

**DO: GACH BALL DE CHEANTAR BARDASACH DHÚN GARBHÁN/LEASA MHÓIR
TO: EACH MEMBER OF THE MUNICIPAL DISTRICT OF DUNGARVAN/LISMORE**

ROADS PROGRESS AUGUST REPORT 2023

1.	<p><u>Roads Programme</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Strengthening and Surface Dressing works near completion in Dungarvan North, Dungarvan South, Lismore East and Lismore West. Machinery Yard are completing remaining Surface Dressing in the District. • Jet Patcher in District as per programme.
2.	<p><u>OPW Funding</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Erosion Risk Management Study in Ardmore as per OPW requirements sent to OPW including funding applications for approval. • Funding approved by OPW for Detention Pond and contract works underway. • Tender for Seawall at Clonea – Procurement assessment underway and OPW application for funding being finalised for submission. • Tender for Coastal works Ardmore – Procurement underway.
3.	<p><u>Coastal Repair Works</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Applications approved by Department for Tranche 2 as follows. <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ➤ Dungarvan Harbour Sea wall 2 - €149,820 – Works underway. ➤ Helvick Pier 2 - €187,275 – Works near completion.
4.	<p><u>TII Funding/National Roads</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Funding applications will be submitted for 2023 following defect survey. <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ➤ Funding approval for N72 Hedge Cutting Military Rd to County Bounds €15,000 ➤ Funding approval N25 Hedge cutting Youghal Bridge to Dalligan €15,000 ➤ D/L N25/N72 Patch repairs on Network €80,000 – Arranging programme with contractor. ➤ N72 side cleaning, pipe maintenance, open inlets Dungarvan towards Tallow - €15,000 ➤ N25 side cleaning, pipe maintenance, open inlets Dungarvan towards Tallow - €20,000 • Hedge and grass cutting underway where visibility is an issue and in accordance with the Wildlife Act requirements. Remaining funding will be spent on cutting hedges and ditches where required on the national routes.
5.	<p><u>CIS and LIS</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • CIS schemes & LIS schemes 2023 pending funding. • LIS Glendog – Works completed.

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6.	<p><u>Low Cost Schemes</u></p> <p>Funding approval for the following schemes and design underway.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • R-675 Coast Road, Clonea Castle - €22,000 – Works to improve crossing between greenway and Castle side of Clonea Strand. Works to commence soon. • R-672 Colligan Mountain – €40,000 –Works include drainage works and improve visibility. Works underway. • L-6112 Whitecross, Ring - €16,000 – Works involved ditch removal and boundary set back to improve visibility. Scheme completed. • L-2020 Bog road - €15,000 – Design stage underway. • R-674 An Leith, Ring - €25,000 – Liaising with stakeholders regarding visibility improvement. • L5068 Garryclone €25,000 - Works involved ditch removal and set back boundary to improve visibility. Scheme completed.
7.	<p><u>Section 38's</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Section 38's underway by Active Travel Team. Schemes will commence pending funding approval from NTA.
8.	<p><u>Climate Adaption Funding</u></p> <p>Funding approval for the following schemes and work is being planned.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • R673 Ballyquin Cross €40,000 – Drainage works - Scheme completed. • R673 Rodeen - €30,000 –Drainage works - Scheme completed. • L2012 Dromana -€35,000 – Drainage works - Scheme underway. Road closed for 2 weeks to undertake drainage works 4/9/23- 15/9/23. • L5034 Coolowen Little - €40,000 – Drainage works - On works programme • L6003 Glennaglogh - €40,000 –Drainage works - On works programme
9.	<p><u>Active Travel</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ➤ Progression of works will depend on funding approval from NTA.

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	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ➤ Ballinroad -. Budget €91,000 – Works completed in line with the funding available from NTA. Ditch removed and new boundary line fencing set back. Bollard’s installation completed. Hedging outstanding. ➤ Funding for landtake for Ardmore Active Travel €45,000 – communications ongoing ➤ Knockanore Active Travel scheme underway - €406,000 – Works on going. Final boundary ditch set back and fence installation works are imminent. Kerbing to be completed in mid-September. Machinery yard to progress surfacing and footpaths.
10.	<p><u>Other works</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Dungarvan North - Road repairs ongoing at Kilgobnet, Kilnafrehan, and Environs. Gully cleaning and inlet opening ongoing. Scanlon Yard car park drainage works completed. Drainage works near Chalets, Colligan underway to deal with surface water at this location. Works include pipes, concrete channels and kerbing. Lining underway at Strengthening & Surface dressing locations. Pothole repairs ongoing. • Lismore West - Drainage and Road repair works at Lismore Area, Ballyduff, Knockanore, and Tallow area. Gully cleaning and inlet opening ongoing. Lining underway at Strengthening & Surface dressing locations. Pothole repairs ongoing. Knockanore active travel scheme on going. • Lismore East - Drainage and Road repair works in Mellaray, Cappoquin Area, Villierstown Aglish, & Clashmore and environs. Gully cleaning and inlet opening ongoing. Footpath works in Cappoquin completed on N72. Lining underway at Strengthening & Surface dressing locations. Pothole repairs ongoing. • Dungarvan South - Drainage and road repair works underway in An Rinn, Helvick, Old Parish, and Ardmore area. Drainage works at R-673 Ballyquin completed. Gully cleaning and inlet opening ongoing. Lining underway at Strengthening & Surface Dressing Locations. Boundary wall reconstruction works along .R-674 Helvick wall repair works completed.
11.	<p><u>Bridges</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • L-51041 - Coolnasmear Bridge - €50,000 - Works completed. • L-5024 - Monalour Bridge - €100,000 • R-628 - West Street Bridge , Tallow - €25,000 • L-6087 - Kilmeedy West Bridge - €25,000 • R-911 - Devonshire Bridge, Dungarvan - €25,700 • L-1007 - Ballyduff Upper - €30,000

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12. **Item Raised/Other Works**

- Road lining ongoing throughout the District.
- Litter and Dog fouling should be disposed of correctly and we would encourage community groups and public to be involved throughout Towns and Villages.
- Spraying is limited in the District and only undertaken where necessary for major weed control. Any communities or groups wishing to assist with weed control would be greatly appreciated. This would reduce spraying.
- Hedgecutting season is now open until next February. Landowners should continue to check their boundary ditches with public roads and cut where necessary. This will improve visibility and safety on roads.
- N25 Kiely cross, works to improve visibility at Junction with R-673 completed.
- R675 Culvert replacement completed to improve surface water discharge on regional road.
- Footpath works for O' Connell Street – Procurement underway.
- Ballinacourty Greenway widening and extension to commenced soon.
- N72 Cappoquin to Kilcloher – Appointment of contractor underway
- N72 Lismore Streets – Procurement underway.