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Subject: Re: Toilets / Welfare Facilities For Bus Drivers

Transportation & Infrastructure SPC

Dear Sir's,

Earlier today we had a very positive zoom call meeting with two members of **JCDecaux** (i.e. Jenny Priestley, Senior Contract Relations Executive and Julie Mulleady, Director of Business Development) regarding the provision and maintenance of public toilets / welfare facilities for bus drivers here in Galway city.

JCDecaux are already in contract with **Galway City Council** both for the provision and maintenance of bus shelters.

Hence, they are more than willing to do something similar in relation to public toilets for the new five cross city bus routes as listed in **Bus Connects Galway**.

JCDecaux are currently working on the same project in Dublin city and are therefore experienced with all the planning challenges that are associated with this work.

The public toilets /welfare facilities are "network assets" just like bus shelters. Therefore, they are an essential component of the proposed cross city bus routes.

I would be very grateful if the **Transportation & Infrastructure SPC** would give some consideration to the proposals attached and at some time in the future make some recommendations to the **Transportation Unit in Galway City Council**. Jenny and Julie are also prepared to answer any queries directly from the **Transportation & Infrastructure SPC** members.

Finally, I would like to take this opportunity to wish everyone a very Happy Easter.

Kind regards,
Gerard.

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