



WICKLOW COUNTY DEVELOPMENT PLAN 2022-2028 VARIATION NO. 5

Notice is hereby given that Variation No. 5 to the Wicklow County Development Plan 2022-2028 was made by Wicklow County Council on **30 March 2026**, pursuant to Section 13 of the Planning and Development Act 2000 (as amended).

VARIATION MADE

To revise the Wicklow Core Strategy and associated housing targets, and a number of related housing objectives set out in the Wicklow County Development Plan 2022-2028 Written Statement.

REASON FOR VARIATION MADE:

To take account of 'NPF Implementation: Housing Growth Requirements' - Guidelines for Planning Authorities, issued under Section 28 of the Planning & Development Act 2000 (as amended) (July 2025).

This variation is accompanied by

- Strategic Environmental Assessment screening report and associated determination (pursuant to the European Strategic Environmental Assessment Directive (2001/42/EC and the Planning and Development (Strategic Environmental Assessment) Regulations 2004 (as amended)) and
- Appropriate Assessment screening report and associated determination pursuant to Article 6[3] of the European Habitats Directive (92/43/EEC) and the Planning and Development Act 2000 (as amended).

In accordance with Section 13 (11) of the Planning and Development Act 2000 (as amended), this variation shall have effect from **30 March 2026**.

A copy of the made variation and associated documents, and the updated County Development Plan, will be available for viewing and downloading on the Council website www.wicklow.ie (scan the QR code here) and for inspection, at Wicklow County Council, County Buildings during normal opening hours.

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