Doon Sráid Plan

Settlement Description

Settlement Context: Doon is located on the junction between the R444 and the N62, 6km north of Ferbane. The Sráid currently comprises a small number of one-off dwellings on individual sites which are located along the R444. A licensed premises forms the focal point for the settlement.

Services and Facilities: Licenced Premises and GAA grounds.

Waste Water Treatment: Individual effluent treatment systems.

Water Supply: Private Group Water Scheme.

Broadband: High speed broadband is available.



Settlement Objectives

General Objectives

Infrastructure and Public Realm

- GO1 Improvement of the existing road network, public lighting and footpaths, particularly between the junction of the N62/R444 and the GAA pitch.
- GO2 All development associated with the Sráid will be directed to the west of the N62 in order to protect its carrying capacity.
- GO3 Gateway features and measures to improve traffic calming on approach to Sráid.
- GO4 Support the provision of appropriate infrastructural requirements to meet the needs of the Offaly Cycling Destination Network.

Development and Design

- GO5 The conservation and integration into new development of existing trees and native hedgerows.
- GO6 Promote very low-density linear, street style or clustered style development within the Sráid, with site design to have regard to the Doon Sample Sráid Design Statement.

Specific Objectives (refer to map)

SO1 Existing natural stone walls along the front boundary of sites should be retained. Any development on these lands must be sensitively designed.

DOON SRÁID PLAN **SO1 Development Boundary** SO Specific Objectives