

**COMHAIRLE CONTAE FHINE GALL
FINGAL COUNTY COUNCIL**

COUNTY COUNCIL MEETING

MONDAY 12th OCTOBER 2026

ITEM NO. 17

**PROPOSED AMENDMENT TO THE ROAD TRAFFIC (SPECIAL SPEED
LIMITS) (COUNTY OF FINGAL) BYE-LAWS 2020 - QUAY STREET L-1226
AND SHARED SURFACES AT BALBRIGGAN HARBOUR,
BALBRIGGAN, CO. DUBLIN**

Fingal County Council is seeking the reduction of an existing 50 km/h speed limit to a 20 km/h Special Speed Limit on Quay Street and Shared Surfaces at Balbriggan Harbour.

The reduction of speed limit is to align infrastructure performance with the changing nature of the Harbour Area in Balbriggan following the completion of the Quay Street Scheme.

DBFL Consulting Engineers were commissioned by Fingal County Council to provide technical support and guidance through the Statutory Bye- Law process.

Recommendation:

Following a presentation to the Balbriggan/Rush-Lusk/Swords Area Committee Meeting on 11th June 2026 and public consultation from 17th July 2026 to 17th August 2026. One submission was received which was addressed. A report was delivered to the Balbriggan/Rush-Lusk/Swords Area Committee on 8th October 2026, and it is now recommended that the following resolution be passed: -

Resolution:

Fingal County Council, in exercise with the powers conferred on it by Section 9 of the Road Traffic Act 2004 (No. 44 of 2004), as amended by Section 86 of the Road Traffic Act 2010 (No. 25 of 2010), and Section 22 of the Road Traffic Act 2016 (No. 21 of 2016) and following consultation with An Garda Síochána, makes the following Special Speed Limit Bye-Law: -

2026: Reduction of Speed Limit from 50kmph to 20kmph at Quay Street L-1226 and shared surfaces at Balbriggan Harbour, Balbriggan, Co Dublin.