

Lobbyist

Date Published

Irish Water

21 May, 2024

Public Policy Area

Relevant Matter

Period

Housing

Legislation

1 Jan, 2024 to 30 Apr, 2024

Specific Details

Results you intend to secure

Briefing elected representatives on Uisce Eireann analysis of, and views on, the proposed Planning & Development Bill 2023.

To inform elected representatives of key issues and secure specific proposed amendments to the draft legislation.

Name of person primarily responsible for lobbying on this activity

Adrian Harmon, Lauren Murphy and Sean Laffey

Is or was there any Designated Public Officials or former Designated Public Officials who carried out lobbying activities related to this return on your behalf?

No

Are you managing or directing a grass roots campaign?

What is the directive you gave to the grassroots campaigners?

No

Was this lobbying done on behalf of a client?

No

Lobbying activity

Phone call (1)

17 Jan 2024 - Phone call to Joe Flaherty TD

Meeting (1)

12 Feb 2024 - Meeting with Paul McAuliffe TD

Meeting (1)

14 Feb 2024 - Meeting with Senator John Cummins

Submission (1)

07 Feb 2024 - Submission to Cian O'Callaghan TD

Submission (1)

20 Feb 2024 - Submission to Eoin O Broin TD

Designated public officials lobbied

Paul McAuliffe

John Cummins

TD

Senator

Dáil Éireann, the Oireachtas

Seanad

Joe Flaherty

Cian O'Callaghan

TD

TD

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Eoin Ó Broin

TD

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To inform elected representatives of the critical need for the project and the benefits delivered to security of water supply.

Name of person primarily responsible for lobbying on this activity

Sean Laffey

Is or was there any Designated Public Officials or former Designated Public Officials who carried out lobbying activities related to this return on your behalf?

No

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No

Lobbying activity

Meeting (2-5)

**16 Jan 2024 - Meeting with Minister Eamon Ryan TD
14 Feb - Meeting with Green Parliamentary Party**

Designated public officials lobbied

Eamon Ryan

Minister

Department of Environment, Climate and Communications

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To secure a meeting with elected representatives to brief them on critical need for the project and the benefits delivered to security of water supply.

Name of person primarily responsible for lobbying on this activity

Niall Gleeson

Is or was there any Designated Public Officials or former Designated Public Officials who carried out lobbying activities related to this return on your behalf?

No

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No

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No

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Letter (2-5)

26 Apr 2024 - Letter to Minister Peter Burke TD, Minister Martin Heydon TD, Brian Stanley TD, Catherine Murphy TD, Steven Matthews TD, Oonagh Buckley (Sec Gen DECC) and Mary Hurley (Sec Gen DRCD).

Designated public officials lobbied

Peter Burke

TD

Dáil Éireann, the Oireachtas

Martin Heydon

TD

Dáil Éireann, the Oireachtas

Brian Stanley

TD

Dáil Éireann, the Oireachtas

Catherine Murphy

TD

Dáil Éireann, the Oireachtas

Steven Matthews

TD

Dáil Éireann, the Oireachtas

Oonagh Buckley

Deputy Secretary General

Department of Justice

Mary Hurley

Secretary General

Department of Rural and Community Development

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Letter setting out Uisce Eireann's analysis of and views on the proposed Planning & Development Bill 2023.

To inform recipients of key issues and to secure specific proposed amendments to the draft legislation.

Name of person primarily responsible for lobbying on this activity

Niall Gleeson

Is or was there any Designated Public Officials or former Designated Public Officials who carried out lobbying activities related to this return on your behalf?

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Letter (1)

18 January 2024 - Letters sent to Deputy Steven Matthews, Minister Kieran O'Donnell and Minister Darragh O'Brien

Designated public officials lobbied

Darragh O'Brien

Kieran O'Donnell

Minister

TD

Department of Housing, Local Government and Heritage

Dáil Éireann, the Oireachtas

Steven Matthews

TD

Dáil Éireann, the Oireachtas

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Name of person primarily responsible for lobbying on this activity

Mike Healy

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Letter (1)

**29 April 2024 - letters to
1.Michael Lowry TD
2.Barry Cowen TD
3.Jackie Cahill TD
4.Seán Fleming TD
5.Alan Kelly TD
6.Anna Marie Delaney
7.Pat Gallagher
8.Sonya Kavanagh
9.Colm Ward**

Designated public officials lobbied

Michael Lowry

TD

Dáil Éireann, the Oireachtas

Barry Cowen

TD

Dáil Éireann, the Oireachtas

Jackie Cahill

TD

Dáil Éireann, the Oireachtas

Seán Fleming

TD

Dáil Éireann, the Oireachtas

Alan Kelly

TD

Dáil Éireann, the Oireachtas

Anna Marie Delaney

Chief Executive Officer

Offaly County Council

Pat Gallagher

Chief Executive Officer

Westmeath County Council

Sonya Kavanagh

Chief Executive Officer

Kildare County Council

Colm Ward

Chief Executive Officer

South Dublin County Council

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Name of person primarily responsible for lobbying on this activity

Eamon Gallen

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What is the directive you gave to the grassroots campaigners?

No

Was this lobbying done on behalf of a client?

No

Lobbying activity

Letter (1)

29 April 2024 - Letter to Patrick O'Donovan TD

Designated public officials lobbied

Patrick O'Donovan

TD

Dáil Éireann, the Oireachtas