

**LIMERICK CITY AND COUNTY COUNCIL
MUNICIPAL DISTRICT OF NEWCASTLE WEST
MEETING TO BE HELD ON WEDNESDAY 16th SEPTEMBER,
2015**

Question submitted by Councillor S. Browne

I will ask at the next Meeting if any progress has been made with providing bus and coach parking for visitors to Desmond Castle, Newcastle West.

REPLY:

The bus bay on the N21 for the Desmond Castle is to be resurfaced by the end of October.

**Brian Kennedy
Operations Manager South & West Divisions**

9th September, 2015.

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Question submitted by Councillor J. Scanlan

I will ask at the next Meeting (a) if advance notice to commence was served on Limerick City and County Council in respect of a recently commenced addition to the Glebe Housing Development at Monagea and, if so, the actual date served; (b) has a bond been put in place to cover finishings; (c) have the full development levies been collected in respect of the additional starts.

REPLY:

- (a) A commencement notice was submitted for the completion of works on 10th July, 2015.
- (b) These houses were being completed under planning reference number 04/3492 for which the full bond was lodged. The Council has since claimed this bond in order to fund works on this estate. The planning permission for this development has expired and the developer has been informed that a new planning permission will be required to complete these houses and a new bond can be considered when a decision is made on any new application.
- (c) The contributions have not been paid in respect of the additional start.

Pat Daly,
Director of Services,
Economic Development and Planning.
8th September, 2015.

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I will ask at the next Meeting (a) the value of the bond held to cover completion works at Carraig Desmond, Churchtown, Newcastle West; (b) within what timeframe are works currently underway expected to be completed; (c) has planning expired on the unfinished aspect of this development; (d) what plans are in place with regard to dealing with incompletions.

REPLY:

- (a) There is a bond of €231,813 in place for this development.
- (b) The estimated timeframe for the completion of the works is end of October, 2015.
- (c) Planning permission has expired for this development.
- (d) The vacant houses will be boarded up and the undeveloped site areas will be securely fenced.

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I will ask at the next meeting where the original stone from the recently replaced Ronaldson's Bridge on the Shanagarry Ballintubrid borders was taken to.

REPLY:

Any suitable stone recovered from the existing structures at this location was reused in the construction works.

**Ger Carey
Senior Resident Engineer Mid West Roads
9th September, 2015.**

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Question Submitted by Councillor L. Galvin

I will ask at the next Meeting for the following Information:

- (a) How many housing applicants have we on the waiting list in our Municipal district?**
- (b) How many of these are from Abbeyfeale?**
- (c) How many vacant houses have we in Abbeyfeale?**
- (d) How many vacant houses have we in the Municipal District of Newcastle West?**

REPLY:

- a) There are 74 households on the waiting list for the Newcastle West Municipal District.
- b) 38 households have addresses in Abbeyfeale
31 households have addresses in the environs
- c) There is currently one vacant house in Abbeyfeale
- d) We currently have 3 vacant houses in the Municipal District of Newcastle West.

Director of Service
Home and Social Development