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BALLYCOTTON

Existing Situation / Proposal 9.1

A Preliminary Report was prepared by WYG in 2006 for a sewerage scheme covering the Shanagarry, Garryvoe, Ballycotton coastal area. The Report recommended:

A new collection system comprising gravity sewers, pumping stations and rising mains for

An extension of the existing collection system, and new pumping stations and associated

rising mains for Garryvoe. Extensions of the existing collection system, replacement of existing sewers and new pumping stations and associated rising mains to be provided in Ballycotton

Provision of stormwater trunk sewers in Ballycotton

A new treatment plant to be constructed at Ballycotton to treat the combined flows from Shanagarry, Garryvoe and Ballycotton, with a marine outfall to Ballycotton Bay.

To cater for the high seasonal variation in load, the treatment plant was recommended to be at least two-stream, with a design capacity of 3,200 PE and a 25/35 treated effluent standard. Dilution/dispersion at the outfall was calculated to be such as to not require disinfection but retrofitting would be allowed for in the design of the plant.

The implementation of the proposals for the treatment plant and the sea outfall at Ballycotton are now incorporated into this Project.

The proposal to lay a treated effluent rising main from Castlemartyr to Balltycotton, passing through Shanagarry, has changed the economics which led to the proposed centralised treatment and disposal at Ballycotton. An economic analysis indicates (see Section 6.4) that local treatment at Ballycotton and Shanagariy/Garryvoe and pumping of the treated effluent from the latter to Ballycotton is now a more economic solution. This option needs to be considered in more detail to ensure that it is the best option on environmental and technical grounds.

It is therefore proposed that the treatment plant at Ballycotton has a capacity of 1,200 PE, for expansion in the future. The future capacity of the plant will be dependent on the final adopted solution for Shanagarry and Garryvoe. An indicative layout for the plant is shown on Figure 10 in Appendix 7. The layout incorporates a UV channel which will cater for the discharge from Castlemartyr /Ladysbridge, Cloyne/Saleen as well as Shanagarry, Garryvoe and Ballycotton.

The proposal includes the installation of:

- Grit removal and screening
- A Storm Holding Tank
- An Inlet flow measurement chamber
- Extended aeration tanks 2 x 600PE
- A Clarifier (6m dia.)
- Sludge picket-fence thickener
- Final effluent flow measurement chamber
- A UV Channel (76 l/s)
- Control House
- Odour control units 2 at different locations

The proposed new marine outfall for Ballycotton extends 330m into Ballycotton Bay. It was designed to cater for the combined effluent from Ballycotton, Shanagarry and Garryvoe with a peak/summer DWF of 6.6l/s (3,200 PE). Peak flow was taken as 3 DWF or 20l/s. Treated effluent from Cloyne and Castlemartyr will be combined with that from Ballycotton at the outlet from the treatment plant, for discharge through the outfall. The 350mm diameter pipeline is hydraulically adequate.

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The total flow now to be discharged through the proposed outfall at Ballycotton is 76 l/s (3 x DWF). The 350mm n.b. diameter pipeline is hydraulically adequate to take this flow.

An assessment of the dilution and dispersion study for the outfall was carried out. This indicates that the proposed outfall discharge point, c.300m offshore, is capable of handling the increased discharge and will maintain bathing water quality in the Bay and blue flag standard at Garryvoe. It is however recommended that the outfall be remodelled and a U.V. channel provided at the Treatment Plant to facilitate retrofitting of disinfection if required. Costs for both are included in the Estimate.

A UV channel at Ballycotton to treat the combined effluent for all seven centres is therefore recommended.

The recommended treated effluent standards for the Ballycotton plant are in accordance with the Urban Waste Water Treatment Regulations 2001. These are set out in the following table:

Table 9.1 Ballycotton Effluent Monitoring

| | Unit | Concentration | Minimum percentage of reduction |
|------------------|---------------------|---------------|---------------------------------|
| BOD ₅ | mg/l O ₂ | 25 | 70 – 90 |
| COD | mg/l O ₂ | 125 | <u>&</u> · 75 |
| SS | mg/l | 35 | 90 <u>s</u> |

9.2 Collection System

The location of the proposed treatment plant is on elevated ground to the west of the village. The effectiveness of the plant is thus totally contingent on the upgrading and remodelling of the existing collection system, including the construction of three pumping stations. This upgrading and remodelling, as proposed in the WYG Preliminary Report is shown in Figure 11, Appendix 7 and the cost thereof has been included in the Estimate.

In the Preliminary Report, it was proposed that three surface water sewers be laid in conjunction with the upgrading/remodelling of the existing collection system. They were specifically to service lands zoned for development in the Local Area Development Plan. Due to current economic circumstances, these have not been included in the Project and will only proceed when the need arises.

9.3 Statutory Processes

The following outlines the current status for the site regarding requirements / legislation:

- Land acquisition and wayleaves in progress for the treatment plant site and 3 No. pump station sites.
- Part 8 planning is required for the 4 sites.
- Foreshore Licence A foreshore licence application has been lodged for the outfall.
- A Waste Discharge Licence will be required for the outfall and the storm overflows from the pumping stations.

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Part VIII Planning Application for:

The construction of a Waste Water Treatment Plant and associated marine outfall at Ballycotton, Co Cork.

Description of the Works

Cork County Council proposes to upgrade the Ballycotton Sewerage Scheme, including the construction of a waste water treatment plant and an associated sea outfall, to serve existing and future residential and commercial development in Ballycotton.

(a) Waste Water Treatment Plant

The treatment plant is to be located to the west of the village, in the townland of Ballybraher. The plant is designed to initially provide treatment for a population equivalent (PE) of 1,200, with an allowance for future expansion up to 3,200 PE to accommodate the treatment of wastewater from Shanagarry and Garryvoe.

It is proposed to procure the treatment plant under a design, build, operate contract. The layout shown on the drawings is therefore indicative only and the final layout will be determined by the design-build-operate contractor's design. The plant design will include for coarse screening, grit removal, secondary treatment (extended aeration) and clarification. Treatment facilities for sludge produced on site will also be provided. The design-build-operate contractor's proposal will be no larger in plan or height than the details shown on the drawings. The maximum height of the control building will be 4.5m above finished ground level and all other structures 3.0m. above finished ground level.

The effluent will be treated to meet the standards set out in the Urban Waste Water Treatment Regulations as follows:

 BOD_5 25 mg/l COD 125 mg/l Suspended Solids 35 mg/l

The following boundary conditions will apply to the operation of the WWTP:

- Noise limit :- 55dBA (day time); 45dBA (night time)
- Odour limit :- 3ou_E / m³ on a 98 percentile basis.

(b) Marine Outfall

To dispose of the treated effluent from Treatment Plant, it is also proposed to construct a new marine outfall. The Outfall will be a 350 mm dia. pipeline, approximately 1.7 km. in length, running from the treatment plant site, through the village, to discharge into Ballycotton Bay, 300m. offshore from Cow's Slip.

A Foreshore Licence Application has been lodged for the marine section of the outfall.

Drawings

The full list of drawings relating to this planning proposal is as follows:

| Overall Scheme Layout | C006916-C-5101 |
|--|--|
| WWTP Site Location Map Indicative Site Layout Site Sectional Elevations Control Building & WWTP Site Details | C006916-C-5102 C006916-C-5103 C006916-C-5104 C006916-C-5105 |
| Plan & Section of Proposed Outfall | C006916-C-5512 |
| Site Sectional Elevations Control Building & WWTP Site Details Plan & Section of Proposed Outfall Conserved Confined to White Proposed For Indian Representation of Proposed Outfall Conserved Confined to White Proposed Outfall | |

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| Schemes at Construction | W/S | Est. Cost | Schemes to start 2009 contd. | W/S | Est. Cost |
|--|--------|---|---|-----|-------------|
| Cork North | | | Cork South | | |
| Mitchelstown Sewerage Scheme | | | Ballincollig Sewerage Scheme (Upgrade) (G) | S | 22,248,000 |
| (Nutrient Removal) | S | 221,000 | Cork Lower Harbour Sewerage Scheme (excl. Crosshaven | | 73,542,000 |
| | | | Shannagarry/ Garryvoe/ Ballycotton Sewerage Scheme | S | 3,780,000 |
| Cork South | | | Youghal Sewerage Scheme | S | 14,420,000 |
| Ballyvourney/ Ballymakeery Sewerage Scheme | S | 3,049,000 | roughal Sewerage Scriente | 3 | 14,420,000 |
| Cobh/ Midleton/ Carrigtwohill Water Supply Scheme Cork Lower Harbour Sewerage Scheme | W | 10,135,000 | Cork West | | |
| (Crosshaven SS) (G) | S | 4,850,000 | | C | 692,000 |
| Cork Water Strategy Study (G) | W | 941,000 | Ballydehob Sewerage Scheme | S | 683,000 |
| Kinsale Sewerage Scheme | S | 20,000,000 | Bantry Water Supply Scheme | W | 14,935,000 |
| Midleton Sewerage Scheme (Infiltration Reduction) (G | a) S | 2,078,000 | Clonakilty Sewerage Scheme (Plant Capacity Increase) | S | 3,677,000 |
| | | 41,274,000 | Courtmacsherry/ Timoleague Sewerage Scheme | S | 2,472,000 |
| Schemes to start 2007 | | | Dunmanway Regional Water Supply Scheme Stage 1 | W | 12,669,000 |
| | | | | | 164,629,000 |
| Cork North | | | Serviced Land Initiative | | |
| North Cork Grouped DBO Wastewater Treatment | | | | | |
| Plant (Buttevant, Doneraile & Kilbrin) | S | 5,150,000 | Cork North | | |
| Cork West | | | Ballyclough Water Supply Scheme | W | 139,000 |
| Skibbereen Sewerage Scheme | S | 20,000,000 | Ballyhooley Improvement Scheme | W/S | 139,000 |
| OKIDDOTCOTI OCWOTAGO OCTIONIO | U | 25,150,000 | Broghill-Rathgoggin Sewerage Scheme | S | 406,000 |
| Schemes to start 2008 | | | Bweeng Water Supply Scheme | W | 115,000 |
| | | S | Gourchtown Sewerage Scheme (incl. Water) | W/S | 543,000 |
| Cork North | | action 17 | Clondulane Sewage Treatment Plant | S | 417,000 |
| Mallow/ Ballyviniter Regional Water Supply Scheme (I | H) W | 8,652,000 8,400,000 | Freemount Sewerage Scheme | S | 150,000 |
| Mallow Sewerage Scheme (H) | S | 5,408,000 | Pike Road Sewerage Scheme (incl. Water) | W/S | 2,080,000 |
| | | 948,000 1,296,000 | Rathcormac Sewerage Scheme (incl. Water) | W/S | 555,000 |
| Cork South | - 5 | HOT | Spa Glen Sewerage Scheme | S | 736,000 |
| Ballincollig Sewerage Scheme (Nutrient Removal) (G) | S Sol | 948,000 | Uplands Fermoy Sewerage Scheme (incl. Water) | W/S | 1,174,000 |
| Ballingeary Sewerage Scheme Bandon Sewerage Scheme Stage 2 | S | 1,296,000 14,729,000 | Watergrasshill Water Supply Scheme (incl. Sewerage) (G) | W/S | 4,151,000 |
| City Environs (CASP) Strategic Study (G) | S | 153,000 | ους 3 τους το μμ. 7 τους το 3 το το το το 3 το το το το 3 το το το το το 3 το | | , - , |
| Cloghroe Sewerage Scheme (Upgrade) | S | 683,000 | Cork South | | |
| Coachford Water Supply Scheme | W | 1,318,000 | Ballincollig Sewerage Scheme (Barry's Rd Foul and | | |
| Garrettstown Sewerage Scheme | S | 2,153,000 | Storm Drainage) (G) | S | 1,164,000 |
| Inniscarra Water Treatment Plant Extension Phase 1 | W | 2,678,000 | Belgooley, Water Supply Scheme (incl. Sewerage) | W/S | 2,913,000 |
| Little Island Sewerage Scheme (G) | S | 2,200,000 | Blarney Water Supply Scheme (Ext. to Station Rd) (G) | W | 416,000 |
| | | | Carrigtwohill Sewerage Scheme (Treatment and | VV | 410,000 |
| | | | | C | 7 600 000 |
| Cork West | 0 | 7.440.000 | Storm Drain) (G) | S | 7,632,000 |
| Bantry Sewerage Scheme | S | 7,148,000 | Castlematyr Wastewater Treatment Plant Extension | S | 1,200,000 |
| Dunmanway Sewerage Scheme Leap/ Baltimore Water Supply Scheme | S W | 2,153,000 6,365,000 | Crookstown Sewerage Scheme (incl. Water) | W/S | 1,200,000 |
| Schull Water Supply Scheme | W | 5,253,000 | Dripsey Water Supply Scheme (incl. Sewerage) | W/S | 1,112,000 |
| Contain Victor Supply Contains | • • • | 61,137,000 | Glounthane Sewerage Scheme (G) | S | 1,576,000 |
| Schemes to start 2009 | | , | Innishannon Sewerage Scheme | S | 277,000 |
| | | | Innishannon Wastewater Treatment Plant | S | 694,000 |
| Cork North | | | Kerrypike Sewerage Scheme | S | 832,000 |
| Banteer/Dromahane Regional Water Supply Scheme | W | 1,576,000 | Kerrypike Water Supply Scheme | W | 416,000 |
| Conna Regional Water Supply Scheme Extension | W | 2,627,000 | Killeagh Wastewater Treatment Plant Extension | S | 1,200,000 |
| Cork NE Water Supply Scheme | W | 4,326,000 | Killeagh Water Supply Scheme (includes Sewerage) | W/S | 485,000 |
| Cork NW Regional Water Supply Scheme | W | 6,046,000 | Killeens Sewerage Scheme | S | 420,000 |
| Millstreet Wastewater Treatment Plant (Upgrade) | S | 1,628,000 | Kilnagleary Sewerage Scheme | S | 694,000 |
| | | | Midleton Wastewater Treatment Plant Extension | S | 4,050,000 |
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| Serviced Land Initiative contd. | W/S | Est. Cost | Schemes to Advance through Planning cond. | W/S | Est. Cost |
|---|------------------|-------------|--|-----|------------|
| Cork South contd. | | | Cork South | | |
| Mogeely, Castlemartyr & Ladysbridge Water Supply Scheme | e W | 2,566,000 | Carrigtwohill Sewerage Scheme (G) | S | 20,000,000 |
| North Cobh Sewerage Scheme (G) | S | 3,193,000 | Cork Sludge Management (G) | S | 14,420,000 |
| Riverstick Water Supply Scheme (incl. Sewerage) | W/S | 525,000 | Cork Water Supply Scheme (Storage - Mount Emla, | | |
| Rochestown Water Supply Scheme | W | 2,700,000 | Ballincollig & Chetwind) (G) | W | 8,500,000 |
| Saleen Sewerage Scheme | S | 1,051,000 | Inniscarra Water Treatment Plant (Sludge Treatment)(| G)W | 5,356,000 |
| Youghal Water Supply Scheme | W | 2,300,000 | Macroom Sewerage Scheme | S | 5,150,000 |
| | | | Minane Bridge Water Supply Scheme | W | 1,421,000 |
| Cork West | | | | | |
| Castletownshend Sewerage Scheme | S | 1,576,000 | Cork West | | |
| | | 50,797,000 | Bantry Regional Water Supply Scheme (Distribution) | W | 9,455,000 |
| Rural Towns & Villages Initiative | | | Cape Clear Water Supply Scheme | W | 1,679,000 |
| | | | Castletownbere Regional Water Supply Scheme | W | 8,405,000 |
| Cork North | | | Glengarriff Sewerage Scheme | S | 2,500,000 |
| Buttevant Sewerage Scheme (Collection System) | S | 2,446,000 | Roscarberry/Owenahincha Sewerage Scheme | S | 1,576,000 |
| Doneraile Sewerage Scheme (Collection System) | S | 1,738,000 | Skibbereen Regional Water Supply Scheme Stage 4 | W | 7,880,000 |
| | | | Water Conservation Allocation Water Conservation Allocation Water Conservation Allocation South Western River Basin District (WFD) Project 1 | | 95,646,000 |
| Cork South | | | 14. w40 | | |
| Innishannon (Ballinadee/ Ballinspittle/ Garrettstown) | | | Water Conservation Allocation | | 12,206,000 |
| Water Supply Scheme | W | 6,726,000 | of the state of th | | |
| | | ~5 | Water Conservation Allocation Water Conservation Allocation Asset Management Study South Western River Basin District (WFD) Project 1 | | 300,000 |
| Cork West | | action of | S | | |
| Ballylicky Sewerage Scheme | S | 2,158,000 | South Western River Basin District (WFD) Project ¹ | | 9,400,000 |
| Baltimore Sewerage Scheme | S | <03,₹62,000 | | | |
| Castletownbere Sewerage Scheme | S | 5,202,000 | | | |
| Schull Sewerage Scheme | S S Conser | 3,523,000 | Programme Total | 48 | 5,489,000 |
| | COUSE | 24,950,000 | | | |
| Schemes to Advance through Planning | | | | | |
| Cork North | | | | | |
| Mitchelstown North Galtees Water Supply Scheme | W | 3,152,000 | | | |
| Mitchelstown Sewerage Scheme | S | 3,000,000 | | | |
| Newmarket Sewerage Scheme | S | 3,152,000 | | | |

¹ This project is being led by Cork County Council on behalf of other authorities in the River Basin District

⁽H) Refers to a Hub as designated in the National Spatial Strategy

⁽G) Refers to a Gateway as designated in the National Spatial Strategy