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Waterford City and County Council

**Special Speed Limit (Amendment)
Bye-Laws 2018**

**WATERFORD CITY AND COUNTY COUNCIL
SPECIAL SPEED LIMIT (AMENDMENT) BYE-LAWS 2018**

ARRANGEMENT OF BYE-LAWS

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Definitions and General

Waterford City and County Council in exercise of the powers conferred on them by Section 9 of the Road Traffic Act 2004 (No. 44 of 2004) in consultation with the Garda Commissioner hereby make the following amendment bye-laws specifying the speed limit ("special speed limit") which shall be the speed limit for mechanically propelled vehicles on the public roads set out in the maps to these bye-laws in respect of the administrative area of Waterford City and County Council.

1. These bye-laws may be cited as the Waterford City and County Council Special Speed Limit (Amendment) Bye-Laws 2018.
2. These bye-laws and the Waterford City and County Council Special Speed Limit Bye-Laws 2017 may be cited together as the Waterford City and County Council Special Speed Limit Bye-Laws 2017 to 2018.
3. These bye-laws will come into operation on 16th July, 2018.
4. In these bye-laws:

"the Act of 2004" means the Road Traffic Act, 2004 (No. 44 of 2004);

"administrative area" has the meaning assigned to it by the Act of 2001;

"Built –Up Area" has the meaning assigned to it by the Act of 2004;

"distance" means distance measured along the centre line of the road;

"public road" has the meaning assigned to it by the Act of 1993;

"local road" has the meaning assigned to it by the Roads Act 1993 (No. 14 of 1993);

"regional road" has the meaning assigned to it by the Roads Act, 1993 (No. 14 of 1993);

"Commissioner" means the Commissioner of the Garda Síochána.

5. Default speed limits apply, except where special speed limits or road works speed limits apply and subject to the provisions of Section 10 and Section 11 of the Road Traffic Act 2004, to the following public road categories.
 - i. Built up area speed limit is 50 kilometres per hour for all mechanically propelled vehicles.
 - ii. Regional and local roads speed limit is 80 kilometres per hour for all mechanically propelled vehicles.
 - iii. National roads speed limit is 100 kilometres per hour for all mechanically propelled vehicles.

6. Special speed limits may be specified in bye-laws and applied as follows:

- i. 30 kilometres per hour, which shall only be applied in respect of a road or roads (other than a motorway) in accordance with guidelines issued by the Minister under Section 9(9) of the Road Traffic Act 2004.
- ii. 40 kilometres per hour, which shall only be applied in respect of a road or roads (other than a motorway) in accordance with guidelines issued by the Minister under Section 9(9) of the Road Traffic Act 2004.
- iii. 50 kilometres per hour, in respect of any road other than a road in a built-up area.
- iv. 60 kilometres per hour.
- v. 80 kilometres per hour, in respect of a motorway, a national road or a road in a built-up area.
- vi. 100 kilometres per hour, in respect of a motorway, a non urban regional or local road or a road in a built-up area.
- vii. 120 kilometres per hour, in respect of a dual carriageway that forms part of a national road that is not a motorway in accordance with guidelines issued by the Minister under Section 9(9) of the Roads Traffic Act 2004.

7. The speed limit does not apply to a driver of a fire brigade vehicle, an ambulance or the use by a member of the Garda Síochána of a vehicle in the performance of the duties of that member or a person driving or using a vehicle under the direction of a member of the Garda Síochána, where such use does not endanger the safety of road users.

Citation

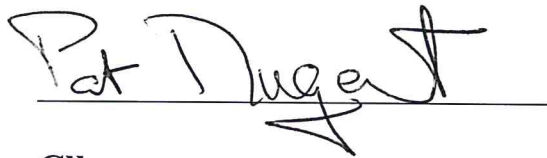
8. These bye-laws may be cited as Waterford City and County Council Special Speed Limit (Amendment) Bye-Laws 2018 and may be cited together with These bye-laws and the Waterford City and County Council Special Speed Limit Bye-Laws 2017 may be cited together as the Waterford City and County Council Special Speed Limit Bye-Laws 2017 to 2018.

Schedule 1

Schedule 1 to these bye-laws contains the "Contents - Map Reference" table and sets out the number and title of each map contained in these bye-laws.

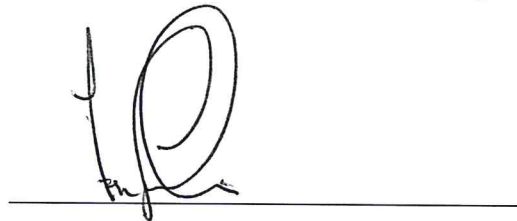
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Pat Dugan

Cllr
Mayor of the City and County of Waterford



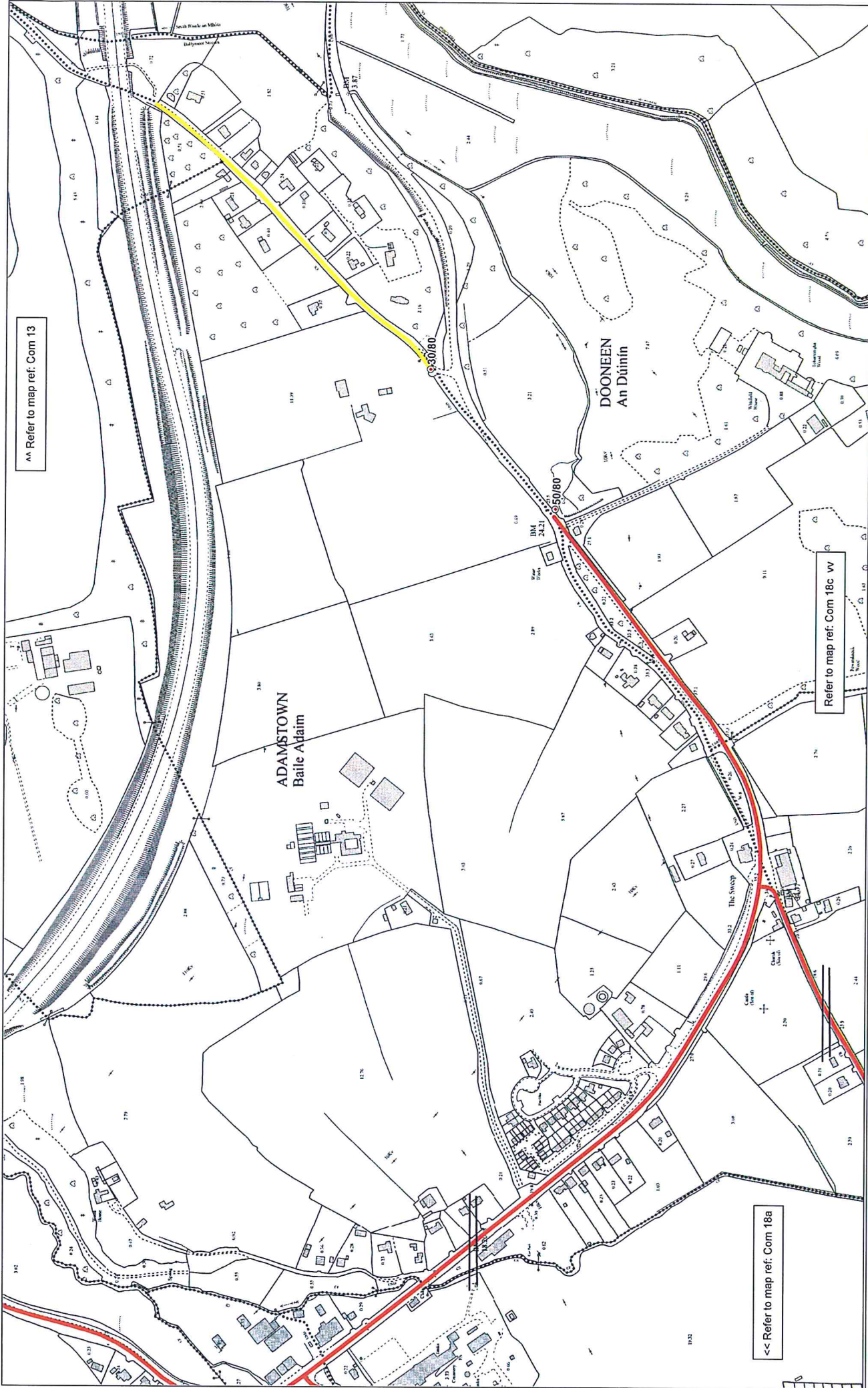
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F. Galvin,
Director of Services
Roads, Water and Environment



SCHEDULE 1 - CONTENTS - MAP REFERENCE

COMERAGH DISTRICT LOCATION	MAP REF	METROPOLITAN DISTRICT LOCATION	MAP REF
Kilmeaden	Com 18b(a)	Kilcaragh Cross/Monamintra Cross Roads	Metro 07xa



Refer to map ref. Com 13

Refer to map ref. Com 18a

Refer to map ref. Com 18c vv



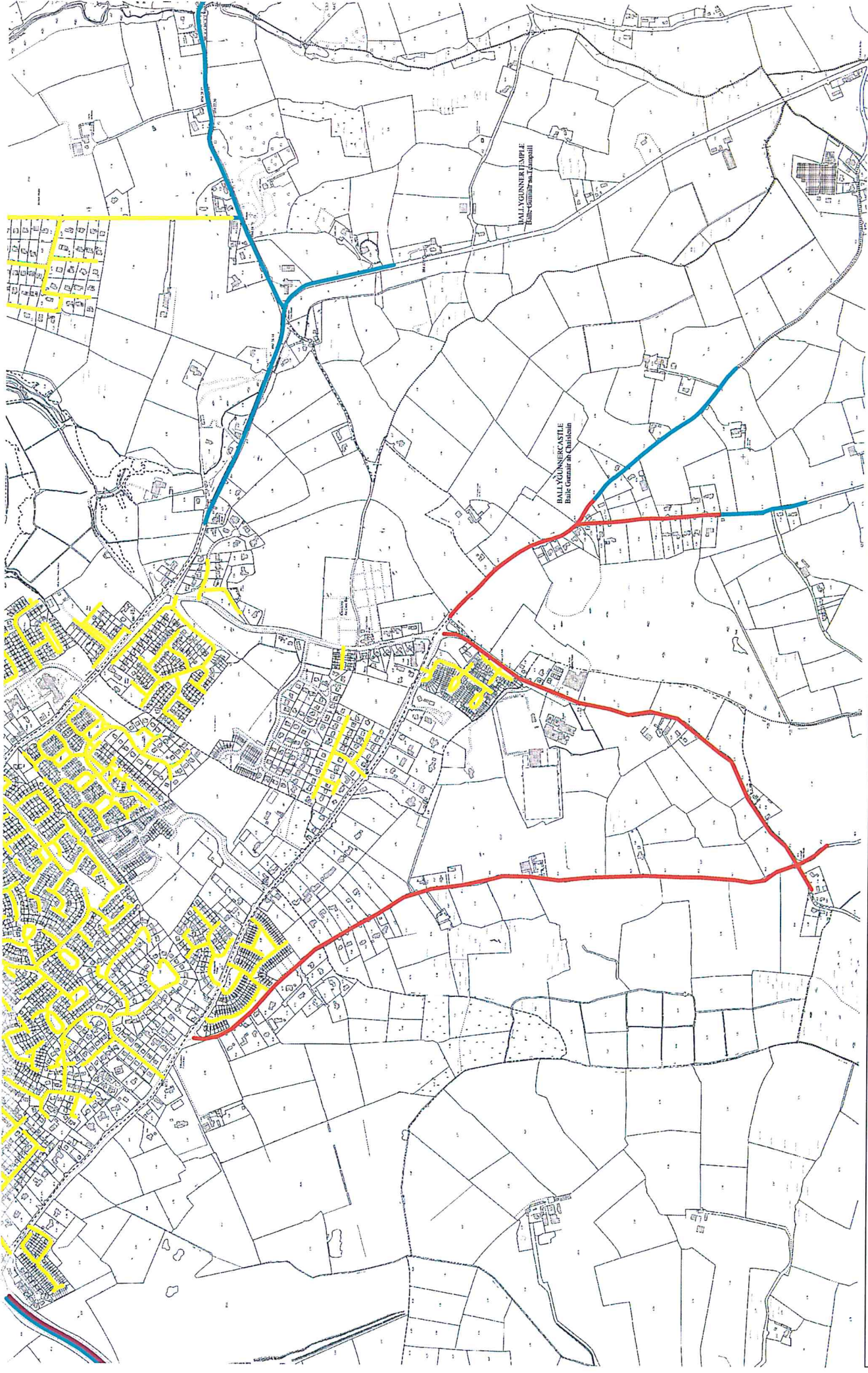
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- Extents of Built Up Area

Road Traffic Special Speed Limit
Waterford City & County Council Bye-Laws 2018
Kilmeaden
 Comeragh District

Scale: 1:5000 on A3

Map Ref: Com 18(b)



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Waterford Metropolitan District
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