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**LIMERICK CITY AND COUNTY COUNCIL
MUNICIPAL DISTRICT OF NEWCASTLE WEST
MEETING TO BE HELD ON THURSDAY 2nd APRIL 2026**

Question Councillor F. Foley

I will ask at the next Meeting for an update regarding speed ramps in Mountcollins.

Reply:

A speed survey has been conducted on the Western approach to Mountcollins. The installation of ramps and traffic calming measures are subject to the LCCC traffic calming policy. This location will be examined further in the coming weeks as per the policy.

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Senior Executive Engineer
Newcastle West Municipal District

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Question Councillor J. Scanlan

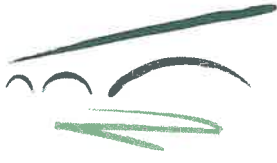
I will ask at the next Meeting when road surface renewal will be carried out along Maiden Street, Newcastle West.

Reply:

This road forms part of the draft Road Works Scheme 2026 and if approved, works will commence in Q3 2026.

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Question Councillor J. Scanlan

I will ask at the next Meeting when drainage works are likely to be carried out along Buckley Terrace, Dromcollogher.

Reply:

LCCC roads department has met with the landowner and are currently drafting an agreement. If agreement is reached works will commence in Q3 of 2026.

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Question Councillor J. Scanlan

I will ask at the next Meeting when works on the anticipated footpath on the western side of Ashford Village is set to commence.

Reply:

A part 8 planning permission is required for the proposed works in Ashford. If the Part 8 progresses works will commence in Q3 of 2026.

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LIMERICK CITY AND COUNTY COUNCIL

MUNICIPAL DISTRICT OF NEWCASTLE WEST

MEETING TO BE HELD ON THURSDAY 2nd April

Question submitted by Councillor L. Galvin

I will ask at the next Meeting for a detailed update on the Abbeyfeale Traffic Management Plan.

Reply:

The Abbeyfeale Traffic Management Plan is now split into stages for delivery purposes as follows:

- Advanced Works/Demolition of the O' Riordan's Bar and a residential building at Colbert Terrace (This was completed in 2024).
- Construction of the Grove Crescent Carpark Link - Contractor has been appointed and construction is commencing in March 2026 (4 month works programme).
- Uisce Eireann will replace the watermains on Killarney Road, Main Street and Colbert Terrace commencing in June 2026 (3 month works programme). This is funded by Uisce Eireann directly.
- N21 Killarney Road Phase – It is planned to tender and commence works in H2 2026 with a target of having the works completed pre- Ryder Cup (September 2027).
- N21 Main Street and Colbert Terrace - It is planned to commence works post Ryder Cup (September 2027).

At the moment we are working with our Consultant Malachy Walsh and Partners to finalise the value engineering design exercise on the N21 Killarney Road Phase to deliver the project within budget. Once this phase is re designed and cost estimate completed, we will engage with the project funder TII to confirm funding prior to tender. We plan to publish the traffic calming proposals under Section 38 of the Road Traffic Act 1994 to make the public aware of the proposed traffic calming measures. This will take place in May.

Patricia Liddy,
Director of Services,
Transportation, Mobility & Public Realm.
25th March 2026.



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MEETING OF THE MUNICIPAL DISTRICT OF NEWCASTLE WEST

to be held on Thursday 2nd April 2026

Question Councillor L. Galvin

I will ask at the next Meeting for a detailed update on the new graveyard in Abbeyfeale.

Reply:

The Council are preparing a Part VIII application for a new burial ground for Abbeyfeale. The preparatory stage included a Stage 1 Road Safety Audit that identified operational speeds on the access road significantly in excess of the speed limit of 50kph. Therefore, the scheme requires a traffic calming scheme to be incorporated into the proposed development and included in the Part VIII documentation. A preliminary traffic calming scheme has been prepared and is currently being assessed by the relevant internal departments of Limerick City and County Council. This review will inform the final design and Part VIII documentation. It is expected that the Part VIII documentation will be finalised and ready for public consultation in Q2 2026.

Sonja Reidy
Senior Executive Officer
Metropolitan District of Limerick, Parks & Cemeteries

25th March 2026



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Meeting of Municipal District of Newcastle West to be held on Thursday 2nd April, 2026

Question submitted by Councillor L. Galvin

I will ask at the next Meeting for a detailed update on the six properties developed in Abbeyfeale funded under the Rural Regeneration and Development Fund (a) What stage each property is at (b) What are the plans for each (c) When can we expect each to be occupied (d) What are the costs of each to bring to completion (e) What are the delays.

REPLY:

(a) Table below:

Property	Location	Property type	Status
6 Colbert Terrace	Abbeyfeale	3 bed terrace	Complete to Builders Finish
7 Colbert Terrace	Abbeyfeale	3 bed terrace	Complete to Builders Finish
Convent Road **	Abbeyfeale	2 bed detached	Complete to Builders Finish
Old Church Street	Abbeyfeale	3 bed end terrace	Complete to Builders Finish
Bridge Inn Bar A	Abbeyfeale	4 bed terrace	Complete to Builders Finish
Bridge Inn Bar B	Abbeyfeale	1 bed terrace	Complete to Builders Finish

(b) & (c)

The 6 properties in Abbeyfeale are being reviewed to examine the feasibility of a rental model in line with the Mayoral Objective ML15 – “with a view to deploy risk transfer mechanisms and equity sharing to unlock rental deliver in relation to renovation..”

Financial modelling options are at final stages and discussions are ongoing, with the RRDF team in the DHLGH to reach agreement as to the future of these properties.

- (d) Under the RLHD scheme the properties were to be brought to "Builders finish". Costs to complete to liveable/rental standard have not been reviewed to date, as it was not part of original remit and are pending a final decision as to the future use of the properties.
- (e) With the exception of the Convent Road property, the remaining properties have been completed, following snagging etc, from the end of 2025 / early 2026. Property Services Department is awaiting the agreement to be reached with DHLGH and Housing Directorate, to advance the properties activation in compliance with the final decision.

Yours sincerely,



Jayne Leahy
Head of Property Services Department

Date: 25/3/26



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Question submitted by Councillor J. Sheahan

I will ask at the next Meeting how many claims for Personal Injuries have been made to Limerick City and County Council over the last five years due to the surface of the cobbled area in The Square in Newcastle West Town.

Reply:

There have been no personal injury claims made to Limerick City and County Council over the last five years due to the surface of the cobbled area in The Square in Newcastle West town.

Ben Noonan
Senior Executive Engineer
Newcastle West Municipal District

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