

Project Development & Consultation Road Map



Information Gathering

Identify Project Study Area

Identify environmental & other constraints

Identify feasible options (corridor/sites)

Publication of Stage 1 Report

Pre-application consultation with An Bord Pleanála



Public

Public and stakeholder consultation on study area and constraints

Public and stakeholder consultation on findings of **Stage 1 Report**



Evaluate Options

Consideration of all feedback from **Stage 1**

Identification of EirGrid's emerging preferred option (route corridor/site)

Identification of indicative line within corridor or site boundary

Identify & meet landowners of indicative line/site; initial survey

Publication of Stage 2 Report

Pre-application consultation with An Bord Pleanála

Public and stakeholder consultation on findings of

Stage 2 Report

Public



Public

Ongoing public information



Confirm Design

Consideration of all feedback from **Stage 2**

Conduct environmental studies and surveys

Confirmation of design of line/site proposal including construction methodology

Ongoing engagement with landowners on preferred line route or site

Pre-application consultation with An Bord Pleanála



Prepare Planning Application

STAGE

Complete reports and prepare planning application

Preparation of Environmental Impact Statement (EIS) or Environmental Report as required

Conclusion of Pre-application consultation with An Bord Pleanála

Submit application to An Bord Pleanála



STAGE 5

Wayleaving and Construction

Preparation of construction plans

Serve Wayleave notice to landowners & agree access for construction

Commence construction



Public

Ongoing public information

Once application submitted, public can make submissions to An Bord Pleanála including at an oral hearing, if held

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Evaluation of Public Consultation process