



# Draft Blessington Local Area Plan Submission - Report

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## Topic

Housing Development

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The recent housing developments near the town are great to see.

Whatever the state organisations can do to encourage more housing developments would be of benefit to all, especially our young people.

## Topic

Tourism Development / Greenway Supporting Infrastructure Map

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The eGreenway would be an absolutely huge beneficial development for the town.

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Community Development (incl. sports facilities & schools, etc.)

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The town does seem to be short of dedicated sports facilities.

The GAA facilities are well supported.

The town has at least 2 active sports clubs without a base- the Lakeshore Striders running club and Reservoir Cogs cycling club.

Similar size towns around the country have for example, 400m athletics circuits, e.g., Ballinrobe, Co. Mayo, Castleisland, Co. Kerry.

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Local Transport Assessment / Transport Strategy Map

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Any new road development should try to incorporate bike friendly features.

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