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**Limerick** City  
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MUNICIPAL DISTRICT OF Cappamore Kilmallock  
MONTHLY MEETING: 21.09.2017  
ITEM: TOWN ENGAGE - Kilmallock

# Kilmallock TownEngage

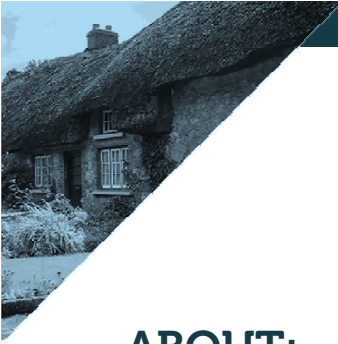
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THE PUBLIC INTEREST DEVELOPMENT OFFICE

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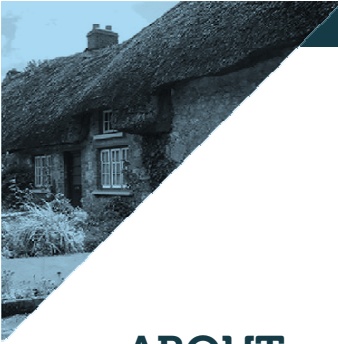
## ABOUT:

### THE PUBLIC INTEREST DEVELOPMENT OFFICE:

- The Public Interest Development (PID) was set up in September 2016 in order to stimulate and strengthen Limerick's historic towns and city centre through built environment development projects which are in the public interest.
- The office is headed up by Rosie Webb, Senior Architect at Limerick City and County Council (LC&CC) and is supported by an interdisciplinary team of 3 with niche technical and administrative skills.
- The office is dedicated to place-making, re-use and revitalisation, through the activation of social, environmental and economic drivers across Limerick.
- The office has created an ecosystem for collaboration and engagement through a co-design process called 'Town Engage'

### FUNDING OPPORTUNITIES:

- Creative Ireland...
- Town and Village Renewal...
- Leader Funding...
- EU (UIA/Interreg-NPA-NEW-AA/Urbact/H2020).



## ABOUT:

### COMMUNITY PARTICIPATION & CO-DESIGN PROCESSES

- The community participation and co-design processes, we are now calling Living Limerick **TownEngage** & **CityEngage**, adopts an innovative place-making process via 'citizen open innovation'. Our shared participatory design approach is now receiving local and national recognition even in its infancy. Look back on progress [#LivingLimerick](#) [#CityEngage](#) [#TownEngage](#)
- 2 City Engage Week Events (Aspirations for O Connell Street/City Engage and Riverway Engage)
- Events include: Pecha Kucha night/ Community Mapping/Design Workshops/ Community Learning Events/ Open Critique



# Living Limerick - City Engage -

Living Limerick is about developing a vision for living  
in the historic core of Limerick City

Limerick City and County Council and the School of Architecture  
University of Limerick will be hosting  
a series of community engagement weeks throughout 2017  
to collect people's thoughts, hopes and opinions about living in Limerick

## CITY ENGAGE - WEEK 1 PROGRAMME

TUESDAY 28TH FEBRUARY 2017 @ 2 PERY SQUARE  
Listen & Learn - Community Learning Event

- 5.00pm Garry Miley, WIT *"The Origin and Future of the Grid"*
- 6.00pm Irénée Scalbert, AA London/ SAUL *"Limerick: The Uninterrupted Monument"*
- 7.00pm Mark Brearley *"Industry in the City"*

WEDNESDAY 1ST MARCH 2017 @ FAB LAB, PATRICK STREET  
Street Design Workshop

- 2 - 6.00pm Street Design Workshop
- 2.00pm Tom Grey, Trinity Haus *"Sharing Streets"*
- 2.30pm Giulia Vallone, Cork County Council *"Reinhabiting the Streets"*
- 7 - 8.30pm Pecha Kucha night inviting aspirations for O'Connell Street

THURSDAY 2ND MARCH 2017 @ LIMERICK CHAMBER, 96 O'CONNELL STREET  
Listen & Learn - Community Learning Event

- 5.00pm Peter Carroll, A2 Architects/ SAUL *"Limerick Finds"*
- 6.00pm Dr. Matthew Potter, LCCC/ UL *"Governing Georgian Limerick"*
- 7.00pm Gerard Carty, Grafton Architects/ SAUL *"The Nature of a City"*

FRIDAY 3RD MARCH 2017 @ NARRATIVE 4, 58 O'CONNELL STREET  
Open Critique

- 5.00pm Street Life - Open Critique of Community Street Ideas



SAUL School of Architecture





# Living Limerick - City Riverway Engage -

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Limerick City and County Council and the School of Architecture, UL are hosting a series of community engagement weeks called City Engage throughout 2017

We hope to collect citizens' thoughts, opinions and hopes about living in Limerick

**Week 2 of City Engage is all about Limerick's Riverways, we want to hear your opinions, comments and future hopes for our riverways including your ideas and aspirations for the Riverway/ Footbridge proposals**

## CITY ENGAGE EVENTS

### TUESDAY 25TH APRIL 2017

PechaKucha 20X20 Night @ CURRAGOWER PUB, CLANCYS STRAND

*"Connections to Limerick's Riverways"*

7 - 9pm PechaKucha 20X20 Night with lots of interesting local speakers

### WEDNESDAY 26TH APRIL

City Riverway Listen & Learn Event @

SMALL EXHIBITION SPACE, CITY HALL, MERCHANTS QUAY

*"Using the Riverways"*

12.30 - 1.15pm xxxxx

1.15 - 2.30pm Dave Neville, NevSAIL Watersports

### Community Mapping @

SMALL EXHIBITION SPACE, & OUTSIDE AREA OF CITY HALL, MERCHANTS QUAY

3.00 - 5.00pm

Community mapping event to collect & map local knowledge about the Riverways, hosted by FABLAB

### THURSDAY 27TH APRIL

City Riverway Listen & Learn Event @

CAPTAIN'S ROOM, HUNT MUSEUM

*"Riverway Policies"*

6.00 - 6.45pm Fiona Monaghan, Failte Ireland (TBC)

6.45 - 7.30pm Eanna Rowe, Waterways Ireland

### FRIDAY 28TH APRIL

City Riverway Intergenerational Design Workshop @

CHEZ LE FAB CAFE & OUTSIDE AREA, ARTHURS QUAY PARK

9.45 - 11.45am Intergenerational Design Workshop

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## ABOUT:

### TOWN ENGAGE –KILLMALLOCK- THRESHOLD PROJECT

- We hope to continue this community participation and co-design process with community stakeholders in KILLMALLOCK County Limerick in order to support the Threshold Project.
- Timeline 09.10.17 to 13.10.17
- The threshold will have the purpose of welcoming people to the town, slowing down traffic and providing safer environments for pedestrians, cyclists and beautifying the approach road with landscaping and informing the development of the a town identity through a designer lead community creativity endeavour.

### PID will coordinate engagement with local stakeholders to assist

### Proposed calendar of events

1. community learning day and field tours,
  2. community auditing
  3. open source mapping sessions,
  4. design workshops,
  5. and an open critique
- The Threshold Project in Kilmallock is kindly supported by the Creative Ireland Programme 2017-2022

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## WHY USE TOWN ENGAGE -Kilmallock?

- To articulate the vision for Kilmallock and share the community hopes for the area.
- To coordinate a bottom-up planning approach to place-making, particularly in relation to the design of public spaces in Kilmallock.
- To help the community to identify individuals and groups who wish to work together to improve Kilmallock. (Examples: design champions, neighbourhood stewards, friends of historic towns etc.)
- To help the community to prepare for place-making, re-use and revitalisation investment opportunities as they arise.



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