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The Implementation of the Greystones/Delgany Plan will be the remit of Wicklow County Council. Within Wicklow County Council implementing the policies and objectives of the Local Area Plan will require actions by several departments.

Key to ensuring successful implementation will be regular review and discussion amongst the individuals and departments responsible for overseeing the various elements of the plan.

10.1 DEVELOPMENT CONTRIBUTIONS

Having regard to the capital expenditure required for the provision of physical and social infrastructure such as: wastewater treatment, water supply, roads, footpaths, traffic management, open spaces, car-parking, environmental amelioration, the Council will require appropriate contributions from benefiting applicants by virtue of its powers at Section 48(1) of the Planning and Development Act 2000 (amended 2002).

10.2 MONITORING DATA

To provide an evidence based methodology for monitoring the impacts of the Local Area Plan a series of environmental indicators have been identified. The environmental indicators are not only of value in the environmental impacts of the Local Area Plan but also in assessing the success or failure in implementing the policies and objectives of the LAP.

The environmental indicators identified are as follows:

- Three Trout's Stream: water quality, visual inspection for impasses, dumping and flooding on a quarterly basis.
- Capacity within local schools.
- South Beach Blue Flag status.
- Housing: quarterly house count survey to include existing housing stock, housing completions, commencement notices, permissions granted.
- Wastewater treatment capacity.

Monitoring measures and suggested Environmental Indicators are outlined in Table 2.4 of the SEA Statement appended to this document.

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10.3 LAP Review Group

The proposed structure for review of the plan is that of a review group. The review group will comprise representatives from each of the following departments:

- Community and Enterprise
- Environment
- Housing
- Planning
- Roads & the Area Engineer for Greystones/ Delgany
- Special Projects Office

The review group will be chaired by the Director of Services for Planning and Economic Development or an appointee.

The purpose of the review group will be;

- To appraise the success or failure in implementing the polices and objectives of the LAP.
- To allow for information exchange between the constituent departments.
- Provide an internal forum for strategic discussion between the constituent departments.
- Collation of environmental indicators and monitoring data.

The review group will meet on an annual or bi-annual basis during the lifetime of the Local Area Plan, up to and including the review stage.

Table 10.3aKey ActionsThe allocation of tasks amongst the constituentdepartments of Wicklow County Council is summarised inthe table below.

	Dept Responsible					
Actions	Community & Enterprise	Environment	Housing	Planning	Roads	Special projects
Housing capacity study			Х	Х		
Social and affordable housing			Х			
Educational facilities and school capacity	Х			Х		
Sports centre	Х					
Key sites	Х			Х		Х
Environmental improvements in town and village centres				Х	Х	
Road objectives				Х	Х	
Wastewater capacity		Х				
Water supply		Х				
Greenroute projects				Х	Х	
Amelioration and monitoring of the Three Trouts Stream		Х				
South Beach – Blue Flag		Х				
Status of protected trees				Х		
Heritage Plan actions				Х		

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10.3b Implementation checklist A checklist has been devised as a tool for use by the review group in monitoring the implementation of the plan.

Policies, Objectives and Actions	Status	Comments	Actions
Housing			
Policy implementation			
Objectives			
Monitoring data: housing capacity study			
Community & recreation			
Policy implementation			
Objectives			
Monitoring data: school capacity			
Tourism, Enterprise & Employment			
Policy implementation			
Objectives			
Monitoring data: housing capacity study			
Transportation & infrastructure			
Policy implementation			
Objectives			
Monitoring data: wastewater capacity water wupply			
Heritage & landscape			
Policy implementation			
Objectives			
Monitoring data: Three Trout's South Beach — Blue Flag			

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