

Proposed Supply, Design & Installation of Festive Lights Tree Lighting at Ballina, Co. Mayo

09 – Preliminary Safety and Health Plan

Tender Issue – Document 09

July 2026

The Project Design, supply, and installation of Festive Lights

Location Ballina, Co Mayo

Ref: D204.2

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Project Description

The ‘Client’

Mayo County Council

Project Description

This tender is for the Design, Supply, and Installation of Festive Lighting at 5 Locations at Ballina, Co. Mayo.

Site Location

Ballina, Co. Mayo

The Site – Precautions, Restrictions

- The safety of the public shall be maintained at all times.
- Provide signage with designated pedestrians/vehicle routes providing safety of the public.
- Provide designated parking/access routes.
- Pedestrians, Public/Construction vehicles, and associated traffic
- Access for pedestrians, contractor’s vehicles, deliveries, and emergency vehicles must be maintained at all times.
- Public access to the site is to be restricted by appropriate means during the period of installation.
- To prevent unauthorised access to the proposed development, the contractor shall provide, erect, maintain and remove on completion all necessary guardings, barriers, hording, security lighting, and signage.
- Busy town centre public thoroughfares, used heavily by vehicular traffic and/or pedestrians, hosting a variety of retail and business establishments, public offices, and business premises.
- Ground level change.
- Overhead lines
- Underground services
- Heavy Vehicles movements
- Site is in close proximity to a variety of retail and business establishments and public offices.
- Site is in close proximity to residential properties; therefore, unacceptable levels of noise and dust is not acceptable. The onus is on the contractor to reduce the nuisance to a minimum.

Relevant Adjoining Land Use

- Retail and business establishments, public offices, residential and public thoroughfare.

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Intended Project Completion Time

Restrictions on working hours Monday – Friday, 8.00a.m. – 6.00p.m.

No weekend work, without written permission

Projected start date October 2026

Other Work Activities

The following other activities, not related to or included within the scope of the project will be carried out on or adjacent to the site during the construction phase.

Existing Building Activities: Public Throughfare, Public Offices

Installation of Services – telephone, data, etc. Identified

External works, the day-to-day landscaping, public utilities, works by a Local Authority
None Identified

Particular Risks

1. Busy adjacent throughfare, with large vehicle movements and pedestrians
 2. Hidden and undetected services
 3. Slips, trips, and falls
 4. Manual Lifting
 5. ESB power lines, surface/foul water drainage
 6. Working at a Height
 7. Working Over or Near Water
 8. Working with Electricity
 9. Working adjacent to a Public Roadway
 10. Affects of work on General Public
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- Work which put persons at risk of burial under earthfalls, engulfment in swampland or falling from a height, where the risk is particularly aggravated by the nature of the work or processes used or by the environment at the place of work or site.
 - Works, which put persons at, risk from chemical or biological substances constituting a particular danger to the safety and health of such persons or involving a legal requirement for health monitoring.
 - Work with ionising radiation requiring the designation of controlled or supervised areas as defined in Article 2 of directive 80/836/Euroatom.
 - Work near high voltage ESB lines.
 - Work exposing persons to the risk of drowning.
 - Work on well, underground earthwork or tunnels
 - Work carried out by divers at work having a system of air supply.
 - Work carried out in a caisson with a compressed air atmosphere.
 - Work involving the use of explosives.
 - Work involving the assembly or dismantling of heavy prefabricated components.

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Non-Particular risks

1. Works adjacent to Public Roadway
2. Damage or injury resulting from noise and vibrations.
3. Excavation in the vicinity of line services including E.S.B, Eircom, water & sewer.
4. Work in confined spaces
5. Affects of work on general public
6. Movement of construction traffic to and from the site
7. Lifting of heavy goods
8. Site security and access

The information contained in this Preliminary Safety and Health Plan has been prepared prior to the commencement of the work on site. It does not take account of any matters or information, which may come to light after that time.

For and on behalf of **Mayo County Council**

 Ballina Municipal District

 Ballina Civic Offices

 Ballina

 Co. Mayo

Designer	The contractor
Project Supervisor Design Process	The contractor
Letter of Confirmation	
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