



<b>Subject:</b>	Response from the Minister for Infrastructure re: The provision of a pedestrian crossing adjacent to the proposed entrance to Cherryvale Playing Fields.
<b>Date:</b>	11th May, 2021
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<b>Is the decision eligible for Call-in?</b>	Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/>

<b>1.0</b>	<b>Purpose of Report/Summary of Main Issues</b>
1.1	To consider a response from the Minister for Infrastructure in relation to the provision of a pedestrian crossing adjacent to the proposed entrance to Cherryvale Playing Fields.
<b>2.0</b>	<b>Recommendation</b>
2.1	The Members of the Committee are asked to recommend that, in accordance with the Council decision of 4th May, the Chief Executive exercise her delegated authority to authorise that Council officers liaise with the Department for Infrastructure officials to further explore the potential of the provision of a pedestrian crossing adjacent to the proposed entrance to Cherryvale Playing Fields as part of the Blue Green Initiative.

<b>3.0</b>	<b>Main Report</b>
	<b><u>Key Issues</u></b>
3.1	The Committee was reminded that, at its meeting on 9th March, it agreed that the Council write to the Infrastructure Minister seeking the provision of a pedestrian crossing adjacent to the proposed entrance to Cherryvale Playing Fields. A response has now been received on behalf of Minister Mallon, a copy of which is attached.
3.2	In her correspondence the Minister advises that she has asked her Department officials to explore the possibility of the provision of a pedestrian crossing as part of the Blue Green Initiative. She suggested that Council officers working on this proposal liaise with her Department officials to try and progress the proposal further.
3.3	<b><u>Financial and Resource Implications</u></b>  None associated with this report.
3.4	<b><u>Equality or Good Relations Implications</u></b>  None associated with this report.
<b>4.0</b>	<b>Appendices - Documents Attached</b>
	Copy of response from the Minister for Infrastructure.