

Nuacht RTÉ/TNS mrbi Poll. September 2006.

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6 in 10 feel the Corrib Gas terminal should be located offshore at sea, with just under one quarter supporting the Bellanaboy option. The offshore alternative has strongest support amongst those aged under 49 years, and those residing in Castlebar/Ballinrobe/ Claremorris and Westport/Belmullet areas.

Q. Do you think the Corrib Gas terminal should go ahead in Bellanaboy, or should it be put offshore at sea, or not go ahead at all.

At Sea: 61%

At Bellanaboy: 23%

Don't mind either way 7%

Shouldn't go ahead at all 4%

No Opinion. 5%

- Two thirds of those surveyed supported the stance taken by the five men from Rossport in their defiance of a court order in relation to the Corrib Gas pipeline.

Q. Did you support, or not support the stand taken by the five men from Rossport in their defiance of court order in relation to the Corrib Gas Terminal

Support 66%

Not Support 20%

No feeling either way 9%

No opinion 5%

- Almost 4 in 5 of all adults aged 18+ in Mayo felt Shell E&P Ireland handled the situation badly.

Q. Overall do you think that Shell E&P Ireland handled the Corrib Gas Pipeline development well, or did they handle it badly

Well 9%

Badly 78%

No opinion 13%