

**MEETING OF THE MUNICIPAL DISTRICT OF NEWCASTLE WEST TO BE HELD ON
WEDNESDAY 11TH OF DECEMBER 2019**

Notice of Motion submitted by Councillor J. Scanlon

I will move at the next Meeting that grave spaces be provided for sale subject to availability in active cemeteries within the Newcastle West Municipal District.

REPLY:

Limerick City & County Council are currently in the process of developing a new burial ground strategy. The burial ground strategy will address remaining capacity in each of the active cemeteries. The request to sell grave spaces can only be addressed at this stage. The Council will consult with the Members in relation to the findings in the strategy and the issue of selling graves in advance.

Currently grave spaces are available for sale "at time of need only" in all active cemeteries, subject to availability.



Anne Peters SE

06/12/19

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I will move at the next Meeting that the current qualification parameters for the Local Improvement Scheme be reviewed

REPLY:

It is a requirement under the Local Improvement Scheme that in order to qualify under the scheme that the roadway ***“Shall in the opinion of the road authority be used by the public”***

It is a matter for the Council to determine if a road meets the above requirement. In a case where there is a gate at the entrance to a roadway the Council would normally request the applicant to submit additional details in relation to public access rights to the road. Each application is decided by the Council on the basis of the information submitted by the applicant.

Criteria to be considered by the Council to determine if there is public access would include :

- Use of roadway by other persons to access landholdings or areas of amenity.
- Whether the gate is normally in an open or closed position.
- Is the gate required to restrict access to the public roadway by livestock.

Tom Hernon,
Operations – Central Servcies
6th December, 2019

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Notice of Motion submitted by Councillor T. Ruddle

I will move at the next Meeting that road overlays be carried out on the roads in Newcastle West town in particular at Upper Maiden St and Churchtown and that these roads should be placed on the Roads Programme 2020.

REPLY:

The road at Churchtown Newcastle West is included for overlay works in the Multi Annual Roadwork Programme 2019-2021.

Repairs works will be carried out on Upper Maiden St within the next two months.

Other roads within Newcastle West town also form part of the above Roads Programme.

Gerard O'Connor
Senior Executive Engineer
Newcastle West Municipal District
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Notice of Motion submitted by Councillor J. Sheahan

I will move at the next Meeting that Limerick City and County Council do a detailed design of the junction in the village of Castletown to ensure the safety of motorists and that the design would incorporate the village itself including traffic calming measures and footpath improvements.

REPLY:

Additional signage and improved road markings are currently being put in place in Castletown. A new footpath is proposed under the GMA Local Roads Programme 2020 and this will incorporate an improved junction design.

With regard to traffic calming, a traffic survey is currently being carried out and Driver Feedback signs will be installed if necessary.

Gerard O'Connor
Senior Executive Engineer
Newcastle West Municipal District
6th December, 2019