BÓTHAR STIOFÁIN CYCLE NETWORK SCHEME

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WELCOME TO THE FIRST ISSUE OF THE BÓTHAR STIOFÁIN CYCLE NETWORK SCHEME NEWSLETTER

The Proposed Works:

The Bóthar Stiofáin Cycle Network Scheme will see new and upgraded footpaths and cycle lanes constructed along the length of this road. New raised pedestrian crossings will be constructed, and existing public lighting will be upgraded.

Jons Civil Engineering has been appointed as lead contractors for this project by Galway City Council. We will begin works on site next week, starting on **Monday September 8**. We are writing to local residents and businesses in advance of these works, to advise you of what to expect during the construction phase.

Scheme Objectives:

- To provide a safe and comfortable environment for cyclists and facilitate increased pedestrian and cycle movement in the area.
- To provide improvements for those travelling to Gateway Retail Park, employment hubs, Gaelscoil Mhic Amhlaigh and Galway Bohemians FC
- To allow for future tie-ins to adjacent proposed schemes (i.e. the proposed BusConnects Galway and any proposed cycle improvements along Western Distributor Road).

How long will the works take?

Works will commence on September 8, 2025, and are scheduled to last for 12 months. There will be temporary traffic management measures in place along Bóthar Stiofáin, when required, during construction. Information on planned and upcoming works will be communicated to residents and businesses via leaflet drops, and on www.GalwayCity.ie.

The works are being completed by Jons Civil Engineering in conjunction with Clifton Scannell Emerson and Associates and Galway City Council. This project is funded by the National Transport Authority's Active Travel Programme.

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Overall Scheme Layout/Phasing:

Works on the Bóthar Stiofáin Cycle Network Scheme works will be completed in three main phases:

- Phase 1 - East Footpath Works
- Phase 2 - West Footpath Works, and
- Phase 3 - Main Carriageway Works.

Refer to *Figure 1* for planned works phasing.

Phase 1 Works:

- Initial works will begin on Monday 8 September. They will begin with Phase 1A - on the East verge of Bóthar Stiofáin, starting at the section nearest to Rahoon Road.
- Works at this junction will be carefully planned and sequenced in stages to minimise traffic disruption.
- Temporary traffic management measures will be required to facilitate the works, including some temporary lane closures.
- At times, temporary pedestrian and cycleway diversions will be necessary as the work areas and phases progress.
- Lane closures and diversions will be clearly indicated by signage.
- Following the completion of Phase 1A, works will then progress southwards along the Eastern side of Bóthar Stiofáin in line with *Figure 1*.
- Further project updates will be communicated via regular newsletters and on the project webpage on www.GalwayCity.ie

Jons Civil Engineering and Galway City Council acknowledge that the works will cause disruption, but every effort will be made to keep this to a minimum. We appreciate your patience and apologise for any inconvenience caused.

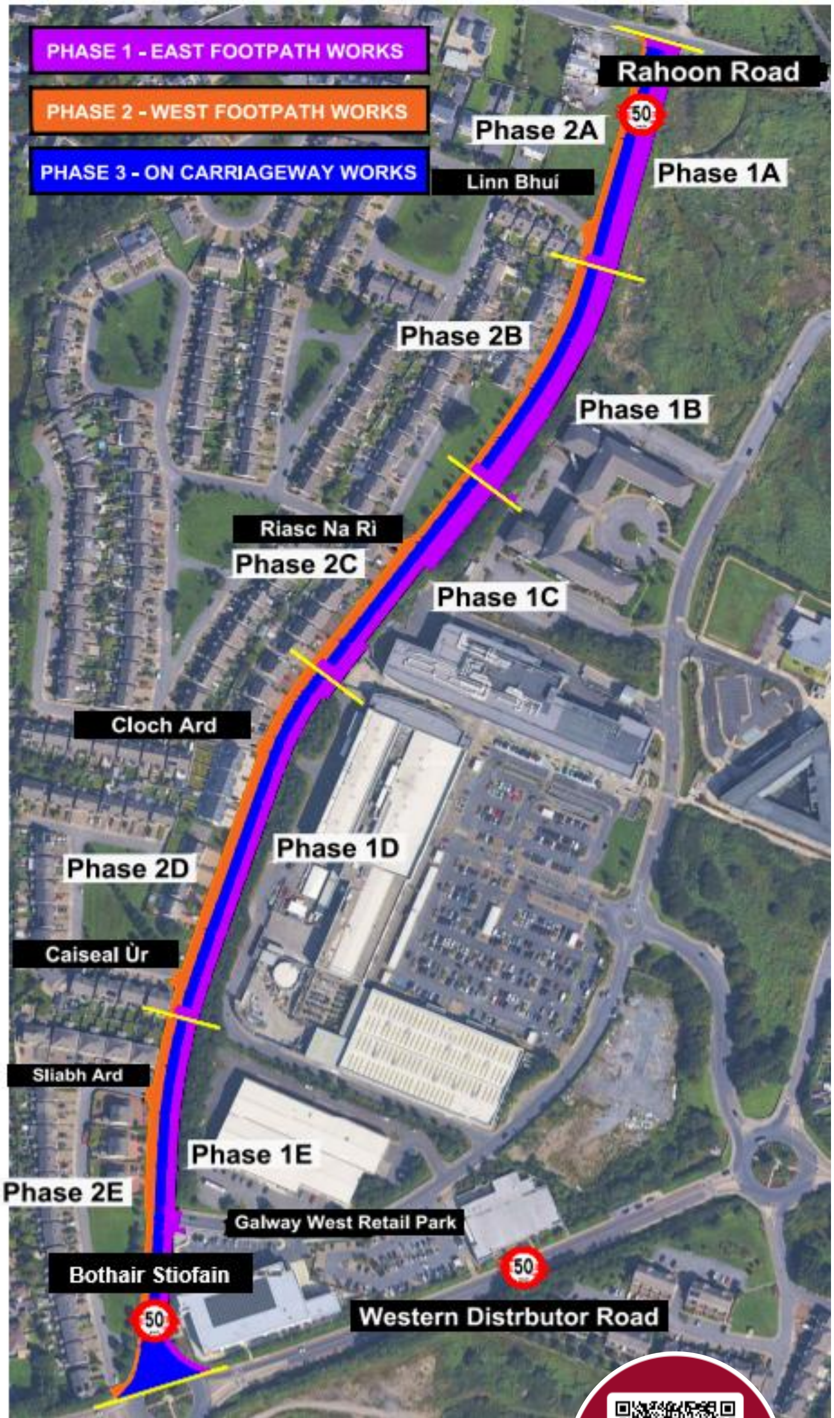

Figure 1 **- Bóthar Stiofáin Planned Works Phasing**

Scan here for more information about this project

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LÍONRA ROTHAÍOCHTA BÓTHAR STIOFÁIN

NUACHTLITIR – EAGRÁN UIMH. 1

MEAN FÓMHAR 2025

FÁILTE CHUIG AN gCÉAD EAGRÁN DE NUACHTLITIR SCÉIM LÍONRA ROTHAÍOCHTA BHÓTHAR STIOFÁIN

An Obair atá Beartaithe :

Tógfar cosáin agus lánaí rothaíochta nua agus uasghrádaithe ar feadh fhad an bhóthair seo faoi Scéim Líonra Rothaíochta Bhóthar Stiofáin. Tógfar trasrianta coisithe ardaithe nua, agus déanfar an soilsiú poiblí atá ann cheana a uasghrádú.

Tá Jons Civil Engineering ceaptha ina bpríomhchonraitheoirí don tionscadal seo ag Comhairle Cathrach na Gaillimhe. Cuirfimid tús leis an obair ar an láthair an tseachtain seo chugainn, ag tosú **Dé Luain an 8 Meán Fómhair.** Táimid ag scríobh chuig cónaitheoirí agus gnólachtaí áitiúla sula dtosóidh an obair seo, chun sibh a chur ar an eolas faoina bhfuil i gceist le céim na tógála.

Cuspóirí na Scéime :

- Timpeallacht shábháilte agus chompordach a chur ar fáil do rothaithe agus níos mó gluaiseacht coisithe agus rothaíochta sa gceantar a éascú.
- Cosáin níos fearr a chur ar fáil do dhaoine atá ag taisteal chuig Páirc Miondíola *Gateway*, moil fostaíochta, Gaelscoil Mhic Amhlaigh agus Cumann Sacair Galway Bohemians
- Chun go mbeifear in ann ceangal a dhéanamh amach anseo le scéimeanna beartaithe cóngaracha (i.e. an scéim BusConnects Gaillimh atá beartaithe agus aon fheabhsuithe rothaíochta atá beartaithe ar Bhóthar Dáileacháin an Iarthair).

Cé chomh fada is a thógfaidh an obair ?

Cuirfear tús leis an obair an 8 Meán Fómhair 2025 agus tá sé beartaithe go mairfidh sí 12 mhí. Beidh bearta bainistithe tráchta i bhfeidhm ar feadh Bhóthar Stiofáin, de réir mar is gá, i rith na tógála. Cuirfear cónaitheoirí agus gnólachtaí ar an eolas faoin obair atá beartaithe agus faoi obair atá le teacht trí bhileoga eolais a scaipeadh, agus ar www.GalwayCity.ie.

Tá an obair á cur i gcrích ag Jons Civil Engineering i gcomhar le Clifton Scannell Emerson and Associates agus le Comhairle Cathrach na Gaillimhe. Tá an tionscadal seo maoinithe ag Clár Taistil Ghníomhaigh an Údaráis Náisiúnta Iompair.

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Leagan Amach/Céimniú Fhoriomlán na Scéime :

Cuirfear an obair ar Scéim Líonra Rothaíochta Bhóthar Stiofáin i gcrích i dtrí phríomhchéim:

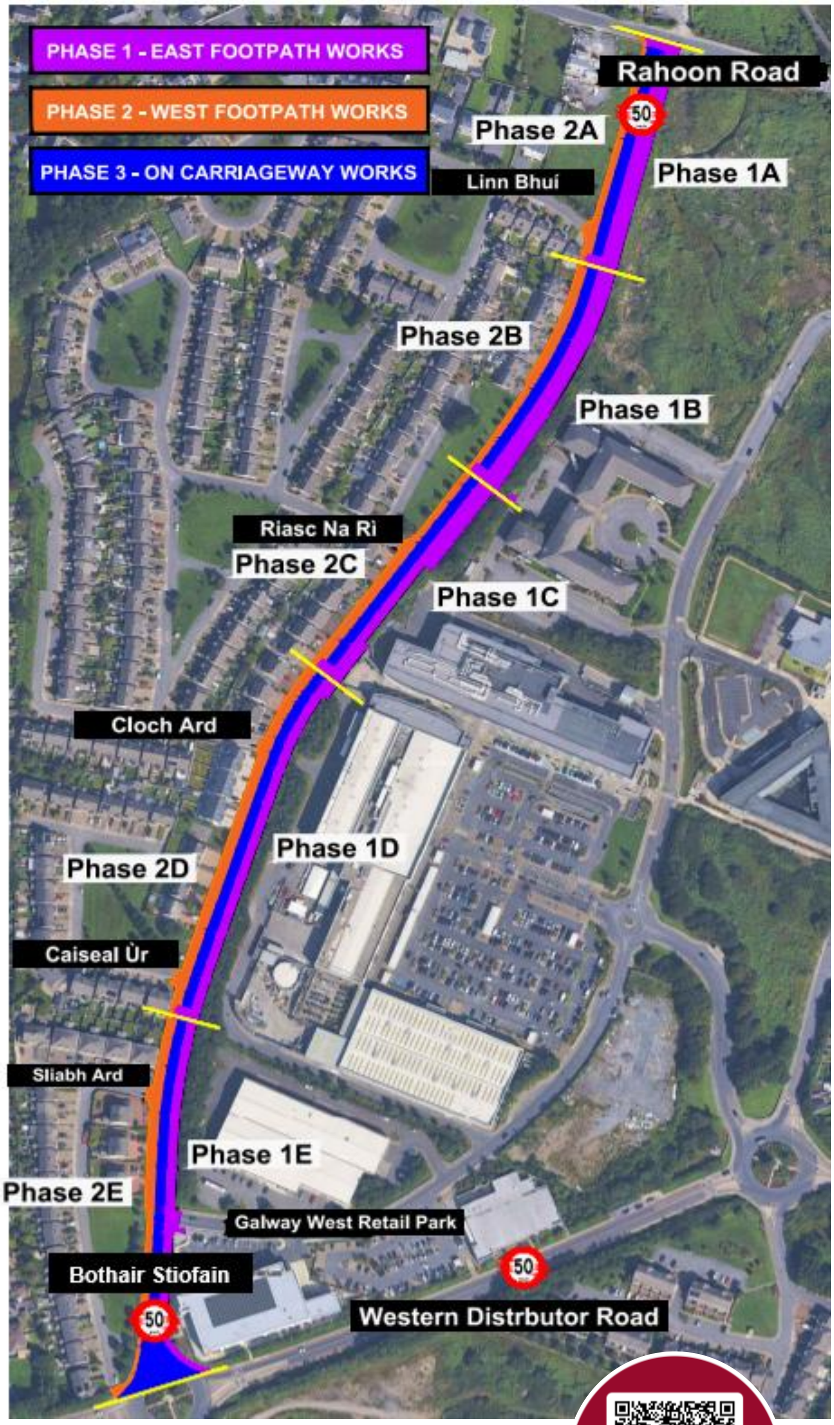
- Céim 1 - Obair ar an gCosán Thoir
- Céim 2 - Obair ar an gCosán Thiar, agus
- Céim 3 - Obair ar an bPríomh-Charrbhealach .

Féach *Figiúr 1* le haghaidh céimniú na hoibre atá beartaithe .

Obair Chéim 1:

- Cuirfear tús leis an obair thosaigh Dé Luain an 8 Meán Fómhair. Cuirfear tús léi le Céim 1A - ar imeall thoir Bhóthar Stiofáin, ag tosú ag an gcuid is gaire do Bhóthar Rathúin.
- Beidh obair ar an acomhal seo pleanáilte go cúramach agus leagfar amach i gcéimeanna í chun cur isteach ar thrácht a laghdú.
- Beidh bearta bainistithe tráchta ag teastáil chun an obair a éascú, lena n-áirítear roinnt lánaí a dhúnadh go sealadach.
- Beidh atreoraithe sealadacha do choisithe agus do lánaí rothaíochta ag teastáil uaireanta agus na láithreáin oibre agus na céimeanna ag dul chun cinn.
- Cuirfear dúnadh lánaí agus atreoraithe in iúl go soiléir le comharthaíocht.
- Tar éis Chéim 1A a chur i gcrích, leanfaidh an obair ar aghaidh níos faide ó dheas feadh thaobh thoir Bhóthar Stiofáin i ndáil le *Figiúr 1.*
- Cuirfear tuilleadh nuashonruithe tionscadail in iúl i nuachtlitreacha rialta agus ar shuíomh gréasáin an tionscadail ar www.GalwayCity.ie

Tuigeann Jons Civil Engineering agus Comhairle Cathrach na Gaillimhe go gcuirfidh an obair isteach ar dhaoine, ach déanfar gach iarracht é seo a laghdú oiread is féidir. Gabhaimid buíochas leat as do chuid foighne agus gabhaimid leithscéal as aon mhíchaoithiúlacht a bheidh i gceist.



Figiúr 1 - Céimniú Obair Bheartaithe Bhóthar Stiofáin

Scan anseo chun tuilleadh eolais a fháil faoin tionscadal seo

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