

Draft Louth County Development Plan 2021-2027

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I am totally against the proposed **Draft Louth County Development Plan 2021-2027**.

I am from county Meath and have just recently began the process of looking for a property for myself. I was absolutely outraged to find out that Meath County Council recently passed a plan which has stopped people from buying land to build their own home. How this wasn't a topic of conversation and seemed to slip by, unprotected by the people of Meath is deplorable. I would hate for the people of Louth to be as powerless over the land they grew up on as Meath people are. To think our ancestors fought for freedom and gave their lives for the land we live on so that such control and power would be forced upon us by our own people is a depressing thought.

I understand a need to have regulations in place for what can be built, and where; but this developmental plan is not the answer.

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