques, it is not expected that there will be any fuel/oil wastage at the site.

#### **Other known Hazardous Substances**

Paints, glues, adhesives, and other known hazardous substances will be stored in designated areas. They will generally be present in small volumes only and associated waste volumes generated will be kept to a minimum. Wastes will be stored in appropriate receptacles pending collection by an authorised waste contractor. In addition, WEEE (containing hazardous components), printer toner/cartridges, batteries (Lead, Ni-Cd or Mercury) and/or fluorescent tubes and other mercury containing waste may be generated during construction activities. These wastes (if encountered) will be stored in appropriate receptacles in designated areas of the site pending collection by an authorised waste contractor. In the event that hazardous soil, or historically deposited hazardous waste is encountered during the work, the contractor must notify Fingal County Council, Environmental Enforcement Section, and provide a Hazardous/Contaminated Soil Management Plan, to include estimated tonnages, description of location, any relevant mitigation, destination for authorised disposal/treatment, in addition to information on the authorised waste collectors.



### Main C&D Waste Categories

The main non-hazardous and hazardous waste streams that could be generated by the construction and demolition activities at a typical site are shown in Table 2.1. The selected waste streams are suggested under *"Best Practice Guidelines on the Preparation of Waste Management Plans for Construction and Demolition Projects – Appendix 3"*. The List of Waste (LoW) code (as effected from 1<sup>st</sup> June 2015) (also referred to as the European Waste Code or EWC) for each waste stream is also shown.

Description of Waste	EWC Code
Concrete, Bricks, Tiles and Ceramics	17 01
Concrete	17 01 01
Bricks	17 01 02
Tiles and Ceramics	17 01 03
Mixture of concrete, bricks tiles & ceramics	17 01 07
Wood, Glass and Plastic	17 02
Wood	17 02 01
Glass	17 02 02
Plastic	17 02 03
Bituminous mixtures, coal tar and products	17 03
Bituminous mixtures containing other than those mentioned in 17 03 01	17 03 02
Bituminous Mixtures including Coal Tar and Tarred products	17 03
Metals (including their alloys)	17 04
Copper, Bronze, Brass	17 04 01
Aluminum	17 04 02
Lead	17 04 03
Zinc	17 04 04
Iron and Steel	17 04 05
Tin	17 04 06
Mixed Metals	17 04 07
Cables other than those mentioned in 17 04 10	17 04 11
Insulation and asbestos-containing Construction Materials	17 06
Gypsum based construction Materials	17 08
Other Construction and Demolition Materials	17 09
Mixed Construction and Demolition Waste other than those mentioned in 17 0901, 17 09 02, 17 09 03	17 09 04
Sewage Screenings	19 08 01
Paper and Cardboard	20 01 01
Wood other than that mentioned in 20 01 37	20.01 38
Soil and Stones	17 05 04
Mixed Municipal Waste	20 03 01

 Table 2.1 Typical waste types generated and EWCs (individual waste types may contain hazardous substances)



# 2.5 Phasing of the Development

A construction program of 18 - 24 months is anticipated for the project.

# 2.5.1 Pre-Construction Activities

The main contractor will establish site setup, appropriate signing, hoarding, security fencing and welfare facilities.

- Condition Surveys: to be completed on adjacent properties, roads boundaries, etc.
- Demolition of existing buildings: Former shopping centre and associated structures

# 2.5.2 Site Set-Up and Hoarding

Perimeter hoarding will be provided around the site to provide a barrier against unauthorized access from the public areas. Controlled access points to the site, in the form of gates or doors, will be kept locked for any time that these areas are not monitored (e.g. outside working hours). The hoarding will be well-maintained and will be painted. Any hoardings may contain graphics portraying project information. The site hoarding will be branded using the appointed contractor's logos etc. Some marketing images or information boards may also be placed on the hoarding. Access to site will be controlled and monitored outside of site working hours. All personnel working on site must have a valid Safe Pass card and the relevant CSCS cards.

# 2.5.3 Site Access, Deliveries and Traffic Management

A site-specific Traffic Management Plan, (TMP) has been completed for the site. This Outline Traffic Management Plan, (OTMP) is designed to facilitate access to the site by plant, machinery, and work vehicles during collections/deliveries; and to minimise traffic impacts of construction to local residents in the vicinity of the site.

Section 6 of CEMP details the key elements listed below which introduce temporary measures to facilitate access to the site by plant, machinery, and trucks during the construction phase.

# Key elements of the TMP include:

- Construction Entrance and Construction Traffic Control
  - Access In
  - Access Out
- Construction Vehicle Numbers
- Deliveries to Site
- Site Access
- Cranes and Lifting Equipment
- Routing of Construction Traffic
- Traffic Management Speed Limits
- Road Cleaning /condition/closures
- Enforcement
- Working hours



- Emergency Procedures
- Communications

# 2.5.4 Site Clearance and Demolition

The proposed development will involve the demolition of the former shopping centre and associated buildings with a total are of 4005.8 m<sup>2</sup>. Figure 3. in section 3.1, illustrates the existing site layout and highlights the buildings scheduled for demolition.

The following protocol is to be followed prior to all site clearance works;

- Demolition works are to be carried out in accordance with BS 6187 Code of Practice for Demolition.
- Establish site welfare facilities with first aid station;
- Surveying and removal of any potentially hazardous materials;
- Detailed services survey to identify all buried services and services which potentially serve adjoining properties;
- Carrying out any necessary services diversions and decommissioning works;
- Removal of free-standing materials which may remain in the property;
- Demolition of internal structures within the existing buildings using a handheld hydraulic breaker or a sledgehammer in a top-to-bottom approach.
- Total demolition of the external structure of the existing warehouses will be carried out using a demolition excavator fitted with concrete pulveriser.

### 2.5.5 Excavation

Excavation works are expected to be spread across a number of stages given the natural topography of the site, to be finalised by the main contractor once appointed. It is estimated that a total volume of 4,900m<sup>3</sup> of material will be excavated. The appointed contractor will prepare a project-specific Soil Management Plan.

# 2.5.6 Construction Sequence of Multi-Storey Apartment Blocks

The appointed contractor will prepare a project-specific construction programme.

- Substrate
- Superstructure
- Envelope
- Earth Retaining Structures



### 3.0 WASTE MANAGEMENT

### 3.1 Demolition Waste Generation

The proposed development will involve the demolition of the former shopping centre and associated buildings with a total area of 4005.8 m<sup>2</sup>. Demolition figures published by the EPA in the 'National Waste Reports' 14 and data from previous projects have been used to estimate the approximate break-down for indicative reuse/recovery (offsite), recycling and disposal targets of demolition waste. The breakdown is shown in Table 3.1. The total tonnage of waste to be generated by demolition works is approximately 953.38 tonnes.

	Waste Type	%	(Tonnes)
1	Concrete, Bricks, Tiles, Ceramic *	64	610.16
2	Timber	13	123.94
3	Slate	8	76.27
4	Asphalt, Tar and Tar products	6	57.20
5	Plasterboard	4	38.14
6	Glass	3	28.60
7	Metals *	2	19.07
	Total Wate	100%	953.38

 Table 3.1 Breakdown of Demolition Waste based on the BRE Waste Benchmark Data.

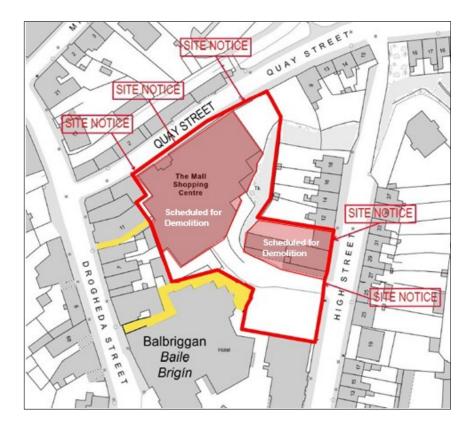


Figure 3.1 Buildings Scheduled for demolition.



# 3.2 Construction Waste Generation

Table 3.2 shows the breakdown of C&D waste types produced on a typical site based on data from the EPA National Waste Reports, the GMIT 16 and other research reports.

Waste Types	%
Mixed C&D	33
Timber	28
Plasterboard	10
Metals	8
Concrete	6
Other	15
Total	100

Table 3.2 Waste materials generated on a typical Irish construction site.

Table 3.3 shows the predicted construction waste generation for the proposed development based on the information available to date along with the targets for management of the waste streams. The predicted waste amounts are based on an average large-scale development waste generation rate per m<sup>2</sup>, using the waste breakdown rates shown in Table 3.2 Estimates of the following quantities of construction and demolition wastes/material surpluses which will arise are outline in Table 3.3:

Waste Types	Tonnes	Reuse		Recycle/Recover		Disposal	
		%	Tonnes	%	Tonnes	%	Tonnes
Mixed C&D	706.10	10	70.61	80	564.88	10	70.61
Timber	599.12	40	239.65	55	329.51	5	29.96
Plasterboard	213.97	30	64.19	60	128.38	10	21.40
Metals	171.18	5	8.56	90	154.06	5	8.56
Concrete	128.38	30	38.51	65	83.45	5	6.42
Other	320.95	20	64.19	60	192.57	20	64.19
Total	2139.70		485.71		1452.86		201.13

Table 3.3 Estimated on and off-site reuse, recycle and disposal rates for construction waste.

These quantities are provisional only and subject to further determination during construction works. The project engineers, ORS Engineers, have estimated that the total volume of material to be excavated will be c. 4,900 m<sup>3</sup>.

# 3.3 Soil Management

Project works will result in the excavation of soils as part of the site development. The Principal Contractor will, prepare a project-specific Soil Management Plan, which will detail the following as a minimum:

• Detail in-situ (prior to excavation) and ex-situ (post excavation) methodologies to classify waste soil for appropriate disposal, in accordance with relevant Irish and EU legislation and guidance,



- Identify reuse requirements and soils suitable for reuse on site in consultation with the design team, including assessment methodology to determine which soils are suitable for re-use onsite,
- Site management procedures, including waste minimisation, stockpile management, temporary storage procedures, waste licence requirements,
- Waste Management documentation, including waste generation record keeping, waste transfer notes and confirmation of appropriate disposal.

# 3.3.1 Excavated Soil & Materials

A Soil Waste Classification will be produced ahead of works. The Principal Contractor will detail relevant procedures, including further environmental sampling, testing and assessment requirements, sampling protocols and sample density targets. Where any hotspots of potential contamination are encountered, and prior to excavation, further assessment will be undertaken by a suitably qualified environmental scientist to determine the nature and extent of remediation required.

### 3.3.2 Soil for Reuse on Site

Where the Principal Contractor proposes to reuse excavated soil within the works e.g., as backfill, and where reuse is permitted in accordance with the relevant legislation and provided that the reuse meets the engineering requirements for material used within the works, the Principal Contractor shall set out their proposal for its management, documentation, and reuse. This shall include:

- Delineation of areas where excavated soil is intended for disposal off-site as waste, and where it is intended for re-use on site.
- Identification and recording of the location from where the soil will be excavated and its proposed re-use location and function.
- Engineering assessment to confirm its suitability for re-use.
- Any proposed treatment or processing required enabling its reuse, as well as any associated treatment permits or licences; and
- Determination of by-product or end-of-waste status with the EPA under Article 27 or Article 28, where applicable (not anticipated).

### 3.3.3 Soil for Removal Off-site

Where appropriate, excavated soil and material intended for recovery or disposal off-site shall require Waste Assessment Criteria (WAC) testing and subsequent waste classification in order to select an appropriate receiving facility for the waste. It is noted that natural soil showing no visual or olfactory signs of impact may, in certain circumstances, be classified without testing, once this has been agreed with the waste receiving facility. A log shall be maintained on site to record the haulier employed and gate receipts for all excavated waste removed from the site.

Assessment of the excavated material shall be carried out with regard to the following guidance and legislation:

• EU Council Decision 2003/33/EC establishing criteria and procedures for the acceptance of waste at landfills pursuant to Article 16 and Annex II of Directive 1999/31/EC (2002).



- Regulation (EC) No. 1272/2008: the classification, labelling and packaging of substances and mixtures (CLP).
- Environmental Protection Agency document entitled Waste Classification; List of waste and determining if waste is Hazardous or Non-Hazardous; and
- UK Environment Agency Technical Guidance WM3: Waste Classification Guidance on the classification and assessment of waste.

Waste soil and material intended for off-site disposal, recycling or recovery shall not be removed from site prior to appropriate waste classification and receiving written confirmation of acceptance from the selected waste receiving facility. While waste classification and acceptance at a waste facility is pending, excavated soil for disposal shall be stockpiled in an appropriate manner, as follows:

- A suitable temporary storage area shall be identified and designated.
- All stockpiles shall be assigned a stockpile number.
- Non-hazardous and hazardous soil shall be stockpiled only on hard-standing or high-grade polythene sheeting to prevent cross-contamination of the soil below.
- Soil stockpiles shall be covered with high-grade polythene sheeting to prevent run-off of rainwater and leaching of potential contaminants from the stockpiled material generation and/or the generation of dust; and
- When a stockpile has been sampled for classification purposes, it shall be considered to be complete and no more soil shall be added to that stockpile prior to disposal.

An excavation/stockpile register shall be maintained on site showing at least the following information:

- Stockpile number.
- Origin (i.e., location and depth of excavation).
- Approximate volume of stockpile.
- Date of creation.
- Description and Classification of material.
- Date sampled.
- Date removed from site.
- Disposal/recovery destination; and
- Photograph.

# 3.4 Proposed Waste Management Options

Waste materials generated will be segregated on site, where it is practical. Where the on-site segregation of certain wastes types is not practical, off-site segregation will be carried out. There will be skips and receptacles provided to facilitate segregation at source where feasible. All waste receptacles leaving site will be covered or enclosed. The appointed waste contractor will collect and transfer the wastes as receptacles are filled. There are numerous waste contractors in the Fingal region that provide this service.



All waste arising's will be handled by an approved waste contractor holding a current waste collection permit. All waste arising's requiring disposal off-site will be reused, recycled, recovered, or disposed of at a facility holding the appropriate registration, permit or licence, as required.

Some of the sub-contractors on site will generate waste in relatively low quantities. The transportation of nonhazardous waste by persons who are not directly involved with the waste business, at weights less than or equal to 2 tonnes, and in vehicles not designed for the carriage of waste, are exempt from the requirement to have a waste collection permit (Ref. Article 30 (1) (b) of the Waste Collection Permit Regulations 2007 as amended). Any subcontractors engaged that do not generate more than 2 tonnes of waste at any one time can transport this waste offsite in their work vehicles (which are not design for the carriage of waste). However, they are required to ensure that the receiving facility has the appropriate COR / permit / licence.

Written records will be maintained by the contractor(s) detailing the waste arising throughout the construction phases, the classification of each waste type, waste collection permits for all waste contactors who collect waste from the site and COR/permit or licence for the receiving waste facility for all waste removed off site for appropriate reuse, recycling, recovery and/or disposal.

Dedicated bunded storage containers will be provided for hazardous wastes which may arise such as batteries, paints, oils, chemicals etc, if required. The management of the main waste streams is outlined as follows:

### **Bedrock**

It is not anticipated that bedrock will be encountered during the excavation phase of this development. According to the Geological Survey of Ireland's map viewer, the site is underlain by a locally important aquifer – bedrock which is moderately productive.

### Silt & Sludge

During the construction phase, silt and petrochemical interception should be carried out on runoff and pumped water from site works, where required. Sludge and silt will then be collected by a suitably licensed contractor and removed offsite.

#### Concrete Blocks, Bricks, Tiles & Ceramics

The majority of concrete blocks, bricks, tiles, and ceramics generated as part of the construction works are expected to be clean, inert material and should be recycled, where possible.

#### Hard Plastic

As hard plastic is a highly recyclable material, much of the plastic generated will be primarily from material off-cuts. All recyclable plastic will be segregated and recycled, where possible.

#### <u>Timber</u>

Timber that is uncontaminated, i.e., free from paints, preservatives, glues etc., will be disposed of in a separate skip and recycled off-site.



### Metal

Metals will be segregated into mixed ferrous, aluminium cladding, high grade stainless steel, low grade stainless steel etc., where practical and stored in skips. Metal is highly recyclable and there are numerous companies that will accept these materials.

### **Plasterboard**

There are currently a number of recycling services for plasterboard in Ireland. Plasterboard from the construction phase will be stored in a separate skip, pending collection for recycling. The site manager will ensure that oversupply of new plasterboard is carefully monitored to minimise waste.

# <u>Glass</u>

Glass materials will be segregated for recycling, where possible.

#### Waste Electrical and Electronic Equipment (WEEE)

Any WEEE will be stored in dedicated covered cages/receptacles/pallets pending collection for recycling.

### Other Recyclables

Where any other recyclable wastes such as cardboard and soft plastic are generated, these will be segregated at source into dedicated skips and removed off-site.

#### Non-Recyclable Waste

Construction waste which is not suitable for reuse or recovery, such as polystyrene, some plastics and some cardboards, will be placed in separate skips or other receptacles. Prior to removal from site, the non-recyclable waste skip/receptacle will be examined by a member of the waste team to determine if recyclable materials have been placed in there by mistake. If this is the case, efforts will be made to determine the cause of the waste not being segregated correctly and recyclable waste will be removed and placed into the appropriate receptacle.

#### Other Hazardous Wastes

On-site storage of any hazardous wastes produced (i.e., contaminated soil if encountered and/or waste fuels) will be kept to a minimum, with removal off-site organised on a regular basis. Storage of all hazardous wastes on-site will be undertaken so as to minimise exposure to on-site personnel and the public and to also minimise potential for environmental impacts. Hazardous wastes will be recovered, wherever possible, and failing this, disposed of appropriately.

It should be noted that until a construction contractor is appointed it is not possible to provide information on the specific destinations of each construction waste stream. Prior to commencement of construction and removal of any construction waste offsite, details of the proposed destination of each waste stream will be provided to Fingal County Council by the project team.



# 3.5 Waste Minimisation

The following waste minimisation measures will be implemented during the course of the construction works:

- Facilitate recycling and appropriate disposal by on site segregation of all waste materials generated during construction into appropriate categories, including:
  - Top-soil, subsoil, gravel hard-core
  - Concrete, bricks, tile, ceramics, plasterboard
  - Asphalt, tar, and tar products
  - Metals
  - Dry Recyclables e.g., cardboard, plastic, timber
- All waste assessed by the Waste Manager as 'not suitable for reuse' will be stored in skips or other suitable receptacles in a designated area of the site, to prevent cross contamination between waste streams.
- Uncontaminated excavated material (top-soil, sub soil, etc.) will be segregated, stockpiled, and re-used on site in preference to importation of clean fill, where possible; and
- Where possible, the Waste Manager will ensure that all waste leaving site will be recycled or recovered.
- Identification of potential for reuse of Inert wastes
- Materials to be ordered on an "as needed" basis to prevent oversupply and material build up on site.
- Appropriate storage facilities should be provided to ensure materials are correctly handled and stored thus reducing damage to materials.
- Material ordering shall coincide with the programme of works to reduce the need to store materials on site.
- Sub-contractors will be responsible for the management of their wastes.
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# 3.6 Waste Compound

- Details of the provision of a dedicated and secure compound, containing bins and skips into which all waste generated by construction site activities will be placed.
- Responsibility for provision of signage and verbal instruction to ensure proper housekeeping and segregation of construction waste materials.
- Responsibility for identification of Permitted Waste Contractors who shall be employed to collect and dispose of waste arising from the construction works.
- It is the responsibility of the Construction Project Manager or nominated person that all contracted waste hauliers employed at the site hold an appropriate waste collection permit for the waste streams which will be generated and that all waste materials are disposed of at an appropriately licensed or permitted waste facility.
- The Construction Project Manager or nominated person is also responsible for ensuring that all waste materials are disposed of at an appropriately licensed or permitted waste facility.



## 3.6.1 Waste Handling /Segregation and Storage

Wastes generated during works will be segregated and temporarily stored on site (pending collection or for re-use on site) in accordance with a pre-determined segregation and storage strategy (to be developed by the Principal Contractor as part of their SWMP).

The following minimum segregation and storage strategy requirements will be required:

- Waste streams will be individually segregated; and all segregation, storage & stockpiling locations will be clearly delineated on site drawings.
- Waste storage, fuel storage and stockpiling and movement are to be undertaken with a view to protecting any essential services (electricity, water etc.) and with a view to protecting existing surface water drains and groundwater quality boreholes (if applicable).
- Roles and responsibilities of those managing the segregation and storage areas will be identified.
- The waste storage area should contain suitably sized containers for each waste stream and will be agreed with the waste contractors in advance of the commencement of the project.
- All segregation and waste storage areas will be inspected regularly by the appointed Waste Manager.
- Waste will be stored on site, including metals, asphalt, and soil stockpiles, in such a manner as to:
  - Prevent environmental pollution (bunded and/or covered storage, minimise noise generation and implement dust/odour control measures, as may be required).
  - Maximise waste segregation to minimise potential cross contamination of waste streams and facilitate subsequent re-use, recycling, and recovery; and
  - Prevent hazards to site workers and the general public during construction phase (largely noise, vibration, and dust).

# 3.7 Tracking and Documentation Procedures for Off-Site Waste

All waste will be documented prior to leaving the site. Waste will be weighed by the contractor, either by weighing mechanism on the truck or at the receiving facility. These waste records will be maintained on site by the nominated project Waste Manager. All movement of waste and the use of waste contractors will be undertaken in accordance with the *Waste Management Acts 1996 – 2011*. This includes the requirement for all waste contractors to have a waste collection permit issued by the NWCPO. The nominated project waste manager will maintain a copy of all waste collection permits on-site.

If the waste is being transported to another site, a copy of the Local Authority waste COR/permit or EPA Waste/IED Licence for that site will be provided to the nominated project waste manager. If the waste is being shipped abroad, a copy of the Transfrontier Shipping (TFS) notification document will be obtained and kept on-site along with details of the final destination (COR, permits, licences etc.). A receipt from the final destination of the material will be kept as part of the on-site waste management records. All information will be entered in a waste management recording system to be maintained on site.



### 4.0 WASTE IDENTIFICATION, CLASSIFICATION, QUANTIFICATION AND HANDLING

During the construction phase, there will be some building material and packaging waste generated. This will mainly include excess ready-mix concrete and mortar, timber off cuts, plastics, metal off cuts, cladding and tile offcuts, as well as plastic and cardboard waste from packaging and potential oversupply of materials. Where possible, individual waste arisings shall be identified, classified, and quantified (volume, weight) as early in the project lifecycle as is possible but, inevitably, unanticipated waste arisings may occur as site work progresses, necessitating the need for a procedure to provide for waste classification as the site work proceeds.

It is anticipated that the majority of non-hazardous and inert waste generated will be suitable for reuse, recovery or recycling and will be segregated to facilitate the reuse, recovery and/or recycling, where possible. A non-exhaustive list of anticipated wastes from the construction phase and preliminary classification as either hazardous or non-hazardous is presented in Table 4.0.

Hazardous Waste	Non-Hazardous Waste
Excess Electrical & Electronic Components	Asphalt
Liquid Fuels	• Metals (stainless steel, mild steel, copper,
Batteries	aluminium)
Concrete (contaminated with dangerous	• Wood (Clean), glass, plastic, paper, and
substances)	cardboard
• Excavated Soil (contaminated with dangerous	Concrete (not contaminated with dangerous
substances)	substances)
Other construction and demolition wastes	• Excavated soil/fill (not contaminated with
containing dangerous substances	dangerous substances)
	Municipal waste

Table 4.0 Potential Non-Hazardous and Hazardous Waste Classification

Wastes arising for the project will be segregated, identified, and classified by the Principal Contractor in accordance with applicable waste regulations.

Wastes shall not be removed from the site until properly classified, assigned a correct LoW code and all appropriate tracking and disposal documentation is in place. For each waste stream identified and classified, and for each waste stream that may arise during the course of the works, the following shall be identified and documented by the Principal Contractor in their SWMP:

 An appropriate waste classification and correct LoW code; Where a waste type is considered a mirror entry, the classification of materials as non-hazardous and/or hazardous waste will be determined based on the www.hazwasteonline.com web-based waste assessment system (as recognized by the Environmental Protection Agency) and using Waste Acceptance Criteria in accordance with the European Communities (EC) Council Decision 2003/33/EC, which establishes criteria for the acceptance of waste at landfills;



- A suitable Waste Collection Contractor in possession of a valid Waste Collection Permit for the collection of waste within the Fingal County Council area.
- Appropriate waste recovery, recycling, or disposal facilities, including any required transfer stations whereupon the said facilities shall be in possession of a valid Waste Facility Certificate of Registration, permit or Waste Licence, as appropriate.
- A recovery, recycling, or disposal plan for the waste, where applicable. Where any material is being recovered onsite or offsite for reuse; the Principal Contractor will provide confirmation of any application to EPA under Article 276 or Article 287 to classify material as a by-product or as end of life waste respectively; and
- Final reconciled waste quantities generated, including details of waste disposal, reuse, and recovery quantities.



#### 5.0 ESTIMATED COST OF WASTE MANAGEMENT

An outline of the costs associated with different aspects of waste management is provided below. The total cost of construction waste management will be measured and will take into account handling costs, storage costs, transportation costs, revenue from rebates and disposal costs.

### 5.1 Reuse

By reusing materials on site, there will be a reduction in the transport and recycle/recovery/disposal costs associated with the requirement for a waste contractor to take the material off-site. Clean and inert soils, gravel, stones etc. which cannot be reused on site may be used as capping material for landfill sites, or for the reinstatement of quarries etc. This material is often taken free of charge or a reduced fee for such purposes, reducing final waste disposal costs.

# 5.2 Recycling

Salvageable metals will earn a rebate which can be offset against the costs of collection and transportation of the skips. Clean uncontaminated cardboard and certain hard plastics can also be recycled. Waste contractors will charge considerably less to take segregated wastes, such as recyclable waste, from a site than mixed waste. Timber can be recycled as chipboard. Again, waste contractors will charge considerably less to take segregated wastes such as timber from a site than mixed waste.

#### 5.3 Disposal

Landfill charges in the Leinster region are currently at around €130-150 per tonne which includes a €75 per tonne landfill levy specified in the Waste Management (Landfill Levy) Regulations 2015. In addition to disposal costs, waste contractors will also charge a collection fee for skips.

Collection of segregated construction waste usually costs less than municipal waste. Specific construction waste contractors take the waste off-site to a licensed or permitted facility and, where possible, remove salvageable items from the waste stream before disposing of the remainder to landfill. Clean soil, rubble, etc. is also used as fill/capping material, wherever possible.

### 6.0 ROLES & RESPONSIBILITIES

All parties involved in the Project will have responsibility for waste management. Responsibility will vary at different stages of the project lifecycle. Key responsibilities are set out in Table 6.1.

Some responsibility assignments indicated in Table 6.1 may change, depending on the agreed project contractual arrangements and project design requirements. The appointed Principal Contractor will be responsible for refining and implementing the findings of the outline CDWMP within their own over-arching Site Waste Management Plan (SWMP).

Responsible Party	Responsibility	Project Stage
Client	Appointment of competent Principal Contractor and Design Team	Project initiation and subsequent tendering phases
	Responsibility of waste management from 'cradle to grave', including documentation of same.	All project stages
Principal Contractor	Construction & Demolition Waste Management Plan implementation	Project Implementation
	Refinement and implementation of the outline CDWMP within their own over-arching Site Waste Management Plan (SWMP)	Project Implementation
	Appoint competent and authorised waste management contractor(s)	Project tendering phase
	Appoint trained, competent Construction Project Manager	Construction phase
	SWMP implementation	Project Implementation
Construction Project Manager & Project	Ensure that the objectives of both the CDWMP and the contractors SWMP are put in place.	Construction stage
Project Environmental Consultant.	Waste characterisation. Selection of techniques and design to minimise waste and to maximise recovery and recycling of waste during the project.	Construction stage
	Maintenance of Waste Documentation for 3 years. Completion of Final Waste Management Report	Project Design Phase and during project implementation
	Educate colleagues, site staff, external contractors, and suppliers about alternatives to conventional construction waste disposal	Post-construction stage Construction stage
Design Team	Identification of Key Waste Streams	Project Design Phase
	Design to minimise waste generation in lifecycle of completed construction.	Project Design Phase
	Design of Soil Excavation Plan Adequately provide for waste management in tender documents and declare all relevant information & data.	Project Design Phase Project Procurement Phase
Subcontractors	Comply with CDWMP and Contractors SWMP, where relevant	Project Implementation

Table 6.1. Construction Stage Waste Management – Key Responsibilities



#### 7.0 WASTE MANAGEMENT PLAN AWARENESS & TRAINING

Copies of the CDWMP and the Principal Contractor's Site Waste Management Plan will be made available to all personnel on site.

All site personnel and sub-contractors will be instructed about the objectives of these plans and informed of the responsibilities which fall upon them as a consequence of its provisions. Where source segregation and selective material reuse techniques apply, each member of staff will be given instructions on how to comply with the CDWMP.

Posters will be designed to reinforce the key messages within the CDWMP and will be displayed prominently for the benefit of site staff. Specialist training as may be required (e.g., asbestos containing materials handling) will be assessed or provided as required. Daily toolbox talks will be conducted by the Construction Project Manager as standard practice.

#### 8.0 ENVIRONMENTAL MANAGEMENT

#### 8.1 Work hours

Construction operations on site will generally be subject to the planning permission and conditions. However, it may be necessary for some construction operations to be undertaken outside these times, for example, service diversions and connections, concrete finishing and fit-out works, etc.

Deliveries of materials to site will generally be between the hours of 08:00 – 19:00 Monday to Friday, and 08:00 to 14:00 on Saturdays. There may be occasions where it is necessary to make certain deliveries outside these times, for example, where large loads are limited to road usage outside peak times.

# 8.2 Liaison with Local Community

Appointment of a Liaison Officer as a single point of contact to engage with the community and respond to concerns. A display board will be erected outside the site, which at a minimum will identify key personnel contact addresses and telephone numbers. A log shall be maintained on site of all complaints detailing:

- Name and address of complainant
- Time and date complaint was made.
- Date, time, and duration of noise
- > Characteristics, such as rumble, clatters, intermittent, etc.
- Likely cause or source of noise
- Weather conditions, such as wind speed and direction
- Investigative and follow -up actions.

An important element of community liaison will be the provision of updates to the community on the construction programme. In this regard each edition of the Community Newsletter will feature an update to the construction programme along with details of any upcoming Exceptional Activities which may impact on traffic, short term accessibility for businesses or residents or have the potential to be disruptive.



# 8.3 Dust and Air Quality

A programme of air quality monitoring at the site boundaries for the duration of excavation and construction activities to ensure that the air quality standards as set out in The Air Quality Standards Regulations 2011 relating to dust deposition and specifically PM<sub>10</sub> levels are not exceeded. (A dust limitation value of 350mg/m<sup>2</sup>/day is generally considered appropriate)

# 8.4 Noise and Vibration

The Contractor will be required to restrict noise levels to the following levels:

- Daytime (08:00 to 19:00 hrs) 55dB
- Evening (19:00 to 23:00 hrs) 50dB
- Night-time (23:00 to 08:00 hrs) 45dB (measured from nearest noise sensitive location)

A baseline noise monitoring programme will be completed prior to construction works commencing. Noise monitoring will be carried out a several locations within the public realm. The proposed development will be obliged to comply with BS 5228 "Noise Control on Construction and Open Sites Part 1".

### 8.5 Surface Water and Groundwater

Monitoring of potential impacts to the Bracken River will be carried out for the duration of the construction programme to ensure there is no impact from site activities. The main pollutants with the potential to impact water receptors are silt, fuel/oil, concrete, and chemicals. There are a number of steps outlined in the CEMP to eliminate contamination of site surface water runoff. The recommendations in the CEMP are advised with reference to the Eastern Regional Fisheries Board recommendations for protection of adjacent water courses during the construction phase.

### 8.6 Other Environmental Mitigation

Details of the below are discussed in more detail in the CEMP completed for the Templar Place SHD by ORS Engineers.

- Ecology and Biodiversity
- Mitigation for Birds
- Mitigation for Downstream Impacts
- Mitigation for Flora
- Mitigation for Bats
- Mitigation for Invasive Species

Technical monitoring reports detailing all measurement results shall be subsequently prepared and maintained on site.



# 9.0 RECORD KEEPING

A Waste Documentation System will be prepared by the Principal Contractor and included in their SWMP. The Principal Contractor will be responsible for implementation and auditing the Waste Documentation System on a regular basis.

The documentation to be maintained, as a minimum, shall be the following:

- The names of the agent(s) and transporter(s) of the wastes.
- The name(s) of the person(s) responsible for the ultimate recycling, recovery, or disposal of the wastes.
- The ultimate destination(s) of the wastes.
- Written confirmation of the acceptance and recovery, recycling, or disposal of any waste consignments.
- The tonnages and LoW code for all waste materials.
- Details of any rejected waste consignments.
- Waste Transfer Forms (WTF) for hazardous wastes transferred from site and associated appendices.
- Completed Transfrontier Shipment Forms (TFS) for hazardous wastes transferred abroad.
- Written documentation of waste classifications, including any related analyses; and
- Certificates of Recycling, Recovery, Re-Use or Disposal for all wastes transferred from the site.

Additional records which must be maintained include:

- Contractors and subcontractors on Site every day
- All main contractor employees on Site
- All plant and equipment on Site
- All visitors [including Health and Safety procedures] and any associated reports
- Weather every day
- Activity during the day
- Invoices showing standard of material installed adheres to specifications
- Results of concrete cube, slump, and other testing
- Any accident and incident reports, safety audits internal or external
- Safety statement and safety file
- Site programme
- Any other items required by the Contractor to maintain on site by law, building regulations, building control or health and safety.
- Minutes of all site meetings
- Any applicable certificates

All waste records will be maintained for at least a period of 3 years and must be subject to verification and validation. All waste documentation will be maintained by the Principal Contractor in a safe place, preferably on site, during the project implementation phase. Electronic records will be placed on a secure server that is backed up regularly. Allowance of time and resources will be made to collate outstanding waste records once the project implementation phase has been completed.



### 10.0 OUTLINE WASTE AUDIT PROCEDURE

#### 10.1 Responsibility for Waste Audit

The appointed Principal Contractor will be responsible for conducting a waste audit at the site during the construction phase of the development.

This audit will identify the amount, nature and composition of the waste generated on the site. The Waste Audit will examine the manner in which the waste is produced and will provide a commentary highlighting how management policies and practices may inherently contribute to the production of demolition waste.

It is proposed that a review of waste management practices will form part of regular site inspection audits to be carried out by the construction contractor. This information should be forwarded to the Construction Project Manager to assist in determining the best methods for waste minimisation, reduction, re-use, recycling and disposal as the works progress.

## 10.2 Review of Records and Identification of Corrective Actions

A review of all the records for the waste generated and transported off-site should be undertaken mid-way through the project. If waste movements are not accounted for, the reasons for this should be established in order to see if and why the record keeping system has not been maintained. The waste records will be compared with the established recovery/reuse/recycling targets for the site.

Each material type will be examined, in order to see where the largest percentage waste generation is occurring. The waste management methods for each material type will be reviewed in order to highlight how the targets can be achieved. Waste management costs will also be reviewed.

Upon completion of the construction phase, a final report will be prepared, summarising the outcomes of waste management processes adopted and the total recycling/reuse/recovery figures for the development.



### 11.0 CONSULTATION WITH RELEVANT BODIES

## **11.1 Local Authority**

Once construction contractors have been appointed and prior to removal of any waste materials offsite, details of the proposed destination of each waste stream will be provided to Fingal County Council.

Fingal County Council will also be consulted, as required, throughout the excavation and construction phases in order to ensure that all available waste reduction, reuse, and recycling opportunities are identified and utilised and that compliant waste management practices are carried out.

### 11.2 Waste Permitting, Licences & Documentation

Under the Waste Management (Collection Permit) Regulations 2007, as amended, a collection permit to transport waste, which is issued by the National Waste Collection Permit Office (NWCPO), must be held by each waste collection contractor.

Waste may only be treated or disposed of at facilities that are licensed or permitted to carry out that specific activity (e.g., chemical treatment, landfill, incineration, etc.) for a specific waste type.

Operators of such facilities cannot receive any waste, unless they are in possession of a Certificate of Registration (COR) or waste permit granted by the relevant Local Authority under the Waste Management (Facility Permit & Registration) Regulations 2007 and Amendments or a waste licence granted by the EPA. The COR/permit/licence held will specify the type and quantity of waste permitted to be received, stored, sorted, recycled, recovered and/or disposed of at the specified site.

Records of all waste movements and associated documentation should be held at the site. Records management and maintenance will be the responsibility of the Principal Contractor.