



CARLOW COUNTY COUNCIL

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## **Kilkenny County Council & Carlow County Council**

### **Joint Graiguenamanagh/Tinnahinch Local Area Plan 2021**

## **Invitation to attend Public Consultation Event for the Draft Joint Graiguenamanagh/Tinnahinch Local Area Plan 2021 at 7pm on Monday 11<sup>th</sup> January 2021**

Further to our statutory notice for the publication of the draft Graiguenamanagh/Tinnahinch Local Area Plan (LAP), Kilkenny County Council and Carlow County Council would like to invite you to an online public participation event. Both Councils wish to ensure that the draft development plan will be informed by public engagement, notwithstanding the social distancing requirements of Covid-19. As a result, new ways of communicating fully with the public and interest parties are required at this draft plan stage. To this end a FREE online webinar is scheduled for **7pm on Monday 11<sup>th</sup> of January 2021**.

Interested parties are required to register for the event on **Eventbrite.ie**, search **“Draft Graiguenamanagh/Tinnahinch Local Area Plan”**, register for the event and a link to the webinar will be sent to you by return.

**There will be two key components to this webinar:**

- **A short presentation of the Draft Plan**
- **An opportunity to clarify matters raised in the Draft Plan.**

Interested parties are reminded that the Draft Joint LAP, the Strategic Environmental Assessment Report, the Appropriate Assessment Report and the Strategic Flood Risk Assessment, may be inspected or purchased until Monday 25th January 2021 (inclusive) at the following location until the 25<sup>th</sup> of January 2021:

- **<http://consult.kilkenny.ie>**
- **<https://consult.carlow.ie/>**
- **Planning Office, Kilkenny County Council, County Hall, John Street, Kilkenny (by appointment only during normal opening hours as per Covid-19 Guidelines)**
- **Planning Office, Carlow County Council, County Buildings, Athy Road, Carlow (by appointment only during normal opening hours as per Covid-19 Guidelines)**

**Submissions or observations to the draft plan may be made before 5pm on Monday 25th of January 2021 in the following ways:**

- online at <http://consult.kilkenny.ie/> or
- online at <https://consult.carlow.ie/> or
- by e-mail to [ourplan@kilkennycoco.ie](mailto:ourplan@kilkennycoco.ie) or
- by e-mail to [jointLAP@carlowcoco.ie](mailto:jointLAP@carlowcoco.ie) or

In writing to:

- The Senior Planner, Planning Department, Kilkenny County Council, County Hall, John Street, Kilkenny or
- The Senior Planner, Planning Department, Carlow County Council, County Buildings, Athy Road, Carlow.

We look forward to meeting you online.

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