



31<sup>st</sup> August 2022

**RE: Proposed Borrishbeg Renewable Energy Development**

Dear Householder,

I hope this letter finds you well.

Since our initial correspondence in June 2021, we have continued our consideration of the proposed Borrishbeg site, and it remains viable for potential development. MKO has been appointed as the lead project Planning and Environmental consultant. MKO, a Galway based consultancy with extensive experience in leading environmental assessments for large scale infrastructure projects, will be responsible for the preparation of the planning application for the Proposed Development.

Various surveys continue to be gathered on-site including ornithological, ecological, meteorological, and hydrological, and so you may have noticed some activity in the area. These surveys and others will continue until MKO are confident that sufficient information has been collected to prepare a comprehensive Environmental Impact Assessment Report (EIAR) and Natura Impact Statement (NIS) that will accompany the planning application.

Please find enclosed a biodiversity brochure, which you may find of interest, presenting some information regarding the biodiversity of the area where the site is located.

In the coming months we intend to present a draft layout of the proposed turbine configuration following feedback from MKO from the on-going surveys. We will write to you again when more information is available and any information in relation to the proposed development that is in circulation will also be publicly available on the project website, [www.borrisbeginfo.com](http://www.borrisbeginfo.com).

As you may already know, I took over the role of Community Liaison Officer on this project in August last year. I look forward to continuing to liaise with those that I have already met and to meeting more of the local community as the project progresses. If have you have any queries in relation to this proposal, please feel free to contact me by email at [clo@borrisbeginfo.com](mailto:clo@borrisbeginfo.com), by phone at 086-3979248 or through the 'contact' portal on the project website.

Yours sincerely,

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