

CARLOW COUNTY COUNCIL

Draft Graiguenamanagh-Tinnahinch Joint Local Area Plan 2021-2027 Invitation for Submissions on the Material Alterations Draft Graiguenamanagh-Tinnahinch Joint Local Area Plan 2021-2027 by 5pm on Friday 7th May 2021

Notice is hereby given that the Members of Kilkenny County Council and Carlow County Council having considered the Graiguenamanagh – Tinnahinch Draft Joint Local Area Plan 2021-2027 together with the Chief Executive's reports, in respect of submissions received, have resolved in accordance with Section 20 (3) of the Planning and Development Act 2000 (as amended), that the above-mentioned Plan be amended.

The proposed amendments constitute Proposed Material Alterations to the Draft Joint Local Area Plan. The proposed amendments have been screened for potential impacts on the environment and on Natura 2000 sites. It has been determined pursuant to section 20(3)(f) of the Act that neither a Strategic Environmental Assessment nor an Appropriate Assessment is required to be carried out in respect of the Proposed Material Alterations to the Graiquenamanagh – Tinnahinch Draft Joint Local Area Plan 2021-2027.

The proposed alterations and screening decisions (SEA and AA) may be inspected from **Friday, 9th of April 2021 to Friday, 7th May 2021** (both dates inclusive but excluding bank holidays) at the following locations:

- Online at http://consult.kilkenny.ie or https://consult.carlow.ie/
- Planning Office, Kilkenny County Council, County Hall, John Street, Kilkenny (by appointment only during normal opening hours as per Covid-19 Guidelines)
- Planning Office, Carlow County Council, County Buildings, Athy Road, Carlow (by appointment only during normal opening hours as per Covid-19 Guidelines)
- Graiguenamanagh Library during normal opening hours and subject to Covid-19 restriction and protocols in place at the time (please contact the library services to confirm availability)

Submissions or observations in respect of the proposed Material Alterations or to the information on the likely significant effects on the environment of implementing the alterations will be taken into consideration before the making of any alteration.

Submissions may be made:

- online at http://consult.kilkennv.ie/ or
- online at https://consult.carlow.ie/ or
- by e-mail to ourplan@kilkennycoco.ie or
- by e-mail to jointLAP@carlowcoco.ie or

In writing to:

- The Senior Planner, Planning Department, Kilkenny County Council, County Hall, John Street, Kilkenny or
- The Senior Planner, Planning Department, Carlow County Council, County Buildings, Athy Road, Carlow.

Please note that all submissions will be made available for public viewing on the Council's consultation website during the plan-making period. Kilkenny and Carlow County Councils will treat all personal data you give us as confidential. We will retain your data for no longer than is necessary for the purpose of this LAP and in accordance with the Council's Retention Policy and the relevant Data Protection legislation.

Submissions or observations must be received before 5pm Friday 7th of May 2021. Late submissions will not be accepted.

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