

Guidelines

The following guidelines are issued to assist in the nomination and selection of a name for the new pedestrian/cycle bridge over the N40/South Ring Road –

- All nominations must include a name and contact details. Nominations will not be considered without this information.
- The name should honour a significant event, individual or group/organisation or reflect important local features or geographical location.
- In the case of an event or person or group/organisation the name should honour and celebrate an event, individual or group/organisation of major significance and reflect positively on the City of Cork or its development over time.
- In the case of a person being nominated he/she should have made a unique and outstanding contribution to the life or history of Cork through outstanding achievement, distinctive service, or significant community contribution. The person/s should have been born or lived in Cork or have had strong and/or enduring connections with the city.
- In the case of an event to be commemorated, this should have occurred in Cork. An event will have to have occurred at least 20 years previously unless it is of extraordinary and long-lasting consequence to the city.
- Proposals to commemorate living persons will not be considered. Nominees should have died at least 20 years previously or have passed the centenary of their birth whichever is earlier. A lesser period may be considered by Council if deemed appropriate.
- The name should be appropriate to the function, location, and historical context of the new infrastructure.
- In reviewing proposals consideration will be given to the existence of any other infrastructure, monuments or plaques that honour the event, person, or group/organisation. Consideration will also be given to the issue of gender balance.