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Map 17

Overview of Area

Committed Infrastructure

Constraints

- Western portion of site is very elevated, exposed and visible from the surrounding area.
- Land to east of Rosslare Road visible from Rosslare Strand.
- · Proximity to "The Rocks".

Permitted Development

20073682 -

Streamline Properties Retirement Village 158
accommodation units FI requested 13/12/2007.

20052920 -

Cleary & Doyle - 308 residential units (7ha site).

Character

Urban Quality

- · Mixed land uses.
- · Highly elevated portion of site to west.
- Eastern portion of site low-lying and bounded by Wexford Harbour.

Enclosure

- · Wexford Creamery to north.
- · Kerlogue Industrial Park to south.
- · Railway line along eastern boundary.
- · Rocks to west bordering Neville site.

Legibility

- Aiseiri Centre to east of Rosslare Road.
- · Large residential development proposed on lands to west.
- Opportunity for promotion of a Regional Park for Wexford within The Rocks.
- Opportunity to create landscaping / linear parks along the rail line.

Permeability

- Links established through 2007 2192 to link in with Rosslare Road and future development.
- Roads to be designed to give priority to pedestrian and cycle movements.

Public Space

- Linear park along rail line to be promoted 2005 2920 provides for a boardwalk area along rail.
- A regional park for Wexford to be promoted in the Rocks Area tie in with road linkages promoted through 2007 2192.

Adaptability

- Any development in the western portion of the site area should have regard for the highly sensitive and scenic nature of the area as well as the existing and proposed residential development in the area including retirement homes.
- An element of commercial development would be beneficial if large scale residential is proposed i.e. neighbourhood centre shopping.
- · Regional Park and linear park to be promoted.
- Any new development on Coolballow Road is dependent on road and footpath improvements linking any site to the Rosslare Road.

Phased Future Development

- Requirements for Regional Park and linear park to be promoted.
 - Any new development on Coolballow Road is dependent on road and footpath improvements linking any site to the Rosslare Road.









