

A8 Belfast To Larne Dual Carriageway

Corridor Options Consultation

Welcome to this public consultation event for the A8 dualling. Today is your opportunity to:

- Get more information on what has been done so far.
- View the corridor options considered for the dualling of the A8.
- Provide your feedback on the corridor options.

Your views are important to us and will help to inform the decision making process as the design progresses. Please use the leaflet available today to provide your feedback on the corridor options presented.

Study Area

The study area includes 14 km of the existing A8 between the Coleman's Corner roundabout (B95 Hillhead Road) and the B100, Ballyrickard Road and the surrounding area.



Existing Conditions

The A8 is a strategically important road in Northern Ireland and is included in the Investment Delivery Plan for Roads. The road is also part of the Eastern Seaboard Key Transport Corridor and the Euroroute Network.



Key Facts

- Sections of the road carry in excess of 17,000 vehicles per day.
- The road carries a high proportion of heavy good vehicles.
- There is a lack of overtaking opportunities on the road.
- There were 35 accidents between 2004-2006, four fatal.

With traffic levels continuing to grow, traffic congestion will increase and road safety will deteriorate further.

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