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MEETING OF THE METROPOLITAN DISTRICT OF LIMERICK TO BE HELD ON Monday the 9th March 2026

Notice of Motion submitted by Councillor C. Slattery

I will move at the next meeting of the Metropolitan District of Limerick that Limerick City and County Council make improvements to the traffic and lighting layout at the entrance to Woodlawn Park given the fact that two new housing schemes have been established in the area.

Reply:

A traffic survey will be arranged at the Ballysimon Road/Woodlawn Park Junction. The data gathered from this survey will be used in the consideration of possible improvements to the management of traffic at this junction.

**Hugh McGrath,
A/Director of Services,
Transportation, Mobility & Public Realm Directorate,
4th March 2026.**



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Notice of Motion submitted by Councillor Kiely

I will move at the next meeting of the Metropolitan District of Limerick that a choice based letting system be explored for Council housing.

REPLY:

Housing Support Services are currently progressing the roll out of a Choice Based Letting (CBL) system for use in Limerick City & County Council. The Council have procured a consultant to develop a bespoke CBL system and are currently at the advanced User Acceptance Testing (UAT) phase of the CBL system. The next phase of the pilot will involve mapping property data to the new system in collaboration with Housing Strategy and Mixed-Tenure Partnership unit and LA Housing Construction/Maintenance.

Subject to progress at each stage, it is anticipated that the CBL system will be ready for rollout in the second half of 2026. Elected members will be fully briefed in advance of implementation and throughout the planned pilot and later roll out phases.

Mary Hayes

Mary Hayes
Senior Executive Officer
Housing Support Services
4th March 2026



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Notice of Motion submitted by Councillor McSweeney

I will move at the next meeting of the Metropolitan District of Limerick that Limerick City and County Council advance the land acquisition agreements for the land required for the N69 Brick Lodge to Clarina Village Walkway as a matter of urgency.

Reply:

Limerick City and County Council is currently progressing the necessary legal agreements relating to land acquisition to facilitate the delivery of the N69 Clarina Walkway project. Limerick City & County Council will continue to provide updates and advise members once the agreements are in place.

**Hugh Mc Grath,
A/Director of Services,
Transportation, Mobility & Public Realm Directorate,
4th March 2026**



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Notion of Motion submitted by Councillor Dan McSweeney

I will move at the next meeting of the Metropolitan District of Limerick that Limerick City and County Council carry out a further examination of making some units available within the 24-unit Barnakyle Housing Scheme for Affordable Purchase.

REPLY:

Following a public tender process, a Contractor has now been identified to construct this scheme under the Social Housing Investment Programme. The scheme has been designed and approved for a mix of elderly rightsizing and Incremental Sale for working households in private rented accommodation availing of HAP and RAS social housing supports.

The Affordable Housing Team have carried out an examination to determine if this scheme is viable for some units to be made available for affordable purchase. At this time, the scheme does not meet the eligibility criteria for the Affordable Housing Fund (AHF) to meet a minimum of 15% affordability gain (i.e., discount).

Further development opportunities are being explored in Patrickswell to deliver affordable housing, and Elected Members will be updated in due course when an opportunity becomes a project.

Sarah Newell
Senior Executive Officer
Housing Strategy and Mixed-Tenure Partnership Unit
5th March 2026



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Notice of Motion submitted by Councillor Gavan and Councillor Pond

I will move at the next meeting of the Metropolitan District of Limerick that funding be secured from the Department of Justice/Local Government and Heritage to retain the Moyross CCTV Monitoring Centre as this infrastructure assists Gardaí in tackling crime and anti-social behaviour all across Limerick.

REPLY:

The Council acknowledges the importance of the Moyross CCTV Monitoring Centre in supporting An Garda Síochána in addressing crime and anti-social behaviour across Limerick.

Members are advised that the Department of Housing has commenced a phased withdrawal from the funding of CCTV operations, based on a 25% annual step-down. This has resulted in a funding shortfall of approximately €440,000 in the current year, with the potential for this to increase to an annual shortfall of approximately €880,000 over the coming years. In this context, the Council welcomes and acknowledges the commitment of the Mayor of Limerick to fund the shortfall for 2026, which provides as essential short-term solution for the operation of the service.

The long-term sustainability and certainty of the CCTV service will require the securing of sustainable multi-annual funding, and Members are advised that engagement with the Department of Justice is ongoing to seek a commitment in this regard.

Alan Dooley

Head of Information Systems, Digital Services

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MEETING OF THE METROPOLITAN DISTRICT OF LIMERICK TO BE HELD MONDAY 9TH March, 2026

Notice of Motion submitted by Councillor S. Hickey-O'Mara

I will move at the next meeting of the Metropolitan District of Limerick that communication boards are installed in Council run public spaces. Communication Boards assist neuro divergent residents, those with disabilities, those experiencing ill mental health, and others, to communicate their needs in public spaces. The Right to Communication is a fundamental human right enshrined in the Universal Declaration of Human Rights, ensuring that the communication needs of residents are upheld by the local authority is crucial.

REPLY:

Communication boards are primarily communication supports with particular benefit to children and adults who are either pre-verbal or non-verbal and/or have communication difficulties.

Limerick Libraries are committed to developing inclusive services, including autism and neuro diverse friendly services throughout our network. In addition to the award-winning sensory suite at Watch House Cross Library we have provided Sensory Pods and sensory spaces through our branch network.

Interactive light projecting tables i.e. Magic Tables, Sensory toys, C Pens and Noise reducing headphones are available throughout the network. We communicate these inclusive services to users via the publication of social story which outlines in picture format what a visitor may expect to see and experience at the Library. This booklet is available throughout the network.

To date we have not received requests for communication boards from those using the library service. The Culture department will assess this request for communication boards together with those using our services, in co-operation with the organisations and charities who are promoting this initiative and in the context of available funding. Our understanding is that communication boards are specific to the service being provided. That is to say that each service such as Libraries, Museum, Gallery will require the design of a service specific communication board. Preliminary research indicates that this new initiative was first introduced in some library authorities nationally only in the past year.

A similar site-specific approach is being taken in other LCCC owned and operated buildings.

Damien Brady
Senior Manager - Culture
Date: 03/03/2026



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MEETING OF THE METROPOLITAN DISTRICT OF LIMERICK TO BE HELD ON Monday the 16th February 2026

Notice of Motion submitted by Councillor S. Beasley

I will move at the next meeting of the Metropolitan District of Limerick that Limerick City and County Council conduct a comprehensive audit of all locations across the Metropolitan District where cycle paths intersect with road junctions, to ensure adequate signage is in place to clearly indicate right of way for both cyclists and motorists, and where cyclists do not have right of way, to install additional signage specifically at busy junctions requesting cyclists to wait and dismount when crossing.

Reply:

I would like to confirm that all cycle lanes installed by Active Travel will be reviewed as part of our ongoing Active Travel delivery programme. Where there is a specific concern raised, we can review the location to determine if any remedial action is required.

**Patricia Liddy,
Director of Services,
Transportation, Mobility & Public Realm Directorate,
12th February 2026.**



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Notice of Motion submitted by Councillor Reale

I will move at the next meeting of the Metropolitan District of Limerick that Limerick City and County Council conduct a speed survey with a view to installing additional traffic calming measures in Lower Park, Corbally.

Reply:

There is existing traffic calming measures along Lower Park road, Corbally. A meeting can be arranged to examine the section of lower Park referred to and a speed survey can be conducted.

**Hugh Mc Grath,
A/Director of Services,
Transportation, Mobility & Public Realm Directorate,
5th March 2026**