

**Park West to Heuston Station**  
**South Circular Road Bridge (OBC1)**

Requirements	-Four tracks -OHLE in northern tracks -Electrical clearance for electrification -Keep current functionality of roads -Bridge Design Requirements (Standards)
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**Options Level 1 (PC2)**

Option 0: Do Nothing	Engineering	Feasibility	Constructability Geometrical fitness for intervention Safety	Leave As Is		Fail	Four Tracking Project Requirement not achieved. Electrification Project Requirement not achieved. Overhead Electrical Clearance Requirement not achieved.
		Requirements	Four tracking Park West-Heuston Electrification of DART+ tracks Vertical electrical clearance in structures Bridge Design Standards Keep current functionality of roads				
	Economy Environment	Investment guidelines and programme for DART+	Compatible with the investment guidelines and programme for DART+ No impact on Environmental sites of National of International signifiante.				
Option 1: Do Minimum	Engineering	Feasibility	Constructability Geometrical fitness for intervention Safety	Four Tracking Electrification No Pway or Structural Intervention		Fail	Four Tracking Project Requirement not achieved. Electrification Project Requirement not achieved. Overhead Electrical Clearance Requirement not achieved.
		Requirements	Four tracking Park West-Heuston Electrification of DART+ tracks Vertical electrical clearance in structures Bridge Design Standards Keep current functionality of roads				
	Economy Environment	Investment guidelines and programme for DART+	Compatible with the investment guidelines and programme for DART+ No impact on Environmental sites of National of International signifiante.				
Option 2	Engineering	Feasibility	Constructability Geometrical fitness for intervention Safety	Four Tracking Electrification Concept Design with Track Lowering Only (Concept Design Included)		Pass	This would require a minimum track lowering of 1.650m. This track lowering is difficult to achieve from a technical perspective in terms of track gradients and longitudinal drainage but it is considered feasible.
		Requirements	Four tracking Park West-Heuston Electrification of DART+ tracks Vertical electrical clearance in structures Bridge Design Standards Keep current functionality of roads				

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<b>Options Level 1 (PC2)</b>		Economy	Investment guidelines and programme for DART+			Compatible with the investment guidelines and programme for DART+	
		Environment				No impact on Environmental sites of National of International significance.	
	Option 3	Engineering	<b>Feasibility</b>	Constructability Geometrical fitness for intervention	●	<b>Fail</b>	<p>This would require a minimum road level increase and track lowering of 0.825m. This track lowering is difficult to achieve from a technical perspective in terms of track gradients and longitudinal drainage but it is considered feasible.</p>
			<b>Requirements</b>	Safety Four tracking Park West-Heuston Electrification of DART+ tracks Vertical electrical clearance in structures Bridge Design Standards Keep current functionality of roads	● ● ● ● ● ● ●		
	Economy	Investment guidelines and programme for DART+				Compatible with the investment guidelines and programme for DART+	
	Environment					No impact on Environmental sites of National of International significance.	

**Four Tracking Electrification  
Concept Design with Vertical clearance absorbed by Increased Road Levels (50%) and Track Lowering (50%)**

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Options Level 1 (PC 2)	Option 4	Engineering	Constructability	Four Tracking Electrification Overwidened Portal with Track Lowering Only	●	●	Pass
			Feasibility				
			Safety				
			Requirements				
			Four tracking Park West-Heuston				
			Electrification of DART+ tracks				
			Vertical electrical clearance in structures				
			Bridge Design Standards				
			Keep current functionality of roads				
		Economy	Investment guidelines and programme for DART+				Compatible with the investment guidelines and programme for DART+
		Environment					No impact on Environmental sites of National of International signifiante.
Options Level 1 (PC 2)	Option 5	Engineering	Constructability	Four Tracking Electrification Overwidened Portal with Vertical clearance absorbed by Increased Road Levels (50%) and Track Lowering (50%)	●	●	Fail
			Feasibility				
			Safety				
			Requirements				
			Four tracking Park West-Heuston				
			Electrification of DART+ tracks				
			Vertical electrical clearance in structures				
			Bridge Design Standards				
			Keep current functionality of roads				
		Economy	Investment guidelines and programme for DART+				Compatible with the investment guidelines and programme for DART+
		Environment					No impact on Environmental sites of National of International signifiante.

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Options Level 1 (PCZ)	Option 6	Engineering	Constructability	<b>Four Tracking          Electrification          Retain Existing Bridge and          New Cut &amp; Cover (C&amp;C)          Tunnel for One Track on North          Side.          Track Lowering Only</b>		Pass	This would require a maximum track lowering of 3.0m at the cut-and-cover structure.	
			<b>Feasibility</b> Geometrical fitness for intervention					
			<b>Requirements</b> Safety Four tracking Park West-Heuston Electrification of DART+ tracks Vertical electrical clearance in structures Bridge Design Standards Keep current functionality of roads					
	Economy	Investment guidelines and programme for DART+	Compatible with the investment guidelines and programme for DART+					
	Environment		No impact on Environmental sites of National of International signifiante.					
	Option 7	Engineering	Constructability				<b>Four Tracking          Electrification          Concept Design with Vertical          clearance absorbed by          Increased Road Levels and          Track Lowering (Other than          50/50 split)</b>	
<b>Feasibility</b> Geometrical fitness for intervention								
<b>Requirements</b> Safety Four tracking Park West-Heuston Electrification of DART+ tracks Vertical electrical clearance in structures Bridge Design Standards Keep current functionality of roads								
Economy			Investment guidelines and programme for DART+	Compatible with the investment guidelines and programme for DART+				
Environment			No impact on Environmental sites of National of International signifiante.					

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Options Level 1 (PC 2)	Option 8	Engineering	Constructability	Four Tracking Electrification Overwidened Portal with Vertical clearance absorbed by Increased Road Levels and Track Lowering (Other than 50/50 split)	-	-	Pass
			Feasibility				
			Safety				
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		Economy	Investment guidelines and programme for DART+				Compatible with the investment guidelines and programme for DART+
		Environment					No impact on Environmental sites of National or International significance.