

Draft Louth County Development Plan 2021 - 2027

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To: LouthCDP

To whom it concerns

I wish to submit the strongest possible objection/submission against the proposed new Louth County Development plan 2021-2027. This plan is completely detrimental to the communities of North County Louth. We are a nation built around communities, and should this plan be adopted in its current format it will have an enormous negative effect on local community groups, such as St Patricks GFC, Cooley Kickhams, Glenmore AC, Cuchullain Gaels, and Bellurgan United. These are all nonprofit, voluntary communist groups that provide sport and leisure activities to thousands of members. This plan has the potential of driving local residents from their local areas as they will not be allowed to obtain planning permission on local or family-owned land.

I fully agree that we need to protect the beautiful cooley mountains and its environs, this current proposal is far too restrictive, there needs to be public consultation on this, which cant happen during Covid. I suggest that the current plan stay live for 2 years and then reviewed.

Kindest Regards

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