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## **LAGAN GATEWAY PEDESTRIAN CROSSING**

Thank you for your letter of 11 September 2025 on behalf of Belfast City Council's People and Communities Committee to express their support for a pedestrian crossing under Lagan Gateway Phase 2.

With regards to the provision of a pedestrian crossing within this area. Officials have advised that an assessment was carried out on Annadale Embankment in the vicinity of College Drive on 8 June 2023.

Whilst the survey indicated there is indeed a demand for a crossing, the result of the assessment currently places this location 68th on the prioritised list of potential sites assessed for a controlled crossing in the Belfast area. As such, it is unlikely this site will attract funding in the near future. Officials will, however, continue to keep this location on our list of potential sites for consideration for inclusion in programmed works in future years.

A further survey was completed on Annadale Avenue at Mornington on 9 November 2023. The survey indicated that this location did not meet the minimum requirement for a pedestrian crossing, and we therefore have no current plans to introduce a pedestrian crossing at this location.

Delivery of Active Travel projects investment in Belfast is primarily focused on the delivery of the short-term Belfast Cycling Network schemes. Annadale Embankment and Annadale Avenue are not currently being prioritised for consideration.

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