



Lauren Griffin

From: Lauren Griffin
Sent: Monday 11 November 2024 16:41
To: [REDACTED]
Subject: RE: ABP - 320938 - 24.

A Chara,

The Board acknowledges receipt of your email, official correspondence will issue in due course.

Kind regards,

Lauren

From: Frank W [REDACTED]
Sent: Monday 11 November 2024 16:17
To: LAPS <laps@pleanala.ie>
Subject: ABP - 320938 - 24.

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To Whom It May Concern,

Please find below my submission regarding the Woodquay Park Enhancement by Galway City Council (GCC), Ref. No: ABP - 320938 - 24.

If you have any issues opening the attached please get in touch.

Regards,
Frank

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Woodquay
Galway

An Bord Pleanála
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10th November 2024

Re: ABP Ref No 320938-24.
Planning application for enhancement of the Woodquay Park.

Dear Sir/Madam

I am a longterm resident of Woodquay, born and reared here. I have worked all my life in the family business, started by my Grandfather, 'Richard Walsh Cycles' also in Woodquay. I often walked through this park, which we always called 'The Green' from my home to our workshop.

I was at the Public Consultation for the Green. It was very confusing because the Galway City Council had the Woodquay Residents Association's Model of the Mary Reynolds's design there, along side all of the drawings. I think people thought that the model was the design from the Green and it was not.

They didn't tell us that the railings were to be taken down. It wouldn't be a park anymore if that happened. Woodquay is full of pubs and gets very noisy on the weekends. The park is a quiet place. Everything in Woodquay would change if we lose this park.

I don't cross the Green when the school children are playing there, as the gates are closed. It's their space while they are there. It's so important that the children get fresh air and the 2 schools do not have any green space in their schools. It would be very wrong of Galway city Council to take away these railing.

Please refuse this planning application. This would not be good for Woodquay.

Kind regards

Frank Walsh

