



## APPROPRIATE ASSESSMENT SCREENING DETERMINATION

of

Proposed External Works (window and door upgrade, and the provision of a rendered insulation skin to the or brick façade of the building) at Togher Garda Station, Tramore Road, Togher, Cork.

In accordance with Chapter 5 (Development by a State authority prescribed under section 181 of the Act), Article 254: Screening for Appropriate Assessment of the *Planning and Development Regulations 2001 (as amended)*, the Office of Public Works have undertaken an Appropriate Assessment screening to assess, in the view of best scientific knowledge and the conservation objectives of the site, if the above project, individually or in combination with other plans or projects is likely to have a significant effect on a European site(s). In this context, particular attention was paid to the European site(s) listed below:

### Cork Harbour Special Protection Area (004030)

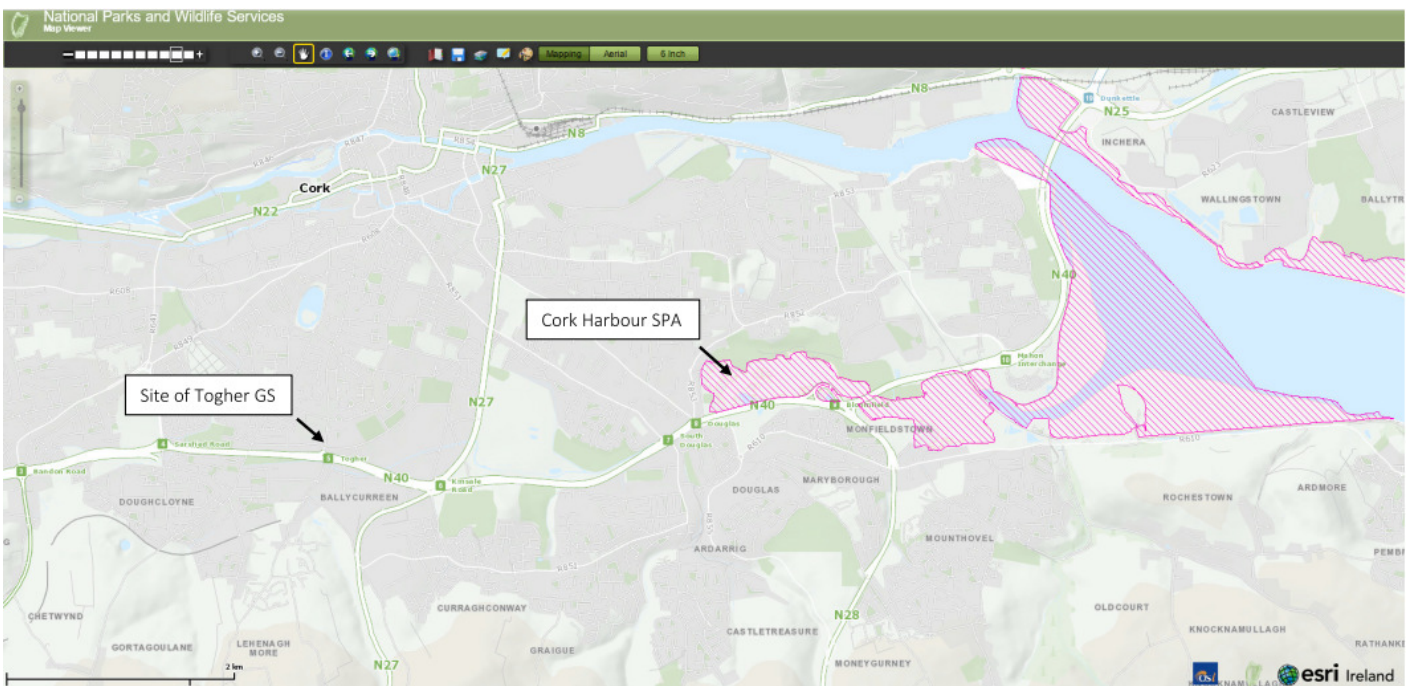


Fig. 1: Location of the subject site and proximity to Cork Harbour SPA (Source: www.npws.ie).

In accordance with Article 254. 3 (6) of the *Planning and Development Regulations 2001 (as amended)*, the Office of Public Works have made a determination following screening that an Appropriate Assessment is not required as the project is not directly connected with or necessary to the management of the site as European site(s) and as it can be concluded, on the basis of objective information, that the project, individually or in combination with other plans or projects is not likely to have a significant effect on the European site(s) listed in Fig.1.

This determination is based on the nature, scale, duration and location of the works, and the distance to the European site.

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