

WICKLOW COUNTY COUNCIL

PUBLIC NOTICE OF PROPOSED MATERIAL AMENDMENTS TO THE DRAFT WICKLOW COUNTY DEVELOPMENT PLAN 2016-2022

In accordance with Section 12 [7] of the Planning & Development Act 2000 (as amended), notice is hereby given of the preparation of **Proposed Amendments** to the Wicklow Draft County Development Plan 2016-2022, which would constitute material alterations to the draft plan.

The Proposed Amendments are accompanied by an Addendum to the Environmental Report which provides information on the likely significant effects on the environment of implementing the proposed amendments, prepared in accordance with the Planning and Development (Strategic Environmental Assessment) Regulations 2004 (as amended).

The Proposed Amendments are also accompanied by an Addendum to the Natura Impact Report which provides an evaluation of the impacts, if any, of the proposed amendments on any Natura 2000 site either alone or in combination with other projects or plans, with respect to the site's structure and function and its conservation objectives, prepared in accordance with Article 6 of the Habitats Directive (92/43/EEC).

A copy of the Proposed Amendments and the Addendum Reports will be on display at the following locations **from 25 July 2016 to 26 August 2016 inclusive:**

- Planning Department, Wicklow County Council, County Buildings, Station Road, Wicklow Town, during normal office hours
- Municipal District offices, during normal office hours, as follows:
 - Greystones Municipal District, Mill Road, Greystones,
 - Arklow Municipal District, Castle Park, Arklow
 - Bray Municipal District, Civic Offices, Main Street, Bray
 - Baltinglass Municipal District, Blessington Business Park, Blessington
- All branches of Wicklow libraries, during their normal opening hours

A copy may be also be viewed and downloaded from the Council's website www.wicklow.ie

Written submissions or observations made **on or before 5.00pm on 26 August 2016** specifically in relation to the **Proposed Amendments** and/or the Addendum Reports will be taken into consideration before the making of any amendment.

IN ACCORDANCE WITH SECTION 12 [7] OF THE PLANNING & DEVELOPMENT ACT ONLY SUBMISSIONS IN RELATION TO THE PROPOSED AMENDMENTS AND/OR THE ADDENDUM REPORTS CAN BE TAKEN INTO CONSIDERATION.

SUBMISSIONS NOT ADHERING TO THESE CRITERIA WILL BE CONSIDERED INVALID.

LATE SUBMISSIONS WILL NOT BE ACCEPTED.

Submissions may be made in one of the following ways:

- 1. Write to:** Administrative Officer, Planning Department, Wicklow County Council, Station Road, Wicklow.
- 2. Email to:** planreview@wicklowcoco.ie

NOTE: All submissions should include your name and a contact address, proposed amendment number and, where relevant, details of any organisation, community group or company etc., which you represent. Please make your submission by **one** medium only, i.e. hard copy or e-mail.

The planning process is an open and public one. In that context, all submissions/observations are a matter of public record, and may also be placed on the County Council's website.