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Comhairle Catharach & Contae Phortlairge Waterford City & County Council

Date: June 2020

DO: GACH BALL DE CHEANTAR CATHRACH PHORT LÁIRGE
TO: EACH MEMBER OF THE METROPOLITAN DISTRICT OF WATERFORD

Housing Report

Housing Applications

Applications received for local authority housing in **Metropolitan** area.

Housing applications	March, April, May 2019	March, April, May 2020	Total Number of Applications Year To
			Date 2020
Applications received	190	193	376
Application assessed	212	186	369
(incl files carried			
forward from previous			
month(s)			
Applications validated	117	174	284
(incl files carried			
forward from previous			
month(s)			
Approved for social	171	125	235
housing supports			
following interview			
with applicant			

Housing Allocations

Metropolitan	Tenancies during	New Tenancies	Refusal Number	Cumulative
District	March, April, May	during March,	of New Tenancy	Number of New
	2019	April, May, 2020	offered	Tenancies 2020
	113	19	14	62
AHBS	3	0	3	19
Total	116	19	17	81

Housing Stock Voids

Area	Number of units completed March, April, May 2020	Newly vacant March, April, May 2020
Metropolitan	13	11



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Capital Projects

	Capital Projects Housing Capital Schemes - WCCC Projects				
Project Location	Units	Area	Current Position	Comment	
The Glen Waterford	17	Metropolitan	Planning Stage	Stage 2 approved – Brought to Council workshop.	
Summerland Square Waterford	12	Metropolitan	Appraisal/Design Stage	Tender Q3 2020	
Ardmore Park / Priory Lawn	5	Metropolitan	Construction	Construction in Progress	
Larchville	5	Metropolitan	Construction	Construction in Progress	
Tramore An Garran	50	Metropolitan	Tender Design	Tender Q3 2020	
Doyle Street	4	Metropolitan	Tender	Tender Award Process	
Slievekeale	58	Metropolitan	Construction	Construction in Progress	
Mount William, Williamstown Rd	65	Metropolitan	Turnkey	Stage 1 Approved	
Clarendon Court	24	Metropolitan	СРО	Negotiations with owners ongoing - potential Repair and Lease Scheme	
Lacken	55	Metropolitan	Construction	34 units completed, 21 in progress	
Ballygunner	65	Metropolitan	Tender Design	Part 8 approved. Tender Design	
Ballynaneashagh	20	Metropolitan	Planning	Part 8 – Q3, 2020	
Mount Esker, Ballytruckle	13	Metropolitan	Planning	Part 8 Approval	
Mount Suir, Carrickphierish	18	Metropolitan	Completed	Completed	
Barnes Lane, The Glen	2	Metropolitan	Completed	Completed	
Buy & Renew –	11	Metropolitan	Tender	Works Tender Q3, 2020	
Thomas Court			Preparation		
Buy & Renew – Manor Court	4	Metropolitan	Completed	Completed	
Buy & Renew – Barker Place	16	Metropolitan	On site	11 units completed, 5 units in progress	
	444 Total Units in Metropolitan WCCC Projects				

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Housing Capital Schemes - Approved Housing Body Projects				
Project Location	Units	Area	Current Position	Comment
Tramore, Ballycarnane Tramore Voluntary Housing	18	Metropolitan	Design Stage	Cost revisions being considered. Awaiting progress from AHB.
Powersfield, Hennessy's Road Focus Ireland	3	Metropolitan	Design Stage	Awaiting progress from AHB
The Paddock's Anvers/Acquired Brain Injury Ireland	9	Metropolitan	Construction	Construction in progress
Wadding Manor, Ferrybank (Respond)	10	Metropolitan	Design Stage	Construction in Progress
Kilbarry, 6 Cross Roads (Respond)	69	Metropolitan	Construction	Construction in progress. Completion Q3, 2020
Fairfield Park (Circle AHB)	40	Metropolitan	Construction	Completed
Total Units in Approved Housing Body Projects 149				

Housing Adaptation Grants Schemes

Grant Scheme	Number of	Value of
Amount	applications	applications
	approved	
Housing Adaptation for People with a Disability	4	51,110
Maximum €30,000		
Mobility Aids Scheme	9	50,075
Maximum €6,000		
Housing Aid for Older People	9	43,134
Maximum €8,000		
	22	144,319
Total for March, April, May		
	47	324,215
Cumulative Total for 2020		

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