



Comhairle Catharach & Contae Phortlairge  
Waterford City & County Council

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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	Feb 2021	Feb 2022	Total Number of Applications Year To Date 2022
Applications received	65	21	43
Application assessed (incl files carried forward from previous month(s))	78	62	97
Applications validated (incl files carried forward from previous month(s))	50	21	37
Approved for social housing supports following interview with applicant	48	36	48

Housing Allocations

Metropolitan District	Tenancies during Feb 2021	New Tenancies during Feb 2022	Refusal Number of New Tenancy offered	Cumulative Number of New Tenancies 2022
Council	22	31	1	47
AHBS	4	18	4	65
<b>Total</b>	<b>26</b>	<b>49</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>112</b>

Housing Stock Voids

Area	Number of units completed Feb 2022	Newly vacant Feb 2022
Metropolitan	3	2



**Capital Projects**

<b>Housing Capital Schemes - WCCC Projects</b>				
<b>Project Location</b>	<b>Units</b>	<b>Area</b>	<b>Current Position</b>	<b>Comment</b>
Mount Esker, Ballytruckle	14	Metropolitan	Construction	On-site
Tramore An Garran	50	Metropolitan	Tender	Tender Award Q1 2022
Ballynaneashagh	22	Metropolitan	Tender	Tender Award Q2 2022
Ballygunner	49	Metropolitan	Tender	Re-Tendered
Summerland Square Waterford	12	Metropolitan	Tender	Tender Q2 2022
Fountain Street	14	Metropolitan	Tender Design	Tender Q3 2022
The Glen Waterford	17	Metropolitan	Planning Stage	Stage 2 approved – Revised proposal to be brought to Council workshop
Newgate Street	20	Metropolitan	Appraisal/Design Stage	Proposal to be brought to Council workshop
Meeting House Lane	6	Metropolitan	Appraisal/Design Stage	Proposal to be brought to Council workshop
Ballytruckle Road	10	Metropolitan	Appraisal/Design Stage	Proposal to be brought to Council workshop
Doyle Street	4	Metropolitan	Construction	Completed
Slievekeale	58	Metropolitan	Construction	Completed
Mount William, Williamstown Rd	65	Metropolitan	Turnkey	Completed
Bounds Court	15	Metropolitan	Turnkey	Completed
Clarendon Court	24	Metropolitan	CPO	Negotiations with owners ongoing – new management company being formed
<b>Total Capital</b>	<b>380</b>			
<b>Buy &amp; Renew Scheme</b>				
Buy & Renew	48	Various Locations	On-going	Q2 2022
<b>Total Buy &amp; Renew</b>	<b>48</b>			
<b>428 Total Units in Metropolitan WCCC Projects</b>				



Housing Capital Schemes - Approved Housing Body Projects				
Project Location	Units	Area	Current Position	Comment
Tramore, Ballycarnane <i>Tramore Voluntary Housing – Oaklee Housing</i>	18	Metropolitan	Approval	Oaklee Housing is now taking on this project - Stage 1 Approved
Butterfield Drive, Carrickphierish, <i>Circle VHA</i>	57	Metropolitan	Construction	Phase 1 Completed
Powersfield, Hennessy's Road <i>Focus Ireland</i>	3	Metropolitan	Design Stage	Awaiting progress from AHB
The Paddock's <i>Anvers/Acquired Brain Injury Ireland</i>	9	Metropolitan	Construction	Completed
Wadding Manor, Ferrybank <i>(Respond)</i>	10	Metropolitan	Construction	Completed
<b>Total Units in Approved Housing Body Projects 97</b>				

#### Housing Adaptation Grants Schemes

Grant Scheme Amount	Number of applications approved	Value of applications
Housing Adaptation for People with a Disability Maximum €30,000	<b>22</b>	<b>290803.27</b>
Mobility Aids Scheme Maximum €6,000	<b>5</b>	<b>26000.00</b>
Housing Aid for Older People Maximum €8,000	<b>5</b>	<b>18819.33</b>
<b>Total for February</b>	<b>32</b>	<b>335622.60</b>
<b>Cumulative Total for 2022</b>	<b>55</b>	<b>441167.37</b>

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