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Dear Cllr. Green,

 I am writing to you today regarding your Issue with sewage treatment plant effluent pipeline on the routing of electricity cable from North Irish Sea Array. Your Uisce Éireann reference number for same was 25391 which was raised on the 22/08/2024.

 The following update has become available:

 Thank you for contacting Uisce Éireann (UE) in connection with An Bord Pleanála planning application reference SID/04/24 ABP-319866-24 (North Irish Sea Array) and its interaction with the Greater Dublin Drainage (GDD) Project As you may be aware, Uisce Eireann also has a live planning application with an Bord Pleanála in relation to the GDD Project (ABP-312131-21). The GDD Project represents the next major strategic step in the development of our wastewater infrastructure for Dublin and the surrounding counties.

 Once operational, the GDD Project will have the capacity to provide wastewater treatment for the equivalent of half a million people living and working in the surrounding area and will protect public health, safeguard our environment and facilitate growth to 2050. As part of the pre-planning design process the applicant for the North Irish Sea Array (ABP-319866-24) consulted with the GDD project team to discuss interfaces between the two proposed projects.

 During these pre-planning consultations, the applicant’s design team indicated that they were exploring the possibility of securing a route adjacent to, but outside, the red line boundary for the GDD Project. However, from a statutory consent perspective, and for technical and safety reasons for both construction and future maintenance it would not be feasible to consider installation of the proposed cable within the GDD pipeline route. Uisce Eireann has not been party to any further discussions in this regard.

 I trust that this update provides clarity to both you and your constituents. Should you have any further queries, please don’t hesitate to contact us on the details below. For the latest supply and services updates, please see: <https://www.water.ie/?map=supply-and-service-updates>

 Thank you for using Uisce Éireann’s Local Representative Support Desk.

 Yours sincerely,

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