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LIMERICK CITY AND COUNTY COUNCIL

MUNICIPAL DISTRICT OF NEWCASTLE WEST

MEETING TO BE HELD ON WEDNESDAY the *04th of November 2026*

Question submitted by Councillor *(Councillor L. Galvin)*

I will ask at the next Meeting that the road's department put a controlled pedestrian crossing in front of the Devon Inn Hotel, Templeglantine to facilitate the bus stop.

REPLY: There is currently a feasibility report sent to TII for the footpath scheme in Templeglantine. Central Services will raise the request with TII in our next Safety Scheme meeting. We will investigate if pedestrian movements merit the development of a controlled pedestrian crossing at this location. There is currently an uncontrolled crossing at this location, a pedestrian count will indicate if a controlled crossing is warranted. The appropriate crossing type will be in line with pedestrian crossing guidelines.

Christopher Liddy
Executive Engineer
Limerick City & County Council - Roads - Central Services

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MUNICIPAL DISTRICT OF NEWCASTLE WEST
MEETING TO BE HELD ON WEDNESDAY 4th NOVEMBER 2026

Question Councillor L. Galvin

I will ask at the next meeting that the road that is servicing the houses at Mountmahon, Abbeyfeale, next to Kostal be included in the 2027 Schedule of Municipal District Works.

Reply:

This road can be considered for the schedule of municipal district works subject to it being declared a public road. LCCC will with immediate effect progress the declaration process.

Ben Noonan
Senior Executive Engineer
Newcastle West Municipal District

28th October 2026

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Question Councillor L. Galvin

I will ask at the next meeting for a detailed update on street cleaning for Abbeyfeale, in particular, have we a fulltime street cleaner and what are their official duties, days and hours the street sweeper is on duty, and please provide an update on the drain survey for the town.

Reply:

The following are responses to the above:

- **Street Cleaning**
  - Yes, we have a full-time street cleaner in Abbeyfeale town.
  - Street cleaner in place 7 days a week.
  - Hours are 8:00am – 5:00pm Monday to Friday and 5:00am – 8:00am Saturday and Sunday.
  - Duties include sweeping and gathering loose material i.e. litter, leaves etc. and reporting issues regarding other street cleaning matters to the senior supervisor.

- **Drains/Gullies**
  - All gullies in the town have been cleaned out and jetted by the roads crew.
  - A storm sewer survey is due to commence before year end 2026.

Ben Noonan
Senior Executive Engineer
Newcastle West Municipal District

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MEETING OF THE MUNICIPAL DISTRICT OF NEWCASTLE WEST to be held on Wednesday, 4th November 2026.

Question submitted by Councillor J. Scanlan

I will ask at the next meeting as to the number of properties at DC Manor that required remedial works, what the actual outlay amounted to, who carried out the works and by whom the costs are being met.

REPLY:

To date there are four Council-owned properties at Woodfield Manor in Newcastle West that required repair/upgrade works due to water ingress.

The Council's Housing Maintenance Unit engaged a local roofing contractor to carry out these works. The cost per unit is averaging €3,000 ex. VAT. At present the costs are being covered by Limerick City and County Council. The Council is engaging with the contractor to recoup these costs.

Brendan Kidney
Senior Engineer
Housing Construction and Maintenance
28th October 2026

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Question Councillor J. Scanlan

I will ask at the next meeting when reinstatement works are expected to complete the bye-way at The Glebe Monagea.

Reply:
LCCC made an application in September 2026 to the Department of Rural and Community Development and the Gaeltacht under Measure 1 of the Outdoor Recreation Infrastructure Scheme for this location.

The outcome of this application will be made known by the Department in Q1 2027.

Ben Noonan
Senior Executive Engineer
Newcastle West Municipal District

28th October 2026

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Meeting of Newcastle West Municipal District to be held on Wednesday 4th November 2026

Question submitted by Councillor J. Scanlan

I am requesting the level of service provided by our Planning Department be enhanced

REPLY:

The Planning Department seeks to make continual improvements to service within financial and staff resources available. Having regard to the significant additional demands and legal obligations in the discharge of all planning services, such enhancement is further dependent on the outcomes of the forthcoming Workforce Plan and future Budget allocations.

Signed:

N O'Connell

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Nuala O'Connell,
Senior Planner,
Development Management.