



Draft Wicklow Town – Rathnew LAP Submission - Report

Who are you:	Private Individual
Name:	Carolyn Flynn
Reference:	DWTRLAP-163207
Submission Made	November 19, 2024 4:41 PM

Topic

Rathnew Village Centre Strategy

Submission

I would ask that Planners and the Wicklow Planning department review the lack of amenities in and around Rathnew village before proposing more residential building. The infrastructure in and around the village cannot support the additional traffic any more than the N11 can. Not only is there a shortage of school places, parks, youth amenities but jobs, meaning that most residents are forced to travel out of the county to Dublin for work, the continued increase in traffic volumes mean that workers are leaving home before 6am and in many cases returning after 6pm each day. Building more and more housing in Rathnew and surrounding areas is only adding to the problem and making both traffic volumes and lack of amenities more critical.

File