

N11/M11 Junction 4 to Junction 14 Improvement Scheme

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Environmental walkover surveys are ongoing for the Scheme to adequately inform the assessments.

Survey Schedule

The environmental surveys that are currently scheduled are listed below. This list will be kept up-to-date as further survey work is scheduled:

	Apr-21	May-21	Jun-21	Jul-21	Aug-21	Sep-21	Oct-21
Surveys to be completed							
Bat surveys							
Barn Owl Survey							
Aquatic Survey							
Multi-disciplinary walkover survey							
Wintering Bird Survey							
Breeding Bird Survey							

Please note that these scheduled dates are subject to change and this Bulletin #6 will be updated as appropriate.

Frequently Asked Questions

Who will carry out the surveys?

Only Arup's authorised persons from appointed consultancy companies, or sub consultants working on their behalf, will carry out surveys. Each authorised person will have valid ID and authorising papers, which will be available for inspection on request.

What type of surveys will take place?

The scheduled surveys are primarily walkover surveys which are usually non-intrusive and superficial in nature. Further details will be provided directly to landowners where surveys of a more intrusive nature may be needed.

When will surveys take place?

The surveys that are being undertaken in the current survey period commenced in March 2021 and will be ongoing until approximately October 2021. Other surveys will be undertaken on an ongoing basis and the timeframes of these will be included in updates to this Bulletin #6. Surveys typically take place during the day, but bat surveys (and some barn owl surveys) are undertaken late at night to facilitate monitoring and tracking of their movements.



I am a landowner. How will I be notified of a survey on my property?

Landowners will be notified in advance of surveys taking place on their properties via letter drop or email (if email provided at previous consultations).

Covid-19 Restrictions?

The design team is conscious that Level 5 Covid 19 restrictions currently remain in place. In this regard, the progression of the N11/M11 Scheme is deemed an essential activity and the surveyors undertaking this work are deemed to be providing an essential service on behalf of Wicklow County Council. All surveyors will strictly adhere to HSE guidelines and maintain social distancing at all times.

If I have any queries who can I contact?

If you have any questions in relation to the walkover surveys, please do not hesitate to make contact using the details below:

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