

Mr. Patrick Greene,
Director of Services,
Galway City Council,
City Hall,
College Road, Galway

Dear Mr. Greene,

Ref: Salthill Temporary Cycleway

Proposed Temporary Cycle Lane/ Traffic Calming Measures on the R336 Seapoint Promenade, R336 Salthill Road Upper and the R336 Knocknacarra Road.

Having reviewed the details of the proposed scheme, I understand that the options are:

Option 1 – Two way cycle lane on the prom with One way Vehicular Traffic along the R336 (From the Grattan Road junction to the Barna Road Junction for East bound traffic only).

Option 2 – Two way cycle lane on the prom with Two Way Vehicular Traffic along the R336 (From the Grattan Road Junction to the Threadneedle Road Junction) and One Way Vehicular Traffic (Eastward bound traffic only, from the Barna Road Junction to the Threadneedle Road junction).

Option 3 – Neither Option 1 or 2 / Do Nothing (i.e. leave things as they are)

I wish to strongly object to both Options 1 and 2 on multiple grounds but in particular to the very negative impacts of the following:

- Increased traffic flow through residential areas in particular Threadneedle Road and Dr. Mannix Road
- Loss of parking spaces on the prom (108 spaces in Option 1 and 216 in Option 2)
- Impact on Emergency vehicles e.g. Gardai, Fire Brigade, Ambulances, etc.
- Impact on Bus services.
- Impact on visitors, in particular family members, carers, religious, etc.

My Preferred option is Option 3 above i.e. Do Nothing and leave things as they are, and I strongly support this option.

Signed: _____

Address: _____

Date: _____