

**Draft Louth County Development Plan 2020 / 2027**

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To whom.

This new extremely restrictive plan is so not family friendly or orientated. As these extremely difficult times has shown us one thing that family closeness is crucial to help get through adversity. Grandparents mind children, and children look after grandparents which we know is vital to the functioning of society with the cost of child care, and caring for the elderly sky rockets. If we are all living far apart who is going to fulfill these vital roles in society ? People who come from rural areas whether they are land owners or not want to live and rear there families in rural areas not urban centre and I would presume people from urban areas want to stay in the urban area. My children want to be able to live in the rural area they grew up in where their family members are berries. These new measures are wrong and extremely un fair to our people who in the past lost there lives for this land we call home.

Regards

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