

Section 12 of the Planning and Development Act, 2000 (as amended)

Planning and Development Regulations 2001 (as amended)

Notice of Proposed Material Alterations to the Draft Wexford County Development Plan 2022– 2028

Notice is hereby given that the Members of Wexford County Council, having considered the Draft Wexford County Development Plan 2022 – 2028 and the Chief Executive’s Report on the submissions and observations received in respect of the Draft Plan, have resolved in accordance with Section 12 (6) and (7) of the Planning and Development Act 2000 (as amended), that the Draft Development Plan be amended. The proposed amendments constitute Material Alterations to the Draft Plan.

The likely significant effects on the environment of implementing the Proposed Material Alterations have been assessed. It was determined that certain Proposed Material Alterations required Strategic Environmental Assessment (SEA). It was also determined that certain Proposed Material Alterations required Appropriate Assessment (AA).

In accordance with Section 12 (7) of the Planning and Development Act, 2000 (as amended), the Determinations, a copy of the Proposed Material Alterations to the Draft Plan, the SEA Environmental Report (which includes information on the likely significant effects on the environment of implementing the Proposed Material Alterations) and the AA Natura Impact Report will be available for public inspection from **Thursday, 7th April 2022 to Friday, 6th May 2022** inclusive at the following locations:

1. On the Wexford County Council Online Consultation Portal

<https://consult.wexfordcoco.ie/>

2. The locations listed below during normal opening hours. Please contact the relevant office/public library for details of opening hours as they are subject to change.

Please also note public display arrangements and opening times will be kept under review in light of emerging Government guidance relating to the management of Covid 19 and may be subject to change if necessitated by circumstances relating to Covid-19.

Location	Opening Times	Contact
<p>Planning Department, Block B, Wexford County Council, County Hall, Carricklawn, Wexford Town, Y35 WY93.</p>	<p>Monday to Friday (except Public Holidays) 9.00am to 1.00pm and 2.00pm to 4.00pm (Closed for lunch 1pm to 2pm).</p>	<p>Phone: 053 9196101 Email: planning@wexfordcoco.ie</p>
<p>Wexford Town Public Library, Mallin St., Wexford, Y35 AY20.</p>	<p>Monday, Wednesday, Friday and Saturday 10.30am – 5.30pm.</p> <p>Tuesday and Thursday 10.30am to 9pm.</p> <p>Note: The library is closed on Saturdays and Mondays of Bank Holiday weekends.</p>	<p>Phone: 053 9196760 Email: wexfordlib@wexfordcoco.ie</p>
<p>Gorey Town Public Library, Gorey Civic Square, The Avenue, Gorey, Co. Wexford Y25 WK37.</p>	<p>Monday and Saturday 10.30am to 5.30pm (closed for lunch from 1pm to 2pm).</p> <p>Wednesday and Friday 10.30am to 5.30pm</p> <p>Tuesday and Thursday 10.30am to 9.00pm</p> <p>Note: The library is closed on Saturdays and Mondays of Bank Holiday weekends.</p>	<p>Phone: 053 9483820 Email: goreylib@wexfordcoco.ie</p>
<p>Enniscorthy Town Public Library, Lymington Rd., Enniscorthy, Co Wexford. Y21 AD92.</p>	<p>Monday and Saturday 10.30am to 5.30pm (Closed for lunch 1pm to 2pm).</p> <p>Tuesday, Wednesday, and Friday 10.30am to 5.30pm.</p> <p>Thursdays 10.30am to 8.30pm.</p> <p>Note: The library is closed on Saturdays and Mondays of Bank Holiday weekends.</p>	<p>Phone: 053 9236055 Email: enniscorthylib@wexfordcoco.ie</p>

<p>New Ross Town Public Library, Barrack Lane, New Ross, Co. Wexford. Y34 NW56.</p>	<p>Monday and Saturday 10.30am to 5.30pm (Closed for lunch 1pm to 2pm)</p> <p>Tuesday 10.30am to 8.30pm.</p> <p>Wednesday, Thursday, and Friday 10.30am to 5.30pm.</p> <p>Note: The library is closed on Saturdays and Mondays of Bank Holiday weekends.</p>	<p>Phone: 051 421877 Email: newrosslib@wexfordcoco.ie</p>
<p>Bunclody Town Public Library, Millwood, Carrigduff, Bunclody, Co. Wexford. Y21 E970.</p>	<p>Monday, Friday and Saturday 10.30am to 5.30pm (Closed for lunch 1pm to 2pm).</p> <p>Tuesday and Wednesday 10.30am to 5.30pm.</p> <p>Thursday 10.30am to 9pm.</p> <p>Note: The library is closed on Saturdays and Mondays of Bank Holiday weekends.</p>	<p>Phone: 053 9375466 Email: bunclodylib@wexfordcoco.ie</p>

Have your say

Written submissions or observations regarding the Proposed Material Alterations to the Draft County Development Plan, the Strategic Environment Assessment (which includes information on the likely significant effects on the environment of implementing the Proposed Material Alterations) and the Appropriate Assessment only are invited from members of the public and other interested parties during the period from **Thursday, 7th April 2022 to 4.00pm on Friday, 6th May 2022.**

How to make a Written Submission or Observation

Written submissions and observations can be made:

- **Online** via the Wexford County Council Online Consultation Portal <https://consult.wexfordcoco.ie/>
- **By e-mail** to countydevelopmentplan@wexfordcoco.ie
- **In hard copy** to the following address:

Forward Planning, Planning Department, Block B, Wexford County Council, County Hall, Carricklawn, Wexford, Y35 WY93.

These written submissions and observations should be marked 'Material Alterations to the Draft Wexford County Development Plan 2022 – 2028.

NOTE:

- Please make your written submission or observation in one medium only, that is, either online, by email or in hard copy.
- Please quote the relevant Proposed Material Alteration Reference Number(s) in your written submission or observation.
- Please include a map if you refer to particular location or features.
- Only written submissions or observations with respect to the Proposed Material Alterations, the Strategic Environmental Assessment (which includes information on the likely significant effects on the environment of implementing the Proposed Material Alterations) or Appropriate Assessment received during the period Thursday, 7th April 2022 to **4.00pm on Friday, 6th May 2022** will be taken into consideration before the making of the Wexford County Development Plan 2022-2028. **Late submissions or observations will not be accepted.**
- When making a written submission or observation, please provide your name, address, and contact details. If you are making a written submission/observation on behalf of an organisation/body, please provide the name, address, and contact details of that organisation/body.

GDPR/Personal Data

The Planning and Development Act, 2000 (as amended) requires a Planning Authority to invite written submissions and observations during the preparation of statutory development plans.

The Act further requires the Planning Authority to (a) publish these submissions and observations on its website, (b) list the names of person/bodies who made submissions or observations in the Chief Executive's Report to the Members of Wexford County Council and (c) to publish that report on its website. Accordingly, your submission or observation along with your name will be published on the Council's website, and your name will be published in both the hard copy and online version of the Chief Executive's report.

The Planning Act also requires the Planning Authority to send certain written submissions and observations to the Minister. Your written submission/observation, together with your name and address, may therefore be sent to the Minister where required.

Aside from this, the personal information (data) collected during the consultation process (which may include the collection of sensitive personal data) is collected for the purpose of receiving and dealing with submissions and observations and any data collected is subject to Wexford County Council's privacy statements.

Copies of the Draft Plan and the Proposed Material Alterations documents are available for purchase from the Planning Department Wexford County Council, County Hall, Carricklawn, Wexford Town, Y35 WY93. Please contact the Planning Customer Service Unit at 053 9196101 for further details and for any other queries you may have in relation to this stage of the plan preparation process.