

## Louth County Development Plan 2021/2027

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To whom it may concern to change planning laws...

I wish to let you know that I fully disagree with all the proposals on the new planning for the Cooley Peninsula area from me Martin Murphy and my family who are brought up in this area, educated, and work in the Cooley Peninsula area all my life and our ancestors who have been in this area for hundreds of years, its a disgrace for anyone to endorse these proposals as they stand, where the hell is the young people going to live who have grown up and got educated in there homeland area of Cooley Peninsula and wish to raise a family of their own to live and work in the Cooley Peninsula area, the planning laws as they stand are very hard to get granted, I personally struggled myself and my siblings to get planning permission granted in the area over 10 years ago and now with a massive housing stock crisis changing any planning laws will only make things a lot worse.

This law will only drive the price up of every shack of a doer upper in the area as affordability of any housing will sky rocket, placing families under financial pressure which ultimately affecting their mental health wellbeing.

Who in their right mind would come up with this bulshit and who gives them the right to say who can and cannot live in their own homeland area, amazing Joe Biden's ancestors were driven out of the Cooley Peninsula and now you are going to drive out the future generations if you personally agree to the planning changes just like they did the past.

If climate change is to give rise to rising tides then high ground will be important for home building as the lower sand and marsh lands of the peninsula will be swamped out by sea water, also Dundalk is very low lying and with highly densely populated areas we can see how the pandemic is raging through those communities abroad.

This truly is a disgrace if these draconian planning laws are allowed to proceed and shame on any of the local elected representatives that agree to let it become law and the council members that want it, it's especially underhanded in the timing of all this in the middle of a pandemic lockdown followed by the festive season then followed by another lockdown, this is well noted and highlighted on social media but not on tv or print media.

Just do the right thing and scrap this crap law forever especially for the next generation. Local needs for local people.

Regards

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