

Preliminary Appraisal

Feasibility Study
Public Consultation
Preliminary Design
Preliminary (Outline) Business Case submitted for approval to Department of Transport



Detailed Appraisal

Multi Criteria Analysis or full Cost Benefit Analysis for Projects over €30million
Public Consultation
Detailed Business Case



Statutory Planning Process

Submission of application to An Bord Pleanala
Public Inquiry
Decision by An Bord Pleanala

Procurement Process

Invitation to tender
Consideration of Tenders
Selection of Preferred Bidder
Post Tender Appraisal Validation



Final Business Case

Full appraisal including budgeting and costing
Risk assessment
Procurement process
Method of project implementation.



Final Government Decision

Decision is taken considering appraisal, risks and costs



Audit Process

Transport 21 projects are subject to a programme of appraisal and implementation audits undertaken by economists and technical specialists



Post Project Review

On completion of construction of a project a post completion review is done
Up to 3 years later a post project review is done