

Stoneybatter Greening Strategy

BEN EDAIR TREE PLANTING PROPOSAL

JULY 2023

Dublin City Council Parks, Biodiversity & Landscape Services

Dear Ben Edair Road Residents,

We are getting in touch to provide an update on the Stoneybatter Greening Strategy and tree planting initiative scheduled this year for Ben Edair Road.

Please see DRAFT layout below for your consideration.

Taking into account feedback received to date, particularly the need to implement traffic calming measures on the street, we have included two ramps within a quadrant of trees (resembling the setup on Harold Road).

We want to implement a scheme that improves the living experience for all residents so please share your feedback and questions on this proposal. Should the plan receive approval, our aim is to commence the installation during the next planting season, between November 2023 and February 2024.

Please visit Harold Road & Niall Street for relevant local precedents

Please submit your feedback via Citizen Space : <https://consultation.dublincity.ie/parks/ben-edair-road-tree-planting>

& include your email for future correspondence

All feedback received will be addressed in an updated plan, that we intend to issue in August.



The tree positioning in the proposal below is based on the following considerations:

- Above and below-ground utilities
- Parking provision- There are currently 31 permits issued for the street. The proposed layout will accommodate 53 cars.
- Street architectural character - aim to implement a balanced tree layout
- Road Safety - Key to this layout is the inclusion of a ramped section of road to slow traffic so that pedestrian use is prioritised.
- Residents feedback to date.

Specification notes:

- Light canopy & small tree species will be planted
- Trees will be clear stem so the leaf canopy will be above windows.
- Tree pits constructed with sufficient root zone for trees to thrive so roots will not infringe on footpaths or near the building edges. Root barriers are included for additional protection.

**The plan is DRAFT.
Updates will be made based on
residents feedback.**

