

**DO: GACH BALL DE CHEANTAR CATHRACH PHORT LÁIRGE**  
**TO: EACH MEMBER OF THE METROPOLITAN DISTRICT OF WATERFORD**  
**Roads Progress Report to end of August 2022**

**1. Road Works Programme**

The Road Works Programme (RWP) for 2022 was approved in March and was tendered on the 6<sup>th</sup> of May. Two tenders were received and Roadstone were awarded this Contract on the 14<sup>th</sup> of June 2022. Works by Roadstone in the City commenced in July but have been interrupted due to staff issues and other work commitments. They are due to return to site in September to complete these works. Works by the Council Yard crews commenced in June and progress has been very good.

**2. Community Involvement schemes**

One CIS project has been included for 2022 in the Metro District in Newtown Tramore.

**3. Low Cost Safety Schemes**

There are two schemes outlined in the RWP 2022 for Low-Cost Safety.

- a) Corbally Beg Junction improvements at L-4068/L-4069 – work nearing completion.
- b) Crash Barrier Repairs and signage on Glen Road Tramore R685 – work to be carried out in October.

**4. Coastal Repair works**

The Department of Agriculture Food and Marine approved further funding for coastal repair works at Tramore Pier and in addition funding for works to carry out repairs at Cheekpoint Pier and Passage East were included. Approval was granted for all three locations for significant improvement works and tendering and design work has commenced. This funding is to be spent over a two Year period with works to be completed by October 2023.

**5. Road Closures**

There were road closures in the City in August for the Spraoi festival. Also, weekend closures on O'Connell Street in Waterford continue to facilitate outdoor dining and drinking in the Culture Quarter. Convent Hill in Tramore closed as part of safe routes to school in August.

**6. Other Works**

**Metro West Area**

- Pothole repairs on the L80863 Roselawn and various locations around Tramore town, the R680 Cork Road at Holy Cross, the L4162 Lower Branch Road, the L41302 Gleann Doire, the L8080 Elm Park, the L67512 Pickardstown and the L8081 Summerhill.
- The Jet Patcher was working on repairs on the Prom Car Parking Area, the L8079 Lodges Lane, the L8089 Newtown, the L4054 Westtown, the L67512 Pickardstown, the L8089 Westtown/Newtown, the L4055 Garrus, the L80301 Whitefield and the L8036 Sporthouse.
- Illegal dumping cleared from the L4051 Knockeen Road and the L4058 Knockanduff Road.
- Signs and poles replaced at the following locations: the L8085 Church Road, the L8083 Pond Road, the L8076 Strand Road, the L4061 at Ballinamona/Drumcannon, the L8035 Kilbride, the L4116 Main Street, the L4130 Old Waterford Road, the R682 Orchardstown Road, the L4063 Ballykinsella and the L4061 Old Tramore Road.

- Other works included treatment of slipways in Garrus, Ladies Slip, Mens Slip and Boat slip.
- Footpath works at Holy Cross School, the L80863 Roselawn, the L8082 Sweetbriar Close and the L67505 Glenview.
- There were three out of hours callouts during the month of July 2022 and four in August 2022 for road traffic accidents, dirt, glass and branches on the road.

#### **Metro East Area**

- Pothole repairs carried out on the L96841 Ballygunnertemple, the L4076 Ballyglan, the L4084 Green Road, the L8053 Kilcaragh, the L4401 Cheekpoint, the L4082 Cheekpoint, the L4401 High Street, the L4403 Strand Road, the L8040 Brownstown, the L8065 Callaghane, the L8064 Ballygunnermore, the L4076 Woodstown, the L4068 Coxtown and the L4202 Convent Hill. The L8054 Ballyloughbeg, the L40822 Woodlands, the L40823 Faithlegg, the L4073 Graigue, the L8039 Castletown, the R684 Dunmore Road and the L8065 Callaghane.
- Jet patcher working on the L4070 Corbally Junction (LCS Scheme), the L4070 Corbally. The R685 Clohernagh and the L4083 Kilcullen Lower.
- Bin collections currently each day during the week and one day at weekends around the towns and beaches in the Area.
- Illegal dumping cleared from Saleens Beach and at Keiloge
- Drainage works on the R685 Clohernagh, the L40821 Woodlands, the L4076 Kilmacomb, the L4401 in Cheekpoint, the L4083 Kilcullen Lower, the L4085 Knockroe and the L4403 Cheekpoint. The L4069 Corbally Junction, the L4070 Corbally, the L4068 Rathmoylan, the L4076 Ballyglan, the L8054 Ballyloughbeg, the L8050 Wrens Nest, the L4073 Graigue, the L8040 Brownstown and the L80521 Fornaght.
- Replacing signs at L4074 Leperstown, the L42091 Wellington Terrace, the L8046 Rathmoylan Cove, the L4083 Kilcullen Lower, the R683 Knocknagappul, the L4076 Crooke, the L4067 Ballygunnercastle, R685 Lisselan, the L8053 Kilcaragh and the L96841 Ballygunnermore. Also new signs erected at Corbally junction on the Low Cost Safety Scheme.
- Ongoing maintenance of sluice valve on Woodstown beach. New valves to be fitted in September.
- There were three out of hours callout during July 2022 and two in August 2022 in Metro East Area. Also, overtime putting cones out for cruise ships in Dunmore East.

#### **Metro City Area:**

- There was drainage works and drainage gullies cleared and repaired at the following locations in July; Cherrymount, the RSC Roundabout, the Cork Road, Woodlawn Grove, Oak Terrace, John Roberts Square, Stephen Street, South Parade, Park Road, Mount Sion Avenue, Lismore Park, Gracedieu, Morley Terrace, Ferrybank, Yellow Road and Riverview.
- Potholes repaired at Hillview, Powerscourt, Church Road Lisduggan, Avondale, St. Herblain Park, Ursuline Court, Dunmore Road, Knockhouse, Hillview, Sycamores and Dunmore Road.
- Jet Patcher used on the Cork Road, Hillview, Vincent White Road, Green Road, Manor Lawn, Skibbereen Lawn, Millers Marsh Car Park, Ursuline Court, the Dunmore Road, Knockhouse, Hillview and the Sycamores.
- Footpath repairs carried out in Hillview, on the Dunmore Road at the Maxol Station, Ballinakill, Glencara Ballybeg, Ballybeg Square, Manor Lawn, Bernard Place and Marymount in Ferrybank.
- Signs cleaned on the following locations: Dunmore Road, Tramore Road, Grange Manor, Ballybricken, Tycor area, Summerhill, Patrick Street, Barrack Street, Kilcohan, Avondale, Ursuline area, Penrose Lane, Francis Street, Barker Street, Paddy Brownes Road, Cleaboy Road, Thomas Hill and Jail Street.
- Other works on bollards on The Quays, fencing in Abbey House Ferrybank and replacing cover in Carrickpherish.
- There were 7 out of hours emergency callouts in July and 4 in August for issues with faulty traffic lights, road traffic accidents, oil spills and other road related incidents.