

## N22BBM Public Notice

## **Upcoming Opening of new N22 road to traffic:**

Jons-John Cradock JV Ltd., working on behalf of Cork County Council, has been working on the construction of the N22 Baile Bhuirne to Macroom Road Development since January 2020. The first section (Macroom Bypass), opened to traffic in December 2022, the second section opened in August 2023 and now the final section is scheduled to be opened to traffic on Monday 6<sup>th</sup> November 2023.

Currently the new N22 Road is open to traffic from Coolcour Roundabout to the east, as far as Toonlane Junction at Baile Mhic Íre. The final section is from Toonlane Junction to the Baile Bhuirne Junction at the western end of the new road.

Once the final section of the N22 opens to traffic on Monday 6<sup>th</sup> November, road users will be able to travel westwards on the new N22 along its full length from Coolcour Roundabout to the Baile Bhuirne Junction and onwards on the existing N22 towards Kerry. Travelling from Kerry, road users will merge onto the new dual carriageway to the west of Baile Bhuirne and can travel on the new N22 road to Coolcour roundabout, east of Macroom.

Road users are requested to drive with caution on the new section of the N22 road once it is open to traffic, particularly on the approach to the new junctions at Toonlane (Baile Mhic Íre) and at Baile Bhuirne, until they become familiar with the new junction layouts.

The Contractor is delighted to have successfully delivered this significant national infrastructure project and would like to acknowledge the co-operation and assistance received from road users and property owners during the construction stage. We trust that the new road will deliver improved road safety, better connectivity, and improved journey times for all road users for many years to come.

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