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To: National Planning Framework

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A chara,

I wish to make a public submission to national planning policy on the proposed Athenry to Collooney greenway.

This can run on an existing disused railway route that is in public ownership. A greenway on this line would create jobs and provide an important public amenity in an area that is in severe need of development. See the economic and health benefits that have been produced by the the various greenway projects around the country.

In addition a greenway would provide effective protection for a public asset, the route itself.

I would ask that this project be included as a named project in the National Planning Framework policy document.

Best regards

Gerry Callaghan