



Greystones-Delgany & Kilcoole Local Area Plan Submission - Report

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Topic

Economic Opportunity - Tourism - Shops & Services - Community Facilities

Submission

To increase tourism / improve life for residents;

- the increase of transport services (dart and bus)
- the re-opening of the coastal cliff walk
- introduction of greenways / blueways
- introduction of public-use-bicycles
- improvement of beach facilities; beach volleyball net, extension of board walk / promenade, beach access mat / beach wheelchair
- skatepark

Topic

Infrastructure - Sustainable Movement - Transportation

Submission

The key transport and movement issues affecting residents, workers and visitors are the infrequent transport links between Greystones and Dublin City Centre, as well as transport around Greystones and Delgany. There should be increased Dart services between Greystones and Dublin City Centre, as well as the introduction of a night service on weekends (as is done over Christmas) to facilitate both people living in Greystones / Delgany socialising in Dublin city Centre, but also people from Dublin who want to spend an evening in the restaurants and pubs Greystones and Delgany.

Improvements should also be made to the bus service so that individuals leaving the Greystones railway station can get the bus home, rather than relying on private cars. At present the buses don't line up with the time that the darts arrive at the station, so countless individuals use the park and ride service or have family members drive down to the station to collect them so that they're not waiting the 40+ minutes for the next bus. If there were more frequent buses, or indeed shuttle buses from the railway station at peak times I'm sure people would avail of same (and it would reduce congestion within the village).

A footpath should be added along the Priory road junction into Delgany village, as well streetlights as walking this way at night is very dangerous and it is only a matter of time before a serious accident occurs.

The introduction of public-use-bicycles, and greenways.

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