

LIMERICK CITY AND COUNTY COUNCIL

MUNICIPAL DISTRICT OF NEWCASTLE WEST

MEETING TO BE HELD ON WEDNESDAY 7th OCTOBER, 2020

Notice of Motion submitted by Councillor J. Scanlan

I will move at the next Meeting that restricted vehicular access be put in place along Nash's Lane from the Square entrance towards Aldi in the interest of pedestrian safety.

REPLY:

To restrict vehicular access from the Square Newcastle West requires a Public Consultation process by means of a Section 38 Notice in accordance with the Roads Act 1994.

In the interim, Nash's Lane is due to be resurfaced in the coming weeks and improved lining & signing will be carried out at the entrance to the Square.

**Gerard O'Connor,
Senior Executive Engineer,
Municipal District of Newcastle West
2nd October, 2020**

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I will move at the next Meeting that the Newcastle West Municipal District be given a commitment that all essential upgrade works on residential properties purchased by our Authority be undertaken immediately once property purchased, in order that those homes are tenanted within a 6 month timeframe from the date of purchase.

REPLY:

The majority of our houses are purchased under the Buy & Renew programme and as a result they have been assigned a refurbishment budget. The refurb tendered works are so that the houses are completed and allocated as a priority.

Aoife Duke,

Director of Services,

Housing Development Directorate

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Notice of Motion submitted by Councillor M. Collins

I will move at the next Meeting that Limerick City and County Council clearly mark out and define the trading area at the Square, Newcastle West to identify how many pitches are available there.

REPLY:

As per the Council Casual Trading Bye Laws 1996, casual trading is permitted to take place at the Square, Newcastle West on Thursdays and Saturdays.

All traders who wish to trade at the Square, Newcastle West, which is the designated trading area as per the Bye-Laws, will require a licence. Licences are issued by the Council on receipt of completed application form along with evidence of the necessary public liability insurance and licence fee.

Once licenced, the trader is designated a space if there is one available. There are currently seven licenced traders at the Square and these take up of most of the casual trading area . The trading areas have not been marked/painted out on the ground as this would take from the appearance of the cobbled area at the Square on non-trading days. However each trader is advised of their space on receipt of a licence.

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I will move at the next Meeting that Limerick City and County Council engage with the Newcastle West Community Centre to see if their new car park could be used for public car parking

REPLY:

Limerick City and County Council will engage with Newcastle West Community Centre to see if their new car park could be utilised for public parking.

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