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To Whom it may concern,

As a local property owner in [redacted], Lahinch and a user of the facilities in the Lahinch, Cregg, and Carrowgar areas I wish to strenuously object to the current MARA License that is being applied for under MUL260006.

As a naturally beautiful tourist destination of significant importance in Co Clare I believe that the proposed disturbance and investigation being applied for in the Cregg beach area will cause irreparable damage to the environment, and the marine and animal habitats of the immediate and wider area.

In particular I object to the proposed sediment sampling, bore hole drilling and test pit opening on Cregg beach .

I understand that the purpose of the MARA investigation is to support a proposed wastewater treatment plant in the Callura area - I object to this MARA license being requested to support that development as that development is using outdated sewage treatment technology and the proposed site and proposed discharge pathway are outdated and I would argue in the wrong location.

I request that before any MARA license is granted that a new open public consultation take place with all the key stake holders and that all modern and suitable sewage treatment plant types, alternative locations and potential discharge paths are identified and considered before any physical and irreparable investigation takes place (as covered in the quoted MARA License).

I am also aware that Clare County Council is evaluating the Cregg Beach area as a public bathing spot - the nature of the investigations being requested under MUL260006 will have a detrimental impact on the natural beauty of Cregg beach and natural habitats in the wider Liscannor bay area. The proposed license and investigation should not be given permission until all concerns raised here and by a large number of local and other interested parties are dealt with.

For the record I do support the concept of an updated sewage and waste water facility for the Lahinch and Ennistymon areas but before any MARA license is granted and any physical investigation takes place the options for best long term solution for the locality need to be considered properly.

Please acknowledge receipt of my objection/submission which has been sent in advance of the published deadline.

Yours Sincerely,



