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# Local Authority Climate Action Plans

Citizen Engagement Sectoral Report



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# 1. Introduction

Section 16 of the Climate Action and Low Carbon Development (Amendment) Act 2021 requires each Irish local authority to prepare a Local Authority Climate Action Plan (LACAP) for its administrative area. Each Local Authority went through a plan preparation process during 2023 and adopted their LACAP by the end of Quarter 1, 2024. The <u>31 Local Authority Climate Action Plans</u> have a five-year statutory remit. The LACAPs aim to deliver global and national climate targets and implement national climate policy at community level through local authority regulatory and strategic functions and relationships.

Additionally, action 165 of the Government's Climate Action Plan 2019, requires Local Authorities to identify and develop plans for a Decarbonising Zone (DZ) where a DZ is defined as a "spatial area identified by the local authority, in which a range of climate mitigation, adaptation and biodiversity measures and action owners are identified to address local low carbon energy, greenhouse gas emissions and climate needs to contribute to national climate action targets". Subsequently, Action 80 of the Climate Action Plan 2021 required that DZ plans be integrated with the LACAP.

The Climate Action Regional Offices (CAROs), which coordinate the Local Authority response to climate change, have carried out an <u>analysis of the 31 Local Authority Climate Action Plans</u> that were adopted by Irish Local authorities in 2024. The analysis is useful in terms of providing an understanding of the scope and reach of the LACAPs as well as the focus of the local government sector's climate action efforts for the next five years.

One element of the analysis identified the sectors that are relevant to each of the actions that have been adopted in the 31 LACAPs with most actions being relevant to more than one sector. For the purpose of the analysis, a sector is considered to be a distinct part of society or the economy with examples including health, transport, education, and others. Figure 1 shows the distribution of sectors across all LACAP actions. Given that the LACAPs are plans of local government, it is not surprising that the local government sector is listed as being relevant to almost all actions.

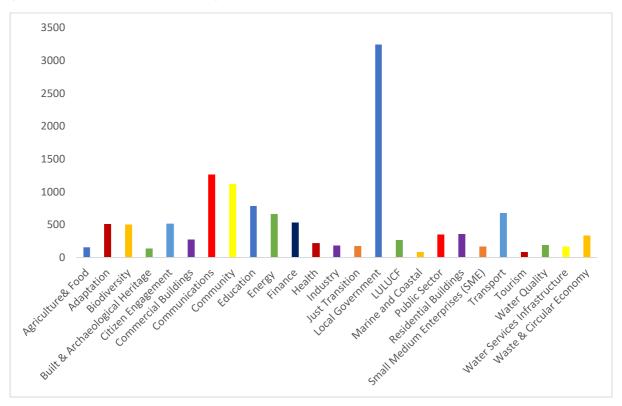


Figure 1: Breakdown of LACAP actions according to sector

Following on from the publication of the analysis of the 31 Local Authority Climate Action Plans, the CAROs have produced summary reports for each of the sectors that have been identified as being relevant to the delivery of LACAP and DZ actions. The aim of these <u>sectoral reports</u> is to steer sectors towards the local authorities and actions that are most relevant to them, to facilitate more informed sectoral engagement and to assist sectors in the preparation of their own plans.

This sectoral report has been prepared for the **Citizen Engagement** sector.

Please note that this is a high-level assessment performed by the CAROs to inform the Citizen Engagement sector. If further information is required on any aspect of the report, please contact CARO@CorkCoCo.ie.

# 2. LACAP analysis

The methodology deployed for the LACAP analysis centred around the development of a database. A CARO project group was established to build and contribute to the database. The database was populated by the individual actions that were adopted by all 31 local authorities.

The CARO team assessed and categorised each individual action under pre-determined high-level classifications including thematic focus area, related sector, action type i.e. mitigation or adaptation, organisation or community focus, stakeholders identified, etc.

Actions were further categorised using a three-tier process. Each action was initially classified as one of 11 Tier 1 categories and then further classified by Tier 2 and Tier 3 sub-category (over 300 Tier 2 and Tier 3 sub-categories). The Tier 1 categories under which actions were initially classified were:

- 1. Local Authority Organisation
- 2. Local Authority Owned or Managed Buildings –including administrative buildings, social housing and other community buildings (e.g. libraries, swimming pools, etc)
- 3. Local Authority Owned or Managed Infrastructure –including assets such as roads, public lighting, land, parks, heritage assets, communication networks, EV charging infrastructure, draining systems, etc.
- 4. Local Authority Finance or Budgets
- 5. Planning
- 6. Community
- 7. Active and Sustainable Travel
- 8. Climate Impact Management
- 9. Waste and Circular Economy
- 10. Natural Assets and LULUCF
- 11. Tourism

The working group developed and worked to set criteria to ensure consistency in approach to action categorisation. Regular review meetings were held to maintain high levels of consistency in the data.

# 3. LACAP overview

The Local Authority Climate Action Plans (LACAPs) reinforce the commitment by the local government sector to lead on climate action at local and national levels. Each LACAP outlines the actions that the individual local authority will be taking to meet its responsibility regarding reduction of greenhouse gas emissions across its own assets and infrastructure as well as the actions that the local authority will take to influence, enable, and facilitate others to meet their own targets.

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The Decarbonising Zone section of the Local Authority Climate Action Plans identifies the climate mitigation, adaptation and biodiversity actions to be taken by the Local Authority in the selected Decarbonising Zone (DZ) to test, pilot and demonstrate decarbonising at a local and community level.

High level analysis of the LACAPs including Decarbonising Zone reveals the following:

- In total, **3,935** actions have been adopted across all 31 LACAPs.
- **3282** of these actions relate to the whole local authority administrative area and are referred to as LACAP actions.
- **653** of these actions relate specifically to Decarbonizing Zones (DZs) that have been identified by the local authority and are referred to as DZ actions.
- There is a wide variation in numbers of actions across the 31 LACAPs reflecting a difference in approach to defining actions rather than a difference in level of ambition between local authorities.
- There is also a wide variation in numbers of DZ actions across the 31 LACAPs.
- 8 local authorities did not identify individual actions for their DZ. It should be noted that the
  approach that most of these local authorities have taken is to develop and adopt a Register of
  Opportunities which is a portfolio of projects, technologies and interventions from which
  individual actions will be identified during the implementation stage.

# 4. Citizen Engagement Sector Actions:

This report has been prepared for the **Citizen Engagement** sector. An analysis of all 3282 actions in 31 LACAPs has concluded that:

- **508** of all 3282 actions relate to the Citizen Engagement sector.
- these are contained in all of the 31 LACAPs.

Furthermore, an analysis of all 653 DZ actions has concluded that:

- 84 of the total DZ actions relate to the Citizen Engagement sector.
- These are contained in **19** of the DZ plans (taking note that 8 local authorities did not list individual actions for their DZs).

Figure 2 shows the distribution of Citizen Engagement Actions across all local authority Climate Action Plans (LACAP) and Decarbonising Zones (DZ).

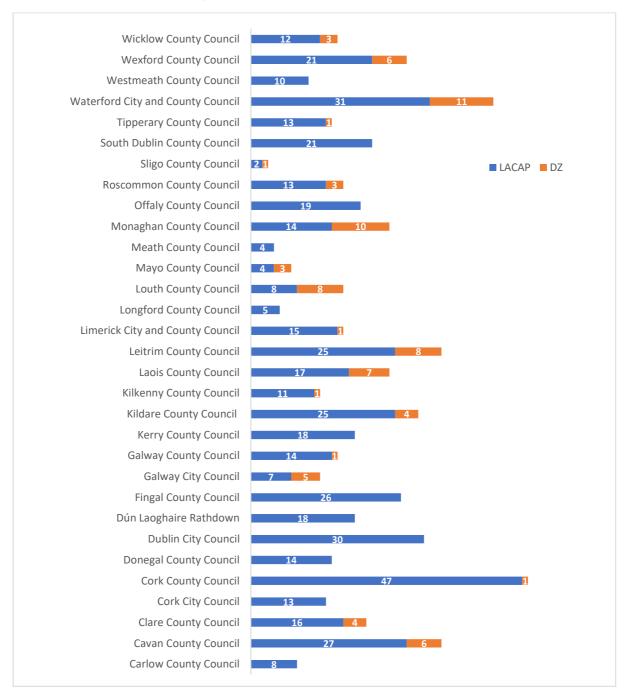


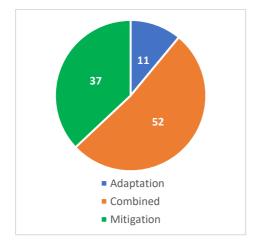
Figure 2: Breakdown of Citizen Engagement sector LACAP and DZ actions according to Local Authority

# 4.1. Adaptation/Mitigation

All LACAPs identify adaptation and mitigation actions that will be implemented by the relevant local authority to reach its climate targets. Mitigation actions include those that reduce the causes of climate change and those that serve to maintain and enhance carbon sinks while adaptation actions include those that increase resilience to current climate and weather conditions and those that involve planning for future climate impacts. Combined actions are those that address climate mitigation and adaptation. Figure 3 shows the breakdown of LACAP actions relating to the Citizen Engagement sector according to

whether they are identified as mitigation or adaptation or combined. 52% of the total number of Citizen Engagement sector actions across all LACAPs address both mitigation and adaptation while 37% are specifically mitigation actions and 11% specifically relate to adaptation.

Figure 4 shows the breakdown of DZ actions relating to the Citizen Engagement sector according to whether they are identified as mitigation or adaptation or combined. 58% of the total number of Citizen Engagement sector actions across all DZs address both mitigation and adaptation while 35% are specifically mitigation actions and 7% specifically relate to adaptation.



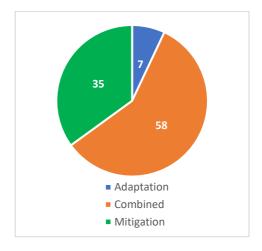


Figure 3: Percentage Adaptation/Mitigation breakdown of LACAP actions relating to the Citizen Engagement sector

Figure 4: Percentage Adaptation/Mitigation breakdown of DZ actions relating to the Citizen Engagement sector

#### 4.2. Classification of Actions

Each action underwent a three-tier classification process, with 11 possible categories in Tier one, being further broken down into Tier 2 and Tier 3 categories.

Figure 5 shows the breakdown of all LACAP and DZ Citizen Engagement sector actions according to Tier 1 Category with actions classified into 10 of the possible 11 categories.



Figure 5: Tier 1 classification of LACAP and DZ Citizen Engagement sector actions

It is apparent that most Citizen Engagement sector actions are associated with the community theme with lower numbers of actions aligning with the broad themes of local authority organisation, active and sustainable travel, waste and the circular economy and natural assets, land use, land use change and forestry (LULUCF). The types of actions that are listed under each of these categories are as follows:

#### Community

- Implement the Community Climate Action Fund to engage communities in localised Climate Action.
- Develop climate-related educational and awareness programme (include information events, communication campaigns and guidance documentation) to inform the public on climate change mitigation and adaptation measures.
- Support national and regional climate related initiatives.
- Develop links with networks and groups to advance climate action (e.g. PPN, Tidy Towns, Comhairle Na nOg, Age Friendly networks and the Older People's Council).
- Promote Climate Action through Arts, Culture and Creativity including the library service.
- Deliver programmes to assist and encourage the business community to reduce their carbon footprint and adapt to climate change.
- Engage with stakeholders in the farming, fishing and forestry sectors to advance transition to sustainable practices.
- Provide resources including equipment and funding for clean-ups and awareness events and support anti-dumping, leave no trace and other campaigns.
- Deliver coastal events in the community such as awareness of and protection measures for sand dunes.
- Promote climate action and green skills in training and education in partnership with local Education and Training Boards and Local Enterprise Offices (LEOs).
- Develop tenant energy awareness toolkit to provide climate / energy awareness and training for the operation of the new energy systems installed.
- Develop early warning systems to inform the public in advance of severe weather incidents.
- Identify and acknowledge existing community climate action 'champions' and amplify their campaigns.
- Support citizen science training and initiatives to target climate-sensitive species and habitats.
- Promote and support schools' programmes (e.g. Green Schools, and Heritage in schools) to encourage engagement on climate and biodiversity.
- Support communities to deliver local climate and sustainability actions through grant schemes and programmes.
- Promote and support SEAI's Better Energy Communities and Sustainable Energy Communities.
- Increase number of allotments, community gardens & rewilding projects within the community.

#### **Local Authority Organisation**

- Utilise the existing networks, forums, relationships and influence of the Council, through its
  various services and functions to help relate the Climate Action message to stakeholders and
  communities.
- Implement an engagement programme to inform councillors on climate and environmental action in order to build knowledge, confidence and capacity to 'talk climate' at a local and a policy level.
- Implement an engagement and training programme for all staff to advance climate action in the workplace.

- Strengthen feedback systems with staff, for improved communication and ideas generation.
- Prepare guidance on sustainable office practices to reduce use of paper, energy use and emissions.
- Prepare a guidance document and training for Council staff on sustainable work practices e.g. hedgerow management, pesticide use, eco-driving, etc.
- Greening of local authority organised and/or funded festival and events.
- Develop a collaborative cross departmental forum to educate and raise awareness amongst staff of climate change actions, initiatives and funding schemes available.
- Develop Climate Communications Plan to report climate action progress and promote climate action.
- Enable staff to utilise practical lower-carbon options for undertaking business travel through provision of electric bikes and vehicles, carpooling, etc.
- Roll out of the Smarter Travel Pathfinder Programme to encourage employees, students & visitors to walk, cycle, use public transport, carpool, or reduce trips though 'smarter working'.
- Climate Action proof grants administered by the local authority.
- Ensure sufficient resources (budgetary and human resources) are allocated for implementation of the LACAP.

#### Active and Sustainable travel

- Promotion of safe routes to school schemes.
- Promote and encourage a modal shift and behavioural change by raising awareness of Active Travel Infrastructure.
- Community Participation Events to celebrate new active travel routes as they open and encourage use.
- Provide digital and physical heritage interpretation along active travel routes.
- Promote and facilitate additional bike, e-scooter and car sharing schemes.
- Provide cycle training to school children and other community groups.

#### Waste and the Circular Economy

- Develop and implement an annual environmental awareness campaign incorporating the objectives of the National Waste Management Plan for a Circular Economy.
- Encourage communities to buy local.
- Support festivals and casual traders to integrate sustainability into their practices.
- Run anti-dumping and anti-litter campaigns and competitions, clean up days and similar initiatives (e.g. Leave no Trace).
- Increase water fountains in the community to promote refill over single use plastics.
- Implement and promote equipment sharing hubs for (seeds, toys, garden equipment, power tools, etc.) within the County to support community ownership and reduce consumption.
- Continued promotion of circular economy strategies for communities through engagement with community networks.
- Implement a wider roll out of segregated brown bin collection systems.
- Develop an engagement/education plan for businesses on the circular economy i.e. how to better design, reuse and remake.

#### Natural assets, Land Use, Land-use Change, Forestry (LULUCF)

 Promote public education to increase awareness of the importance of bogs and the benefits of rewetting bogs.

- Develop interventions to address Invasive Alien Species through education and awareness.
- Deliver awareness campaigns on the effects of runoff on bathing water quality and work with the Local Authority Waters Programme in its support of communities and stakeholders in the delivery of local water quality projects and initiatives.
- Run an awareness campaign to advise farmers and the public of the requirement not to spread slurry during the closed period.
- Support farmers in the shift toward a low-carbon and climate resilient agriculture sector and to support climate and sustainability actions on farms including reductions in use of nitrogen, reduction in protein content of animal feed, use of low emission slurry spreading, employment of anaerobic digestion.
- Signpost farms towards the Teagasc emissions reduction programme on Farm Inspection Visits.
- Develop awareness raising campaigns for the management of native hedgerows and participate in national campaigns (e.g. National Hedgerow Week).
- Engage with stakeholders in peatland and forestry management.
- Develop and implement a tree management strategy with a focus on native trees to promote enhanced canopy cover including tree protection measures and planting programmes.
- Roll out internal training programmes for relevant council staff and contractors and externally
  for communities, landowners and potential developers on appropriate tree planting and
  maintenance for canopy preservation and biodiversity enhancement.

All 508 LACAP and 84 DZ actions that have been identified as being relevant to the Citizen Engagement sector are listed in Tables 1 and 2.

Table 1: LACAP actions that relate to the Citizen Engagement sector

Local Authority	Action no	Action
Carlow County Council	C 1.1	Develop countywide climate-related educational and awareness programme to include information events, communication campaigns and guidance documentation
Carlow County Council	C 1.2	Implement the Community Climate Action Fund to engage communities in localised Climate Action Projects
Carlow County Council	C 1.4	Ensure that all residents of Carlow, young and old, have opportunities to meaningfully engage in and shape the development of climate action policies and projects delivered by Carlow County Council
Carlow County Council	C 1.5	Develop a Green Festivals & Events Strategy, ensuring these are carried out in accordance with sustainability guidelines, having due regard to environmental sensitivities such as the receiving water environment, biodiversity, European sites, local air quality, cultural heritage etc.
Carlow County Council	C 1.9	Provide a point of contact to assist local organisations collaborating to implement projects which contribute to the objectives of a National climate initiative e.g. GAA green club programme.
Carlow County Council	SRM 1.1	Develop and implement an annual environmental awareness campaign incorporating the objectives of the National Waste Management Plan for a Circular Economy
Carlow County Council	SRM 1.4	Develop and provide a series of green & climate-based workshops for owner managers of indigenous Carlow companies
Carlow County Council	SRM 1.7	Deliver programmes to assist businesses in Carlow improve the environmental profile of their business in the marketplace
Cavan County Council	G13	Hold, promote and support an Annual Climate Action Day within Cavan County Council
Cavan County Council	G15	Implement a designated social media officer to promote Cavan County Council as an ambassador for climate change. The officer will be responsible for highlighting, promoting and creating awareness on climate change via the Cavan County Council website.
Cavan County Council	G17	Update library educational stock with current climate action information where available. Continue to update material as necessary.
Cavan County Council	G18	Review Local Authority estate competition with a view to incorporating where possible issues such as climate change.
Cavan County Council	G30	Create and implement a climate action engagement programme within the organisation for all staff and Elected Members.
Cavan County Council	G33	Develop a collaborative cross departmental forum to educate and raise awareness amongst staff of climate change actions, initiatives and funding schemes available to assist with implementation. To include the use of exemplar projects and demonstration sites.

		Increase the number of safe routes to school schemes in county. Promotion of schemes and engagement with Boards of Management having due regard to environmental sensitivities such as the receiving water environment, biodiversity,
Cavan County Council	TR5	European sites local air quality, cultural heritage etc.
		Promote and encourage a modal shift by raising awareness of Active Travel Infrastructure throughout Cavan. Run one social
Cavan County Council	TR6	media campaign per yr.
Cavan County Council	TR7	Become a partner to the National Transport Authority administered Smarter Travel Programme and partake with associated initiatives such as the Smarter Travel Mark; having due regard to environmental sensitivities such as the receiving water environment, biodiversity, European sites local air quality, cultural heritage etc.
		Increase climate themed events and ensure sustainability and climate action are integrated into all events through the
Cavan County Council	N 2	development of local authority wide policy on events e.g. Heritage week/Biodiversity week/Science week/Hedgerow week.
Cavan County Council	N 21	Promote public education to increase awareness of the importance of bogs as both hydrological and carbon sinks, explaining their ability to reduce the effects of surface water run off during rainfall events and their ability to provide a subsequent slow release of water to the receiving environment. Awareness should be increased of the benefits of rewetting bogs and how these actions can be taken by landowners
Cavan County Council	C 1	Implement an awareness campaign to educate the public on climate change mitigation and adaptation measures including the circular economy, promoting biodiversity, food production in community gardens, water conservation and carbon reduction initiatives. Promote various funding streams and grants to assist homes, communities and businesses to implement positive climate actions. Having due regard to environmental sensitivities such as protected species, European sites and biodiversity.
Cavan County Council	C 4	Support artists, organisations and communities to consider and adopt best practice in their work with regard to climate challenges such as water, environment and biodiversity.
Cavan County Council	C 5	Encourage and support tidy towns organisations, festivals and event organisers to incorporate climate action and sustainability into all events.
Cavan County Council	C 6	Encourage community groups particularly tidy towns groups to consider climate change adaptation in their multi annual plans and programs to reduce climatic risks in their communities.
Cavan County Council	C 8	Raise awareness of the impacts of climate change and ways for communities to increase response and resilience to these impacts.
Cavan County Council	C 10	Promote & Implement the Community Climate Action Fund for 2023 - 2026 to engage communities in localised Climate Action Projects.
Cavan County Council	C 11	Keen to be Green Communities: supporting community groups to develop climate awareness projects such as bike repair workshops, clothes swaps, community gardens, green festivals.
Cavan County Council	C 13	Provide dedicated Climate Action information on Cavan County Council's website.

Cavan County Council	C 14	Engage with youth groups and schools to raise awareness of climate issues and promote positive climate action initiatives.  Organise school competitions to promote biodiversity, climate mitigation and adaptation.
Cavan County Council	C 16	Engage, promote and support Green Clubs programme amongst GAA clubs in the county.
Cavan County Council	C 18	Support the Green Schools and Heritage in Schools programme to promote biodiversity and climate issues to schools.
Cavan County Council	S 1	Develop and implement an annual environmental awareness campaign incorporating the objectives of the National Waste Management Plan for a Circular Economy.
Cavan County Council	S 3	Continued promotion of circular economy strategies for communities through engagement with community networks.
Cavan County Council	S 11	Promote greater community and business engagement on climate action, circular economy, energy, water conservation, sustainable mobility and biodiversity through the Community Climate Action Officer, Climate Team and support tools to enable the required behaviour change. The LEO will promote Green Micro, Lean programmes, focused Energy Efficiency Briefing Series and capital programmes demonstrating circular economy. principles with a focus on SMEs.
Cavan County Council	S 13	Development and implementation of a toolkit that can be utilised by staff during farm inspections to engage with the farmers on climate action. Provision of appropriate training for staff on the utilisation of the toolkit.
Cavan County Council	S 21	Support farmers in reducing chemical nitrogen fertiliser use by 20% by 2030 increasing the use of protected urea and increasing the uptake of low emission slurry spreading to 90% of farms.
Clare County Council	G 1.3	Develop Climate Communications Plan to report climate action progress and promote climate action
Clare County Council	G 2.4	Implement an annual staff engagement and training programme to advance climate action in the workplace
Clare County Council	T 1.12	Support the introduction of interventions that enable the uptake of sustainable transportation in communities across Clare
Clare County Council	T 1.13	Undertake research, including engagement and mapping, into best practice streetspace allocation to support sustainable mobility in Ennis
Clare County Council	T 2.5	Enable staff to utilise practical lower-carbon options for undertaking business travel through provision of electric bikes and vehicles, carpooling, etc
Clare County Council	C 1.1	Support climate-related information sharing, events, workshops, cultural and creative initiatives through supports and facilities available to Clare County Council
Clare County Council	C 1.4	Utilise mechanisms of engagement between Clare County Council and communities/sectors, in particular youth representatives, with respect to climate action policy and project development
Clare County Council	C 2.1	Through the implementation of the Community Climate Action Fund, engage communities in localised Climate Action Projects having due regard to environmental sensitivities such as the receiving water environment, biodiversity, European sites local air quality, cultural heritage

C 2.5	Support an increase the number of Sustainable Energy Communities established in Clare where specific supported energy efficiency and renewable energy projects will not lead to unintended negative environmental effects in a local community
C 2.6	Supporting County Clare in transitioning to a more sustainable tourism destination as actioned in the Clare Tourism Strategy 2030 through the measurement and monitoring of sustainable indicators whilst having due regard for sensitivities including biodiversity, European sites, cultural heritage, and amenity value
C 2.7	Supporting the engagement of tourism businesses in North Clare with the Geopark Code of Practice for Sustainable Tourism Businesses through the implementation of the Burren and Cliffs of Moher UNESCO Global Geopark's Management Plan 2024 – 2029 whilst having due regard for sensitivities including biodiversity, European sites, cultural heritage, and amenity value
N 1.5	Develop interventions to address Invasive Alien Species through education and awareness
N 1.6	Support citizen science projects to target climate sensitive species
N 2.3	Undertake pre-season awareness campaign to the effects of runoff on bathing water quality
N 3.3	Support festivals and casual traders to integrate sustainability into their practices
N 3.4	Support the Green Schools initiative and enable an increase in the number of schools actively participating
1.12	Appraise options for innovative mechanisms for citizen participation in the leadership and delivery of Cork City's transition and establish the preferred mechanism. Models to be explored include a local Citizens' Assembly or Forum that would include often unheard voices, such as individuals, youth, disabled, elderly, etc.
1.13	Establish a Communications Working Group, with dedicated resources, informed by climate and behavioural science and with internal / external participants, to advise and build capacity for application in policy, planning, investment programmes, and public- awareness.
2.1	Support the Public Participation Network to widen participation and membership by offering supports to community groups, residential associations, sports clubs and other clusters of community activity.
2.3	Identify and acknowledge existing community climate action 'champions' and amplify their campaigns.
2.4	Establish a community leadership development programme that will build knowledge, confidence and capacity of community members to initiate climate action in their neighbourhoods.
2.6	Mainstream health as a critical co-benefit of climate action and extend support to new and existing community partnerships and networks that increase climate action in the city, such as Green Spaces for Health, Transport & Mobility Forum, Cork Healthy Cities and Cork Food Policy Council.
2.15	Follow-up the 2023 B&A Residential Household Survey periodically to track progress of citizens' attitudes to climate issues.
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		Encourage installation of solar/renewables generation, rainwater harvesting, or other green use, in existing properties by:
		consideration of planning regulations;      regular of incontinuous to purpose financial berriago and
Cork City Council	3.2	<ul> <li>review of incentives to overcome financial barriers; and</li> <li>support to increase contractor capacity, among others.</li> </ul>
Cork City Council	3.2	Complete design, plan and implement active travel infrastructure per the CMATS, Cork Cycling Network Plan, Pedestrian
		Network Plan, Cycle Connects and the National Cycle Network, inclusive of appropriate supportive elements such as
		wayfinding, benches, water fountains. Promote the need to have active-travel development carried out in a manner that has
		due regard to environmental sensitivities such as local human receptors, Biodiversity, European sites, water quality and
Cork City Council	4.5	hydrology, existing traffic and transport conditions and amenity value.
		Support public engagement and behaviour change initiatives that promote sustainable transport and lead to greater use of
Cork City Council	4.12	walking, cycling and public transport, such as Cork Bike Week, European Mobility Week, Lifelong Learning Festival.
		Provide citizen-science training workshops in relation to pollinators and any other invertebrates for community groups,
		individuals and any other interested group to identify, record and submit records to the National Biodiversity Data Centre
Cork City Council	5.15	database.
Cork City Council	5.24	Support the Lifetime Lab's Education Programme, including the Carnival of Science and Green Schools programme.
		Implement the National Waste Management Plan for a Circular Economy 2024–2030, supporting local initiatives to reduce
		waste from all sectors, including construction and fashion. Promote and expand support for a circular economy by
	5.25	encouraging the reduce–reuse–recycle principle at the community level. Promote good waste-management practices and
Cork City Council	5.25	adherence to the Waste Management Act.
		Increase climate action awareness and engagement among staff and promote positive behavioural change. Specifically, promote awareness and understanding of the role and implications of this Climate Action Plan and build capacity of public-
Cork County Council	4.2.1.4.1	facing council employees to "talk climate".
Cork County Council	4.2.1.4.4	Strengthen feedback systems with staff, for improved communication and ideas generation.
		Undertake stakeholder mapping for broadened engagement and for collaborating effectively on climate action across Cork
Cork County Council	4.2.1.7.1	County. Assess the role of strategic partners to deliver on certain projects.
	10101	Implement an engagement programme to inform councillors on climate and environmental action in order to build
Cork County Council	4.2.1.9.1	knowledge, confidence and capacity to 'talk climate' at a local and a policy level.
Coult County Council	44111	Support communities to co-create a vison for climate action by working with existing community models/mechanisms (e.g.,
Cork County Council	4.4.1.1.1	the SEAI Sustainable Energy Communities, PPN etc.) and also supporting new models, where appropriate.
		Create awareness about, and promote understanding of, climate change in Cork County through communications and education. Communications strategies will be tailored to particular audiences and may include: campaigns, talks, debates,
		online information, guidance documents, webinars, podcasts, video, radio and information disseminated through the Cork
Cork County Council	4.4.1.2.1	County libraries network (with 26 branches).
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Cork County Council	4.4.1.2.2	Develop links with young citizens (e.g. the Comhairle Na nOg) to give voice to their concerns about climate change and to enhance their awareness and the actions that they can take.
Cork County Council	4.4.1.2.3	Engage older people in climate action by working with the Age Friendly networks and the Older People's Council to ensure that awareness of climate action is raised and to promote and enhance the actions that they can take as a response to climate change.
Cork County Council	4.4.1.2.3	Climate Change.
Cork County Council	4.4.1.2.4	Promote public engagement with climate action through arts linking in with the climate change pillar of Creative Ireland.
Cork County Council	4.4.1.2.5	Liaise with other agencies to develop and promote Climate Community Leadership that will: - Build knowledge, confidence and capacity of community members to initiate climate action in their neighbourhoods - Build capacity of community leaders/change agents to "talk climate" in their networks.
0	0	- Identify and acknowledge existing community climate action 'champions/heroes' and acknowledge and amplify their campaigns.
Cork County Council	4.4.1.2.6	Build on Cork County Council's awareness month "Make One Change: Cork County Cuts Carbon" (initiated by the Council in 2022)
Cork County Council	4.4.1.2.7	Continue to promote schools' programmes such as Green Flags, School Gardens, Climate Literacy.
Cork County Council	4.4.1.2.8	Develop partnerships with external agencies and community organisations to enable climate action projects at community level.
Cork County Council	4.4.1.2.9	Support and work with LAWPRO to encourage a community response to encourage water conservation and greater water use efficiency in the community, in association with local community groups.
Cork County Council	4.4.1.4.2	Capture insights from engagement activities to provide an evidence base to inform the implementation of the Climate Action Plan.
Cork County Council	4.4.1.5.1	Work with stakeholders to understand key risks and drivers for a just transition in Cork that will provide insights and recommendations to understand and navigate the climate transition in a way that is fair and equitable. Support and assist stakeholder action to help those who are most vulnerable to change. This action will ensure that Cork County Council are active in enabling a 'just transition' and protecting the health and wellbeing of communities across Cork County.
Cork County Council	4.4.1.8.4	Support active travel promotional events of stakeholders e.g. Mix Your Mode, Bike Week etc.
Cork County Council	4.4.1.8.5	Continue to encourage the development of bottom-up sustainable transport initiatives and engage with communities on new initiatives, where appropriate, having due regard to environmental sensitivities such as the receiving water environment, biodiversity, European sites, local air quality etc.
Cork County Council	4.4.1.9.3	Encourage communities to buy local (to reduce food miles and to support the local economy) and work with stakeholders and communities to reduce food waste
Cork County Council	4.5.1.1.5	Work with stakeholders to promote engagement and awareness of National Biodiversity Data Centre projects and initiatives.

Cork County Council	4.5.1.1.6	Promote citizen science initiatives including targeting key sensitive species and empower communities to support local habitat restoration and protection.
Cork County Council	4.5.2.1.6	Promote citizen science initiatives including those focusing on water quality.
Cork County Council	4,5,3,2,1	Work with stakeholders to foster an inclusive, shared narrative to bring communities on the journey of change in tackling climate action & biodiversity loss and promote celebration of the relationship between culture and natural environment.
Cork County Council	4,5,3,2,4	Support Green Schools and Heritage in Schools programmes to promote biodiversity and climate issues to schools.
Cork County Council	4.5.3.2.5	Promote and support annual National Hedgerow Week.
Cork County Council	4.5.3.2.7	Work in partnership with stakeholder groups to assist communities dealing with challenges including decarbonisation and environmental challenges.
Cork County Council	4.5.3.2.8	Work with stakeholders to promote awareness and engagement with sustainable fishing practices and raise awareness of marine pollutions.
Cork County Council	4.5.5.1.1	Encourage the promotion of sustainable land use practices and nature-based solutions to water resource management and flooding which can enhance community resilience by providing natural flood defences, promoting climate adaptation, having due regard to environmental sensitivities, including Biodiversity, European sites, water quality and sensitive human receptors.
Cork County Council	4.5.5.1.3	Support an integrated approach to the management of surface water catchments and the use and development of lands adjoining watercourses.
Cork County Council	4.6.1.1.8	Continue to support clusters such as the Cork Energy cluster in their activities to mobilise stakeholders in the energy sector to collaborate and implement climate action measures.
Cork County Council	4.6.1.1.9	Encourage the development of locally sustainable enterprises in the County as well as a culture for shopping locally, including shops and farmers markets.
Cork County Council	4.6.1.3.1	Support the development of countywide climate-related educational and awareness information events, communication campaigns and guidance documentation.
Cork County Council	4.6.1.3.2	Liaise with relevant stakeholders e.g. clusters and business networks etc throughout the County to raise awareness, promote and explore initiatives to encourage the business community to reduce their carbon footprint and adapt to climate change.
Cork County Council	4.6.1.3.3	Promote the greening of festivals and events in Cork County
Cork County Council	4.6.1.5.1	Participate in a national public awareness campaign to promote householders' knowledge of how their septic tank works and the effects of septic tank and agricultural runoff on bathing water. Provide information and advice on what routine maintenance should be carried out.
Cork County Council	4.6.1.5.2	Run an awareness campaign, in partnership with stakeholders, to advise farmers and the public of the requirement not to spread slurry during the closed period and to encourage the public to report any such incidents to Cork County Council.

Cork County Council	4.6.1.5.4	Work with stakeholders to promote local food, thereby reducing food miles.
		Use weather forecasts to predict high rainfall events which could impact on bathing water quality at monitored bathing
		waters. Based on risk assessment, issue warning notices at beaches where it is predicted that water quality may be
Cork County Council	4.6.1.8.2	negatively impacted by weather event.
		Collaborate with communities and stakeholders in developing County Cork Rural Transport in line with relevant strategies
Cork County Council	4.7.1.1.3	such as the Connecting Ireland Rural Mobility Plan.
Cork County Council	4.7.1.2.4	Work with Stakeholders to promote the wider benefits of active travel.
		Support provision of information on grant aid for homes and businesses, whilst promoting the need to consider
Cork County Council	4.8.3.1.2	environmental protection requirements during such projects.
		Encourage energy efficiency improvements for buildings. Advise and educate businesses, residents on energy efficiency,
Cork County Council	4.8.3.1.3	whilst promoting the need for projects to conform with relevant planning policy environmental protection criteria.
		Develop a tenant awareness strategy around the benefits of behavioural change with respect to climate action in their
Cork County Council	4.8.4.3.1	homes.
Cork County Council	4.8.4.3.2	Promote the benefits of wilding and biodiversity in existing housing estates.
Cork County Council	4.9.1.2.1	Continue anti-litter challenge to raise awareness in communities.
Cork County Council	4.9.1.2.2	Work with stakeholders on education and awareness in relation to proper disposal of waste
Donegal County Council	GL 2.2	Implement Climate Action engagement programme in the workplace for all staff and elected members.
Donegal County Council	TR 2.7	Support and advocate for change in travel behaviour amongst communities through public engagement and community liaison activities.
Donegat County Council		Promote the National Retrofitting Scheme to private householders to highlight the package of supports that make it easier
Donegal County Council	BE 2.4	and more affordable to undertake home energy upgrades.
Donegat County Council	52 2. 1	Ensure that residents of Donegal have the opportunity to meaningfully engage in, and shape the development of climate
Donegal County Council	CR 1.1	action policies and projects delivered by DCC.
2011 Egut Country Counter	UK 1.1	Provide a point of contact to assist GAA Green Club Programme to implement projects that contribute to the objectives of a
Donegal County Council	CR 1.2	national climate initiative.
Donegal County Council	CR 1.3	Provide dedicated Climate Action information on DCC website.
		Work with partners in the Public Participation Network (PPN)
		to enhance awareness and understanding of climate issues within the wider community sector including for example, those
Donegal County Council	CR 1.6	relating to:

		water conservation/ rainwater harvesting,
		<ul> <li>nature-based solutions,</li> </ul>
		• circular economy,
		• active travel,
		sustainable event planning.
		Support national and regional initiatives to develop countywide climate related educational and awareness programme to
Donegal County Council	CR 2.1	include information events, communication campaigns, and guidance documents.
zonegat county country	011212	Support initiatives to promote and raise awareness of biodiversity and climate issues, natural capital and ecosystems-based
Donegal County Council	CR 2.2	adaptation.
Donegat County Council	CIV Z.Z	Utilise the Public Library Network as a community hub to support national, regional and local awareness campaigns of
Donegal County Council	CR 2.3	Climate Action Plans.
Donegat County Council	CR 2.3	
Danasal Causty Causail	CD 2 F	Support National and Regional agencies to roll out educational projects in schools and Community events as opportunities
Donegal County Council	CR 2.5	to disseminate Climate Change information to the public.
		Design an innovative and creative project to use archaeological (or other heritage) sites to creatively engage local
	60.00	communities with climate change and heritage and to demonstrate the impacts of climate change such as the DACCHE
Donegal County Council	CR 3.3	EU/NPA project (Digital Action for Climate Change in Heritage Environments).
Donegal County Council	SR 3.5	Support Council tenants to achieve improved waste segregation and climate objectives.
Donegal County Council	SR 3.6	Support community sustainable waste management initiatives and circular economy initiatives e.g. re-use projects.
Dublin City Council	RF 1.2	Dublin Bay UNESCO Biosphere Discovery Centre
Dublin City Council	RF 1.3	Liffey Vale Biodiversity Centre
Dublin City Council	S 1.2	Delivery of Active Travel projects in accordance with the 2025 to 2027 projects
Dublin City Council	S 1.3	Delivery of Active Travel projects in accordance with the 2027 and onward projects
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Dublin City Council	S 1.4	Community Participation Events to celebrate new active travel routes as they open and encourage use
Dublin City Council	S 1.5	Behaviour Change initiatives to encourage use of the network and modal shift across diverse groups
Dublin City Council	S 2.2	Quiet Zones
Dublin City Council	S 4.2	Laneways of Dublin 1 and Dublin 2
Dublin City Council	S 4.3	Vibrant Streets

Dublin City Council	S 1	Sustainable Work Etiquette Guide on email use, video conference calls, printing, turning computers off, lights off, paper use and other stationary supplies to reduce energy use and emissions.
Dublin City Council	S 2	Promote shift to active modes of commuting to reduce transport emissions.
Dublin City Council	S 4	Continued staff energy awareness in Council buildings.
Dublin City Council	OS 7	Dublin City Council to promote active travel and public transport
Dublin City Council	EP 1	Develop and implement Sustainable Living Programme to engage Council Tenants on how they can reduce consumption of energy, and water.
Dublin City Council	EP 2	Hold Bike Week annually.
Dublin City Council	EP 3	Host events as part of European Mobility Week.
Dublin City Council	EP 4	Organise Pedestrian Days in areas with high footfall.
Dublin City Council	EP 5	Cycle Training Programmes for 6th Class students / Pedal Power Labs*.
Dublin City Council	EP 6	Set up partnership and create a communications engagement and promotion platform for cycling and walking - "Stories on the move".
Dublin City Council	EP 8	The Council will work with the Local Authority Waters Programme in its support of communities and stakeholders in the delivery of local water quality projects and initiatives have due regard for environmental sensitivities such as Archaeology, European sites, biodiversity and amenity value etc.
Dublin City Council	EP 9	Communication and awareness campaigns on flood risk management and natural flood management measures.
Dublin City Council	EP 10	Implement an annual education and outreach programme to raise awareness of climate change.
Dublin City Council	EP 11	Engage with students about climate related projects through CPD Programme/Engineers Week.
Dublin City Council	EP 12	Monitor and develop the Home Energy Savings Kits in DCC's public libraries.
Dublin City Council	EP 13	Run anti-dumping and anti-litter campaigns.
Dublin City Council	EP 14	Support and promote litter clean up days and initiatives.
Dublin City Council	EP 17	Promote Reuse Month annually.
Dublin City Council	EP 19	Support and promote Tidy Towns / City Neighbourhoods initiatives which have due regard for environmental sensitivities such as Archaeology, European sites, biodiversity and amenity value etc.

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Dublin City Council	EP 23	Continue to work with the Rediscovery Centre to promote sustainability.
Dublin City Council	EP 25	Tree-planting activities with schools including annual National Tree Week and National Tree Day.
Dún Laoghaire Rathdown	Т 2	Promote active travel in the County utilising dlr's dlr website, social media channels and in person events such as Bike Week
Dún Laoghaire Rathdown	T 4	Provide digital and physical heritage interpretation along active travel routes in appropriate locations
Dún Laoghaire Rathdown	N 23	Run Workshops on Nature Based Solutions, Green Infrastructure and Sustainable Urban Drainage Systems (SuDS)
Dún Laoghaire Rathdown	R 3	Guided by the National Hazardous Waste Plan 2021-2027 promote the appropriate management of hazardous household wastes
Dún Laoghaire Rathdown	R 8	Collaborate with the Eastern Midlands Regional Waste Planning Office (EMRWMPO), The Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) and other national bodies to promote waste prevention and circular economy related campaigns
Dún Laoghaire Rathdown	R 17	Run anti-litter campaigns annually
Dún Laoghaire Rathdown	C 3	Promote citizen science climate action projects
Dún Laoghaire Rathdown	C 9	Increase climate themed events for national events such as National Heritage Week, Cruinniú and Bealtaine
Dún Laoghaire Rathdown	C 10	Design an innovative and creative project to use a heritage site to creatively engage local communities with climate change, climate mitigation and heritage
Dún Laoghaire Rathdown	C 11	Encourage and support schools implementing the An Taisce Green-Schools Programme and the Farmer Time Programme
Dún Laoghaire Rathdown	C 12	Support the Gaelic Athletic Association (GAA) Green Clubs Programme
Dún Laoghaire Rathdown	C 15	To increase the number of heritage events with a climate theme
Dún Laoghaire Rathdown	C 17	Provide education and raise awareness of the impacts of climate change on biodiversity and water quality
Dún Laoghaire Rathdown	C 20	Promote energy awareness within the County and Council including workshop type events
Dún Laoghaire Rathdown	C 22	Identify opportunities to promote sustainable and active travel with dlr staff

Dún Laoghaire		Explore and respond to ways in which the climate transition will affect different groups in the county including facilitating
Rathdown	C 24	skills training and energy poverty reduction measures so that no one is left behind
Dún Laoghaire		Produce a newsletter to encourage all within the county to take climate action and to report on the progress being made in
Rathdown	C 25	implementing the actions over the lifetime of the Plan
Dún Laoghaire		Promote and encourage retrofitting of housing and multi- unit developments while sharing Council knowledge and best
Rathdown	C 26	practices, with an emphasis on reaching households at risk of fuel poverty
		Implement pilots schemes for mobility/e-mobility to promote sustainable mobility by encouraging creativity and innovation
Fingal County Council	T 10	in the county.
		Provide programmes and initiatives that support community-wide adoption of active travel modes e.g. Learn 2 Cycle with a
		Disability lessons, Adult Cycling lessons, Walking Buses, Cycling Buses; and opportunities for marginalised groups to engage
Fingal County Council	T 16	in Active Travel
Fingal County Council	T 22	Promote and facilitate additional car sharing schemes
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Fingal County Council	T 23	Promote and facilitate additional community car sharing schemes
		Promote and encourage community involvement in the retrofit of SuDS in existing developments, maintaining community
Fingal County Council	F 15	rain gardens, discourage hard paving in gardens and retrofit raingardens / water butt installations
		Support and develop citizen science projects such as Fingal X Heritage as a means of monitoring climate change impacts on
Fingal County Council	F 27	Fingal's heritage assets and raising public awareness
Fingal County Council	R 5	31 Community centres to participate in FCC Keen to be Green initiative over 5 stages
		Support and promote the implementation of the targets of the National Waste Management Plan for a Circular Economy
Fingal County Council	R 6	2023-2029
		Assessment of all apartment complexes within Fingal on the management of food waste and use of brown bins. Engagement
		with apartment management companies to ensure compliance with legislation and to encourage segregation of food waste
Fingal County Council	R 9	by residents and subsequent collection by authorised collectors.
Fingal County Council	C 2	Deliver Climate Action Week program of events in conjunction with DLA
		Develop an annual calendar of climate action & environmental awareness days of significance which will include
		international and national days, such as the World Earth Day, World Sand Dune day, National Reuse Month, National Bike
		Week, Dublin Climate Action Week, All Dublin Clean up week. Targeted campaigns to promote activities as per calendar
Fingal County Council	C 3	timeline.
		Utilise various forms of media including FCC social media, FCC website, newsletters, & cinema campaigns to promote climate
Fingal County Council	C 4	action awareness.

		Develop a library of climate material including webinars, books, articles and digital training resources covering Climate Science, Climate Action, Just Transition, the LACAP, National and Local on climate action and make available to the public
Fingal County Council	C 5	through the Fingal's social media channels and Fingal Libraries.
Fingal County Council	C 6	Engage with DLA to scope requirement for delivering Climate Action Awareness in Schools, through training providers, in advance of Climate Action Awareness being mainstreamed within school curriculum.
Fingal County Council	C 7	Engage with schools and An Taisce and provide resources & funding to deliver green flags and achieve green schools status.
Fingal County Council	C 8	Provide resources including funding to schools in Fingal as support to engage in resource management projects. Projects may include composting for schools, gardening and vegetable growing projects, resources packs and installation of water butts.
Fingal County Council	_ C 8	Dutts.
Fingal County Council	C 9	Provide an annual energy awareness event in partnership with Codema, SEAI and other stakeholders
Fingal County Council	C 10	Promote and support SEAI's Better Energy Communities and Sustainable Energy Communities
Fingal County Council	C 11	Pilot Climate Action workshops with Tidy Town committees to promote awareness of climate action at a local level.
Fingal County Council	C 12	Involve residents and community groups, e.g. Tidy Towns/community garden groups, in the establishment of newly planted trees in their area, e.g. watering
Fingal County Council	C 13	Guided by the Memorandum of Understanding signed between the GAA and CCMA, towards working together on sustainability and climate action projects, engage with the Green Club Programme through a nominated lead, working with the CARO and GAA, in the promotion and support of projects by participating clubs, to meet the objectives, and during key phases, of the programme to 2029
Fingal County Council	C 14	Keen to be Green Communities: supporting community groups to develop climate awareness projects such as Bike repair workshops, clothes swaps, community gardens, green festivals.
Fingal County Council	C 15	Work with Global Action Plan on the further development of Climate Action Heroes programme across communities
Fingal County Council	C 16	Promote LEADER Projects on sustainability
Fingal County Council	C 17	Provide resources including equipment and funding for marine clean-up and awareness events. Deliver an annual coastal event in the community such as awareness of and protection measures for sand dunes.
Fingal County Council	C 18	Sport Grants - Clubs must provide evidence of 'circular economy' and other sustainable initiatives as appropriate.
Galway City Council	15	Establish climate ambassador programme and forum to facilitate knowledge sharing, capacity building and just transition on climate, energy and nature based solution (NBS) initiatives and actions across the city. programme to include climate/ energy/ NBS leaders and pioneers from throughout the city including businesses and community groups.

Galway City Council	16	Develop public website which displays progress on implementation of climate action plan and details example climate action projects. Consider a "citizen engagement" section of the public engagement website where such flood and climate change impacts can be recorded to establish such database.
Galway City Council	10	Establish annual climate festival with events across the city including expert speakers, workshops, action demonstrations,
Galway City Council	19	incorporating culture and the arts.
		Work in partnership with local community, business, and education groups to support initiatives that promote climate action and just transition on the following:  - Climate challenges and solutions, mitigation and adaptation  - Active travel  - Energy saving
		- Low carbon energy
		- Waste management and circular economy
		- Local food production, food waste management and reduction
		- Water conservation and harvesting - Local level carbon offsetting
		- Nature based solutions, net biodiversity gain.
Galway City Council	27	- Supplier engagement and green procurement aimed at SMEs.
		Promote local and lower carbon footprint food production, including: - Promote and increase local growing and food sharing through community gardens/hubs and allotments throughout Galway City Identify new areas for community gardens.
Galway City Council	40	- Reduce use of fertilizers by increasing the use of locally produced compost.
Galway City Council	49	Support uptake of active travel modes across Galway City engaging with key stakeholders, community groups, institutions and schools through workshops, co-design and engagement to increase. Including delivery of primary, secondary school and business cycle training programme.
Galway City Council	58	Implement initiatives to continue to prevent and reduce waste across Galway City in partnership with the private sector and communities, including implementation of the incoming draft national waste management plan for circular economy actions.
- Carriary City Countries		Encourage and facilitate internal Climate Action initiatives and campaigns including water conservation, energy
Galway County Council	GL 3.1	management and waste management.
		Establish a network of stakeholders and ensure ongoing communication. Cultivate and actively participate in partnerships with regional local authorities and public bodies, enterprise, community, voluntary sectors, third level institutions and the research community. Maximise on potential funding streams for the county and work in partnership to develop and implement Climate Action projects and initiatives. Continue to support existing projects including LEAP, CONNECTED,
Galway County Council	GL 4.1	Cities4Forests etc.

		Support farmers in the shift toward low-carbon and climate-resilient agricultural practices, including innovative farming practices such as paludiculture. Work with relevant agencies to develop and implement a joined-up awareness/knowledge transfer strategy for the agricultural and food sectors. Develop a tool kit and training programme for engagement during
Galway County Council	LN 1.1	routine farm visits.
Galway County Council	LN 2.7	Support citizen science projects to target climate-sensitive species and habitats
Galway County Council	TR 1.5	Support and promote community mobility schemes including bike share schemes, mobility hubs, bike libraries, community EV carsharing and EV charging, carpooling, and community taxis.
Galway County Council	TR 1.8	Support the Safer Routes to Schools programme and School Streets Initiative, providing education and training on cycle buses and walking buses. Investigate the feasibility of infrastructure requests from Walkability Audits and Cyclability audits carried out by Green Schools and others. Collaborate with Green Schools Travel Team to support Active Travel Initiatives including 'no-idling' campaigns and Park 'n' Stride schemes.
Galway County Council	CP 1.1	Support Community Action in the areas of community energy projects, travel, shopping and recycling, environmental action and food and waste including community gardens. Administer Community Climate Action Fund and support communities in the implementation of the projects.
Galway County Council	CP 1.3	Establish network of communities to disseminate information from the DZ areas across the country (CONNECTED Project). Work in partnership with the PPN to encourage and support climate action in the community. Consider the inclusion of additional categories related to Climate Action in the Cathaoirleach Awards.
Galway County Council	CP 1.5	Engage with the GAA 'Green Club Programme' on sustainability and climate action projects.
Galway County Council	CP 1.7	Support the SEAI Sustainable Energy Communities Program and the development and updating of Energy Master Plans.
Galway County Council	CP 1.9	Encourage Climate Action within Creative Arts programmes and support relevant projects.
Galway County Council	CP 1.10	Support businesses to become more aware of their climate responsibilities and risks, as well as the commercial opportunities arising from sustainability and evolving consumer sentiment. Support businesses to carry out energy assessments and complete sustainability plans.
Galway County Council	CP 1.12	Support the Green Schools initiative and enable an increase in the number of schools actively participating
Galway County Council	CE 1.1	Support circular initiatives such as prevention, reuse, repair and recycling of resources. Support the development of cooperative, community-owned and other collaborative ventures to foster more effective use and sharing of resources.
Kerry County Council	2.1.6	Prepare a guidance document and training for Council staff on the importance of the sustainable management of hedgerows and riparian areas. Once complete engage with relevant sub-contractors on sustainable management techniques.
Kerry County Council	2.1.7	Support existing citizen science initiatives, including those focusing on water quality, through the National Biodiversity Data Centre biodiversity recording scheme.

Kerry County Council	2.3.3	Collaborate with research being undertaken on the impacts of climate change on coastal areas and communicate results/findings.
Kerry County Council	2.4.8	Support community's initiatives/campaigns seeking to reduce all forms of waste
Kerry County Council	3.1.2	Work with partners to devise a policy to reduce waste generated at events held in the county
Kerry County Council	3.2.4	Increase water fountains in the community to promote refill over single use plastics
Kerry County Council	4.1.2	Increase community resilience by raising awareness of the likely impacts of climate change, whilst also focussing on remedial actions that may be taken within the community.
Kerry County Council	4.2.5	investigate an awards system or other initiative that acknowledges community climate action.
Kerry County Council	4.2.6	Work with community groups on Climate Resilience and Adaptation training and/or plan making.
Kerry County Council	4.2.7	Engage with stakeholders to draw down funding for research into climate action in land use/spatial planning and the bioeconomy.
Kerry County Council	4.3.1	Work with education providers/community groups to raise awareness of climate action through local Climatic Action Clinics/seminars/workshops/Climate Ambassadors.
Kerry County Council	4.4.4	Work with communities under threat from climate change (e.g., coastal communities) taking learnings from community-based adaptation practitioners
Kerry County Council	4.5.1	Undertake a communication strategy that will provide clear messaging on climate action.
Kerry County Council	4.5.2	Support communities to access specialist/expert information on climate action and to share this information across all forms of media.
Kerry County Council	4.5.4	Communicate the co-benefits of sustainable mobility including active travel to communities.
Kerry County Council	5.2.4	Organise Annual Climate Week for KCC Staff.
Kerry County Council	5.4.5	Identify options for improving the sustainability of KCC organised events/festivals
Kerry County Council	5.6.4	Encourage community and sectoral participation in the SEAI Sustainable Energy Communities programme, whilst promoting the need for supported projects to comply with relevant planning and environmental protection requirements, including biodiversity, protected species, European site and heritage conservation requirements.
Kildare County Council	G2	Ensure that the Council is sufficiently resourced to implement this Plan, to lead locally and engage citizens on climate change and biodiversity and to promote Council workforce behaviours in procurement, development, planning, etc.
Kildare County Council	G4	Promote greater community and business engagement on climate action, circular economy, energy, water conservation, sustainable mobility and biodiversity through events such as Earth Hour and the Community Climate Action Officer, Climate

		Team and support tools to enable the required behaviour change. The LEO will promote Green Micro, Lean programmes, focused Energy Efficiency Briefing Series and capital programmes demonstrating circular economy principles with a focus on SMEs
Kildare County Council	N6	Support existing citizen science initiatives including those focusing on water quality through the National Biodiversity Data Centre biodiversity recording through training of public/stakeholders and publicising
Kildare County Council	N12	Support the Green Schools and Heritage in Schools programme to promote biodiversity and climate issues to schools.
Kildare County Council	N19	Support farmers in the shift toward a low-carbon and climate resilient agriculture sector in County Kildare including the diversification of farming practices to increased tillage, horticulture or alternative land uses
Kildare County Council	N20	Support and promote the Signpost Advisory Programme to support climate and sustainability actions on farms.
Kildare County Council	N22	Support farmers in reducing chemical nitrogen fertiliser use by 20% by 2030, increasing the use of protected urea and increasing the uptake of low emission slurry spreading to 90% of farms.
Kildare County Council	N23	Provide technical supports to farming enterprises in the development of biomethane from Anaerobic Digestion, including guidance on planning and environmental protection requirements.
Kildare County Council	N24	Promote innovative solutions in the agri-food sector to reduce the carbon intensity of agrifood products on Kildare farm enterprises.
Kildare County Council	N25	Develop pesticide use policy for the County, ensuring these substances are only used to a degree that does not cause significant effects on the receiving environment, such as the receiving water environment, biodiversity or European sites.
Kildare County Council	N26	Support farmers in reducing the crude protein content of animal feed, increasing the focus on low-methane traits within animal breeding programmes and encouraging processors and farmers to reduce the average age of slaughter to 24 – 25 months from the current average of 26.5 months.
Kildare County Council	N27	Explore the feasibility of the development of allotments and community gardens in the County to support sustainable food production.
Kildare County Council	R3	Identify ways to provide training and information support for community groups/ community event organisers on Climate Action measures, for example those relating to water conservation/ rainwater harvesting, nature-based solutions, circular economy, active travel, sustainable mobility and sustainable event planning, etc,
Kildare County Council	R5	Encourage a community response to enable biodiversity and water conservation in the community, in association with groups such as the 'Tidy Towns', through innovative measures such as competitions, events and training.
		Guided by the Memorandum of Understanding signed between the GAA and CCMA, towards working together on sustainability and climate action projects, engage with the 'Green Club Programme' through a nominated lead, working with the CARO and GAA, in the promotion and support of projects by participating clubs, to meet the objectives, and during key
Kildare County Council	R6	phases, of the programme to 2029.

		Support artists, organisations and communities to consider and adopt best practice in their work with regard to global
Kildare County Council	R7	challenges such as climate, water, environment, mobility and biodiversity and maximise the library network, educational resources and planning
Kildare County Council	R17	Support collaborative and sector specific research into relevant climate adaptation strategies relevant to the County and increase engagement and collaboration between all neighbouring local authorities Uisce Eireann, Group Water Schemes and small private supplies to support county wide water conservation initiatives and adaptation measures during drought conditions.
Kildare County Council	R19	Support the programme for a free energy report for householders in the Just Transition area to provide advice on options for retrofit and free support for accessing grants such as the 'better energy communities' and 'national retrofit' grants, whilst advocating and exerting influence to ensure appropriate regard is had to the need to protect and conserve protected structures during retrofitting.
Kildare County Council	R20	Support Just Transition projects with a climate focus, such as the Midlands Bioenergy Development Project within the County, whilst advocating and exerting influence to ensure such projects promote climate action co-benefits and do not contravene relevant environmental protection criteria or cause significant negative environmental effects.
Kildare County Council	R21	Support innovation in rural economic development and enterprise through the diversification of the rural economy into new sectors and services, including those addressing climate change and sustainability.
Kildare County Council	R23	Organise capacity building training on all aspects of climate and biodiversity for community groups and internal staff, including sharing of experiences and use of exemplar projects and demonstration sites
Kildare County Council	S11	Implement a wider roll out of segregated brown bin collection systems across the County to capture this resource for treatment in Anaerobic Digestion plants for recovery of biomethane in line with the National Waste Management Plan for a Circular Economy
Kildare County Council	S13	Support the circular initiatives such as prevention, reuse, repair and recycling of resources to minimise waste treatment at waste to energy plants or landfills. Undertake a feasibility study to create a 'Bring/Take' centre within a key hub in the County, ensuring the study has appropriate regard to planning, waste management and environmental requirements, considerations and constraints
Kildare County Council	S14	Implement and promote equipment sharing hubs for (seeds, toys, garden equipment, power tools, etc.) within the County to support community ownership and reduce consumption.
Kildare County Council	S16	Promote and enable industrial symbiosis between commercial operators to minimise waste and increase circularity.
Kilkenny County Council	1.8	Collaborate with national, regional and local stakeholders and partners on climate action delivery
Kilkenny County Council	2.14	Communicate, raise awareness and encourage participation in sustainable and active travel

Kilkenny County Council	4.2	Support communities to deliver local climate and sustainability actions, through grant schemes and programmes such as Sustainable Energy Communities, Tidy Towns, GAA Green Clubs, Green Schools and Heritage in Schools, Heritage Week, Heritage Grants, National Biodiversity Week, Creative Ireland and Cruinnui na nOg
Kilkenny County Council	4.3	Work with communities to identify, map and record local cultural heritage sites / areas/ traditions/ practises where loss due to climate change is likely/inevitable
Kilkenny County Council	4.4	Support climate awareness and resilience through the Healthy Ireland Programme and other relevant health programmes.
Kilkenny County Council	4.6	Design and deliver an arts programmes which supports young people, communities and artists to creatively and positively respond to climate change
Kilkenny County Council	4.7	Engage with communities on climate change risks through Fire Safety Talks and Primary Schools Fire Awareness Programme
Kilkenny County Council	4.8	Deliver an educational and awareness programme, through the Library Service, on climate action, sustainability, biodiversity and the circular economy, by providing workshops, information clinics, citizen science kits, home energy kits, books, digital resources, educational programmes, and events for festivals/themes (e.g. Science Week, Sustainable Development Goals Week etc)
Kilkenny County Council	4.9	Empower communities, through the Library Service, to reduce consumption and waste by facilitating the borrowing of books, tools and other items; hosting repair and up/recycling workshops; and providing makerspace technology (3D printers and sowing machines) to reuse and repurpose goods.
Kilkenny County Council	4.11	Support and collaborate with the education sector to provide information, training and educational programmes on local climate action, and to undertake research
Kilkenny County Council	4.13	Provide information and advice to communities, businesses and other stakeholders to support local climate action, via Council networks
Laois County Council	30	Laois County Council will establish a safe and accessible "Learn to Cycle" facility to promote cycling skills and confidence, fostering a culture of active travel and sustainable mobility within the community
Laois County Council	41	Laois County Council will erect signage to support active travel; this will include "distance" and "time to actively travel to" signage as pilot in Portlaoise by 2024. If successful, Laois County Council will roll out around the county in towns over 5,000 population.
Laois County Council	52	Laois County Council will appoint a Cycling Officer to lead on promoting active travel
Laois County Council	53	Laois County Council will support piloting a Bike library.
Lagis County Coursell	F0	Laois County Council will continued engagement with, and support roll out of the Safe Routes to School Programme in conjunction with An Taisce - Active travel developments will continue to be carried out in a manner that has due regard to environmental sensitivities (such as local human receptors, Biodiversity, European sites, water quality and hydrology,
Laois County Council	59	existing traffic and transport conditions and amenity value).

79	Laois County Council will implement the Community Climate Action Fund to engage communities in local, community-led Climate Action projects.
80	Laois County Council will, where feasible under the constraints of grant aided programmes, include 'Sustainability and Climate Change' scoring on relevant grant assessments. This will encourage community groups/ stakeholders to consider and incorporate Climate Mitigation and Adaptation in their grant funded activities.
84	Laois County Council will continue to deliver countywide climate-related educational and awareness information events, communication campaigns and guidance documentation.
85	Laois County Council will continue to actively engage with Community/Voluntary organisations, including groups representing youth and older people, to help develop community-led climate actions.
90	Laois County Council will promote and support the development of Eco-Tourism Training for individuals, groups and businesses.
93	Laois County Council will continue to promote climate action and green skills in training and education in partnership with Laois Offaly Education and Training Board (LOETB) and Local Enterprise Offices (LEOs).
94	Laois County Council will continue cooperation with second level schools in Laois to maintain Climate Literacy courses for transition year students.
95	Laois County Council will continue to implement re-use initiatives in the county libraries supporting the circular economy.
96	Laois County Council will continue to make available Home Energy Kits for the public to borrow through their local libraries.
99	Laois County Council will conduct trials of diverse behavioural change programs aimed at supporting and encouraging active travel, with the purpose of facilitating a smooth transition towards sustainable mobility options within the community.
102	Laois County Council will work with Laois Sports Partnership on activation programmes for new active travel routes.
112	Through Healthy Ireland, Age Friendly, and Sports programmes Laois County Council will continue to support healthy and active lifestyles, making it easier for people to use active travel opportunities.
GL 16	Update library educational stock with current climate action information where available. Continue to update material as necessary. Run Library events and workshops that promote climate literacy.
B 29	Develop and promote initiatives to encourage sustainable mobility transport modes within the county. Engage with multimodal facilitators regarding suitability and implementation of such initiatives in appropriate towns. For example, Last Green Mile bus shelters and cycle shelters.
B 31	Increase the number of safe routes to school schemes in the county. Promotion of schemes and engagement with Boards Management having due regard to environmental Sensitivities such as the receiving water environment, biodiversity, European Sites, local air quality and cultural heritage.
B 32	Promote and encourage a modal shift by raising awareness of Active Travel Infrastructure throughout County Leitrim.
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		Promote the cycle to work scheme to encourage the use of bicycles to travel to / from work. Encourage the use of carpooling
Leitrim County Council	B 42	/ lift sharing.
Leitrim County Council	N 2	Deliver climate themed events and ensure sustainability and climate action are integrated into all events through the development of local authority wide policy on events e.g. Heritage week / Biodiversity week / Science week / Hedgerow week / Climate Action week.
Leitrim County Council	N 9	Develop an awareness raising campaign for the management of native hedgerows and implement recommendations from hedgerow appraisal survey where appropriate.
Leitrim County Council	CRT 1	Implement an awareness campaign to educate the public on climate change mitigation and adaptation measures including the circular economy, promotion biodiversity, water conservation and carbon reduction initiatives. Promote various funding streams and grants to assist homes, communities and businesses to implement positive climate actions.
Leitrim County Council	CRT 4	Support artists, organisations, and communities to consider and adopt best practice in their work with regard to climate challenges such as carbon reduction, circular economy, water, environment and biodiversity.
Leitrim County Council	CRT 5	Encourage and support Tidy Towns organisations, festivals, and event's organisers to incorporate climate action and sustainability into all events.
Leitrim County Council	CRT 6	Encourage community groups particularly Tidy Towns to consider climate change mitigation and adaptation in their multi-annual plans and programs to reduce climatic risks in their communities.
Leitrim County Council	CRT 8	Raise awareness of the impacts of climate change and ways for communities to increase response and resilience to these impacts.
Leitrim County Council	CRT 11	Supporting community groups to develop climate awareness projects such as bike repair workshops, clothes swaps, community garden green festivals.
Leitrim County Council	CRT 12	Promote LEADER projects on sustainability through Local Community Development Committees (LCDC).
Leitrim County Council	CRT 13	Promote dedicated climate action information on Leitrim County Council website.
Leitrim County Council	CRT 15	Engage with youth groups and schools to raise awareness of climate issues and promote positive climate action initiatives.  Organise school competitions to promote biodiversity, climate mitigation and adaptation.
Leitrim County Council	CRT 17	Engage, promote and support the Green Clubs programme amongst GAA clubs in the County.
Leitrim County Council	CRT 18	Liaise and collaborate with the CARO and the EPA on the implementation of the National Dialogue on Climate Action.
Leitrim County Council	CRT 19	Support the Green Schools and Heritage in Schools programme to promote biodiversity and climate issues to schools.
Leitrim County Council	CRT 20	Engage with schools and An Taisce, provide resources and funding to deliver green flags and endeavour to help schools achieve green schools' status.
Leitrim County Council	CRT 21	Develop a Seed Library within the Leitrim County Council Libraries

		Develop and implement an annual environmental awareness campaign incorporating the objectives of the National Waste
Leitrim County Council	SR 1	Management Plan for a Circular Economy.
Leitrim County Council	SR 3	Continued promotion of circular economy strategies for communities through engagement with community networks.
Leitrim County Council	SR 6	Implement a wider roll out of segregated brown bin collection systems across the County to capture this resource for treatment in Anaerobic Digestion plants for recovery of biomethane in line with the National Waste Management Plan for a Circular Economy. Countywide Awareness Campaign in relation to roll out of Brown Bin using Radio, Print and Social Media.
Leitrim County Council	SR 13	Promote greater community and business engagement on climate action, circular economy, energy, water conservation, sustainable mobility and biodiversity through the Community Climate Action Officer, Climate Team and support tools to enable the required behaviour change. The LEO will promote Green Micro, Lean programmes, focused Energy Efficiency Briefing Series and capital programmes demonstrating circular economy principles with a focus on SMEs.
Limerick City & County Council	Т6	Continue to promote active travel, for a wide range of ages, abilities and journey types, utilising LCCC's active travel website, social media and events.
Limerick City & County Council	T 20	Appoint a dedicated Walking and Cycling Officer within the Local Authority
Limerick City & County Council	B 8	Partner with the Chamber of Commerce to encourage businesses to carry out energy efficiency upgrade works to their premises and to reduce their carbon emissions.
Limerick City & County Council	C 1	Deliver an education and awareness building programme which includes a suite of engagement tools to support community capacity building.
Limerick City & County Council	C 2	Increase participation in the Green-Schools programme in Limerick City and County.
Limerick City & County Council	C 3	Create a new Citizen Innovation lab on the Innovative Limerick campus with the support of the URDF funding.
Limerick City & County Council	C 4	Develop a new digital platform for the Citizen Innovation Lab that can actively support and enable communities collaborate and activate their Climate Action Plans.
Limerick City & County Council	C 6	Develop Cultural, social, recreational & environmental initiatives to promote integration of different cultural communities into implementation of climate action initiatives.
Limerick City & County Council	C 7	Complete the SMARTLABs SEAI supported project which supports up to 100 residents / property owners better understand their energy usage and promotes behavioural change to reduce overall energy consumption.
Limerick City & County Council	C 8	Develop Group-based programmes and activities to build social and environmental inclusion.
Limerick City & County Council	C 9	Utilise the facilities of the CIL and other programmes to encourage communities to form SECs. Facilitate project adherence to planning and environmental protection requirements.

Limerick City & County		
Council	C 12	Deliver Engagement programmes regarding funding opportunities and local development.
Limerick City & County		Partner with community groups/organisations/academic institutes (green schools) in designing amenities and services for
Council	C 14	them and involve them in the decision-making.
Limerick City & County		
Council	N 13	Support Citizen Science projects that target our natural environment.
Limerick City & County		
Council	N 14	Create Engagement Sessions for communities on how to develop their Town/Village Biodiversity Plans.
Longford County Council	30	Longford County Council will engage, support, and collaborate with the National Parks and Wildlife Service in the review of biodiversity and habitat conservation strategies.
Longford County Council	33	Longford County Council will continue to actively engage, listen to, and collaborate with citizens and key stakeholders on climate actions.
Longford County Council	34	Longford County Council will strongly engage and support community climate action initiatives.
Longford County Council	38	Longford County Council will play an active role in supporting and seeking opportunities to promote climate action through the Arts, Culture and Creativity.
Longford County Council	46	Longford County Council will promote the circular economy.
Louth County Council	GL 6	Using Louth County Council's robust network of community engagement mechanisms foster a stronger awareness of climate action within the county.
Louth County Council	NEGI 3	Provide support to add value to the green schools' program through funding if available and outreach projects.
Louth County Council	NEGI 5	Support existing citizen science initiatives through the National Biodiversity Data Centre biodiversity recording through training of public/stakeholders and publicising schemes and resources.
Louth County Council	CRT 2	Energise the creative & arts sector to inspire behavioural change and positive climate action by implementing the Creative Ireland Plan
Louth County Council	CRT 6	To be a focal point and knowledge hub for local communities and citizens of Louth wishing to further their climate actions. Host information material and be available to answer queries and assist where resources allow. Carry out climate literacy events throughout each year
Louth County Council	CRT 8	Improve Circular Economy Awareness among the people and business of Louth
Louth County Council	SRM 3	Deliver a series of energy efficiency and management workshops for small and medium businesses in County Louth to help them meet their sectorial targets under the nation's decarbonising plan
Louth County Council	SRM 12	Support and promote 're-turn' scheme

Mayo County Council	19	Deliver climate and biodiversity capacity-building training, initiatives, clinics, and events for community groups.
		Manage and resource an adequate Climate Emergency Response procedure, providing community training and information,
		ensuring clear communication of climate related incidents providing key focus on groups vulnerable to climate change
Mayo County Council	23	events.
Mayo County Council	26	Continue to promote environmental awareness by working with schools, communities, farmers, businesses, youth groups
Mayo County Council	28	The Communications department of Mayo County Council will promote relevant campaigns, projects and stories to raise awareness and encourage communities and citizens to develop their own climate adaptation and mitigation project.
Meath County Council	GL 13	Ensure readily available information, advice, knowledge and awareness of climate friendly actions via LA Climate Action Website and social media posts.
Meath County Council	CRT 6	Promote and publicise the benefits of using the Home Energy Kits from the Library.
		Develop and provide information on Sustainable Living to engage Council Tenants on how they can reduce consumption of
Meath County Council	CRT 11	energy, water, and waste.
Meath County Council	SR 4	Engage with businesses and residents to support adoption of reused and recycled materials.
Monaghan County		Provide clear and coordinated communications campaigns to help raise public awareness and engagement on Climate
Council	GL 6	Action and delivery of MCC's Climate Action Plan.
Monaghan County		Build expertise and capacity within MCC to deliver on climate action targets through targeted and training programmes on
Council	GL 8	Climate Action.
		Continue Internal and external engagement to promote modal shift to active travel; whilst advocating and exerting influence
Monaghan County		to ensure due regard is had to environmental sensitivities such as the receiving water environment, biodiversity, European
Council	T 12	sites local air quality, and cultural heritage.
Monaghan County		Promote specific talks or workshops for farmers on High Nature Value farming practices to enable practical skills to be
Council	NEGI 11	shared.
Monaghan County		Explore opportunities for deeper engagement with the Agriculture Sector on Environmental and Climate issues and potential
Council	NEGI 12	local interventions to protect and/or improve water quality, biodiversity, and other environmental assets.
Monaghan County	CDT 2	
Council	CRT 3	Support communities to access funding for environmentally sustainable projects or action on climate change.
Monaghan County	CDT C	Davida a community alletes art strates.
Council	CRT 6	Develop community allotment strategy.
Monaghan County	CDT 7	Support the roll out of Creative Ireland climate action funding to incorporate the arts into climate action community
Council	CRT 7	engagement.

Monaghan County Council	CRT 10	Use the Green Efficiency Grant to empower businesses to implement green technology solutions, whilst advocating and exerting influence to ensure supported renewable energy development does not contravene relevant environmental protection criteria or cause significant negative environmental effects.
Monaghan County Council	CRT 16	Empower communities to achieve their sustainability and climate goals through climate-related educational and awareness programmes to include information events, communication campaigns and guidance documentation.
Monaghan County Council	SRM 1	Implement environmental, climate and water conservation education activities, promotional campaigns, and environmental improvement initiatives in the community.
Monaghan County Council	SRM 5	Increase awareness of repairmystuff website to reduce waste and promote the circular economy throughout the county.
Monaghan County Council	SRM 14	Continue environmental awareness programmes such as the "Anti-Dumping initiatives" Bulky waste collections" and "hazardous waste collections".
Monaghan County Council	SRM 15	Enable improvement in air quality through enforcement of air related legislation, particularly; · The Air Pollution Act. · The Solid Fuels Regulations. · The Deco Paints Regulations. · The Solvent Regulations. · The Petroleum Vapour Regulations.
Offaly County Council	GL 3.1	Ensure capacity and training, within the local authority, to deliver on climate action targets is enhanced / maintained by providing relevant climate action training to local authority staff when required.
Offaly County Council	T 3.3.5	Promote and support National Campaigns such as Marchathon & Walktober to help promote modal shifts
Offaly County Council	NE 4.1.8	Develop citizen science project to target climate sensitive species
Offaly County Council	NE 4.1.9	Increase climate themed events for national events such as National Heritage Week and National Biodiversity Week.
Offaly County Council	C 5.1.2	Organise capacity building training on all aspects of climate and biodiversity for community groups, including sharing of experiences and use of exemplar projects and demonstration sites
Offaly County Council	C 5.1.3	Conduct a feasibility study for a Church Hill "Climate Park" investigating biodiversity enhancement, community power, river park, rain playground
Offaly County Council	C 5.1.4	Offaly County Councils Tidy Towns Network holds a minimum of three annual meetings to promote biodiversity and climate action awareness to Tidy Towns Groups and to support entries in the Tidy Towns National Competition
Offaly County Council	C 5.1.5	Offaly County Council supports three Community Groups in the Annual Pride of Place Competition. A key element of the judging is the groups implementation of climate action measures.
Offaly County Council	C 5.1.6	Raise awareness and provide climate action training and workshops through the Public Participation Network for community, voluntary groups and marginalised groups.
Offaly County Council	C 5.1.8	Offaly Library Service is committed to providing reading materials, collections and resources that support sustainable development and climate action.

Offaly County Council	C 5.1.9	Offaly Library Service is committed to programming educational events and information sessions promoting awareness of climate action, the environment and sustainable development.
Offaly County Council	C 5.1.10	Age Friendly Programme - Provision of digital skills training for older people.
Offaly County Council	C 5.2.1	Disadvantaged groups and areas are encouraged to implement climate actions as part of the SICAP Programme
Offaly County Council	C 5.2.8	Develop project combining heritage and creative arts to address climate anxiety.
Offaly County Council	C 5.2.9	Develop citizen science project with communities on a climate related subject.
Offaly County Council	C 5.2.10	Guided by the Memorandum of Understanding signed between the GAA and CCMA, towards working together on sustainability and climate action projects, engage with the Green Club Programme through a nominated lead, working with the CARO and GAA, in the promotion and support of projects by participating clubs, to meet the objectives, and during key phases, of the programme to 2029.
Offaly County Council	S 6.1.8	Promote litter/waste awareness initiatives in accordance with the Councils Litter Management Plan 2022-2024 and the National Waste Management Plan
Offaly County Council	S 6.2.1	Develop clear and targeted communications campaigns to ensure easy access to information on what can be recycled. Use positive and engaging messages that will resonate with citizens (e.g., cost savings, sustainability and job creation)
Offaly County Council	S 6.3.3	Offaly County Council to promote a move away from "single use" cups for hot beverages towards "Bring Your Own" and collaborate with relevant stakeholders such as Chambers of Commerce, Tidy Towns, Credit Unions and others to support local businesses to move towards sustainable alternatives i.e. 2GoCup or similar.
Roscommon County Council	GL2	Engage with the existing range of community capacity building supports to progress Climate Action initiatives in a consolidated way, ensure that stakeholders can engage with support service providers, funding streams and tailored advice to develop, mobilise and deliver projects
Roscommon County Council	BET13	Continue the Community Climate Action Programme to identify, support and showcase locally based Climate Action initiatives in line with scheme guidelines/themes. Feed outcomes/results to upwards in support of national policy.
Roscommon County Council	NEGI 2	Establish holistic linkages between existing, planned and proposed amenity infrastructure and heritage assets within the county to enhance archaeological protection, biodiversity (wildlife corridors), flood resilience (ecosystem services) and increase public awareness (immersion in nature/heritage), whilst promoting the adoption nature-based solutions and SUDs as appropriate, avoidance of habitat fragmentation, and adherence to environmental protection requirements
Roscommon County Council	NEGI 3	Engage with stakeholders in peatland and forestry management to align with heritage policy and RCC emergency services fire prevention and response provisions. Prepare guidelines for stakeholder use as appropriate. Engage peatland and forestry stakeholders with initiatives and community projects, identify synergies with JTF programme and areas of "added value" for local communities; whilst advocating and exerting influence to ensure such projects promote Climate Action co-benefits and do not contravene relevant environmental protection criteria or cause significant negative environmental effects.

Roscommon County		
Council	NEGI 5	Highlight Climate Action issues throughout the RCC event calendar including Arts, Sports, heritage and biodiversity events
Roscommon County Council	NEGI 6	Engage with external stakeholders, including semi-state bodies, communities, NGOs and private developers to realise renewable energy ambitions and agricultural emissions reductions set out at national, regional and local level, whilst advocating and exerting influence to ensure such projects promote Climate Action co-benefits and do not contravene relevant environmental protection criteria or cause significant negative environmental effects.
Roscommon County Council	NEGI 8	Implement the tree management strategy with a focus on native trees to promote enhanced canopy cover within the County including tree protection measures and planting programmes in Local Authority property. Roll out internal training programmes for relevant council staff and contractors and externally for communities, landowners and potential developers on appropriate planting and maintenance for canopy preservation and biodiversity enhancement. Investigate potential system to monitor planting regimes.
Roscommon County Council	NEGI 9	Continue and expand the source protection programme as part of rural water operations. Incorporate the award-winning project into the Climate Action programme as a successful template for cooperative action between local authorities, communities and state agencies
Roscommon County Council	CRT 1	Identify gaps in support for communities in achieving their climate ambition in the areas of placemaking, economic development and employment generation, agriculture, mobility, tourism and heritage, social enterprise, retail, commerce, industry, waste management and the circular economy and renewable energy development. Engage externally and internally to address these
Roscommon County Council	CRT 2	Promote innovation, research and capacity building in the Climate Action area in conjunction with the local authority departments, communities and external agencies, including 3rd level institutions and sporting organisations, including engagement with the Green Club Programme, working with the CARO and GAA, in the promotion and support of projects by participating clubs, to meet the objectives, and during key phases of the programme to 2029
Roscommon County Council	CRT 4	Climate Action proof community grants administered by Roscommon County Council, prioritising projects that can demonstrate improvements in waste minimization, circular economy, energy savings, renewables and behavioural change.
Roscommon County Council	CRT 7	Identify, engage with and support communities most affected by the just transition process in Roscommon, including those employed in the former peat-based electricity generation and processing and associated peat related industry which has now ceased.
Roscommon County Council	SRM 4	Develop and implement multi-faceted campaigns on the practical need for behavioural change at all levels, work, home and recreation in order to achieve Climate Action ambitions.
Sligo County Council	24	Continue to work with ATU to establish and support a climate forum for young people
Sligo County Council	25	Support and participate in regular public events that will improve awareness around the impacts of climate change and ways that we can adapt. Work with PPN to identify relevant topics & communities with a key focus on message and communicating to vulnerable groups

South Dublin County Council	E 11	Develop tenant energy awareness toolkit to provide climate / energy awareness and training for the operation of the new energy systems installed.
South Dublin County Council	T 11	In addition to the statutory and non-statutory consultations, upon the launch of a proposed new active travel scheme, where appropriate and as needed, public meetings will be held and information leaflets will be distributed in the areas informing all residents of the details and benefits of such schemes.
South Dublin County Council	T 12	Implement the Safe Routes To School Programme and implement the School Streets Initiative and to ensure that individual communications plans are prepared and executed for each Safe Routes to School project. These plans, in consultation with An Taisce and where appropriate and as needed, could include communications to local residents and to the school community before delivery, during delivery and following completion.
South Dublin County Council	CE 1	Deliver climate education programme for primary and secondary schools, including ongoing delivery of the Green Schools programme and Eco Week.
South Dublin County Council	CE 2	Deliver Dublin Climate Action Week annually.
South Dublin County Council	CE 3	Engage with communities and businesses across South Dublin through workshops/presentations. To increase understanding of climate change.
South Dublin County Council	CE 4	Use targeted campaigns to increase knowledge of climate issues, for example, National Food Waste, Recycling Week, World Water Day, etc.
South Dublin County Council	CE 5	Monitor and develop the Home Energy Savings Kit scheme in SDCC libraries, including developing a youth friendly version, with a potential rollout in schools.
South Dublin County Council	CE 6	Identify opportunities to utilize libraries in South Dublin as Climate Hubs.
South Dublin County Council	CE 7	Engage with communities and residents across the County, through local pop-up awareness raising events, on home energy upgrades, funding and other supports available.
South Dublin County Council	CE 8	Publish the SDCC Climate Change Newsletter – 3 newsletters per year.
South Dublin County Council	CE 9	Maintain and develop the SDCC Climate Action Website.
South Dublin County Council	CE 10	Use SDCC Social Media platforms to disseminate climate messages.
South Dublin County Council	CE 11	Support the Sustainable Energy Authority of Ireland's (SEAI) Sustainable Energy Communities Programme in South Dublin by working with the Local Mentor. Where specific supported energy efficiency and renewable energy projects will not lead to unintended negative environmental effects in a local community.

South Dublin County Council	CE 14	Participate in the Council's Culture and Creativity Team to identify opportunities to work with local educational and arts organisations to consider climate action in their programmes.
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Council	CE 15	Strengthen existing networks and create new climate change links to encourage businesses to engage with climate action.
South Dublin County		Work with the IT department to identify opportunities where technology could be used to address climate issues, while also
Council	CE 20	leveraging the Smart Dublin programme.
South Dublin County		
Council	CE 21	Deliver the Community Climate Action Fund.
South Dublin County		
Council	CE 22	Support Tidy Towns initiatives which promote climate mitigation or adaptation measures.
South Dublin County Council	CE 23	Community Department to identify key opportunities to engage with communities throughout the county, working with the Climate Action Team.
South Dublin County		Work in collaboration with artists, and in partnership with the SDCC Climate Action Team, to develop creative art initiatives
Council	CE 24	that engage the population of the county in conversations about climate action.
Tipperary County		Show leadership by the publication and showcasing of our climate action measures and achievements and emissions
Council	17	reductions measures though our public awareness networks, community networks and partnerships.
Tipperary County Council	18	To fully utilise the existing networks, forums, relationships, influence and outreach of the Council, though its various services and functions to help relate the Climate Action message to stakeholders and communities and deliver on the collaborative outward facing actions as set out in this LACAP. In this respect, the Council will take a leading role in an outward facing committee of stakeholders (Sustainable Tipp) focused on the delivery of climate actions.
Tipperary County		Collaborate with stakeholders in Tipperary through the Strategic Policy Committees (SPC) to assist in an outreach to
Council	20	embedding climate action practices.
Tipperary County		Prepare a guidance document and training on the importance of, quality rating and sustainable management of the
Council	61	hedgerows of Tipperary, for Council staff and external stakeholders including farmers/landowners.
Tipperary County		Support existing citizen science initiatives including National Biodiversity Data Centre biodiversity recording through training
Council	62	of public/stakeholders and publicising schemes and resources.
Tipperary County		Organise capacity building training on climate action and biodiversity for community groups and stakeholders etc, including
Council	65	sharing of experiences and use of exemplar projects and demonstration sites.
Tipperary County		Enable children and youth to be more climate aware though the delivery of the services and functions of the Council, for
Council	72	example, the 'Green Schools' programme.
Tipperary County		Encourage a community response to enable biodiversity in the community, in association with groups such as the 'Tidy
Council	73	Towns,' through innovative measures such as competitions, events and training.

Tipperary County Council	76	Increase climate themed events for national events such as National Heritage Week, National Biodiversity Week, Crinniú na nÓg etc
Tipperary County Council	77	Support creativity and the arts in delivering the climate action message, including, implementation of the 'Culture and Creativity Strategies' objective on creative engagement for climate action
Tipperary County Council	78	Organise workshops on reducing household carbon footprint through cultural heritage knowledge.
Tipperary County Council	83	Incorporate and embed climate action/circular economy awareness into all Council-led educational programmes for example museum, libraries programmes, arts, culture and heritage, community development
Tipperary County Council	93	Through its wide range of sports networks and stakeholders, the Tipperary Sports Partnership will promote an ethos of sustainability and awareness of need for positive climate action.
Waterford City & County Council	1.8	Green Champion Award – In partnership with the Climate Action Team, devise a scheme to recognize Council employees engaged in activities which promote and improve climate action in the workplace.
Waterford City & County Council	2.12	Expand air quality monitoring programme to schools across the County
Waterford City & County Council	2.24	Support new privately owned regeneration through facilitating a cooperative community with a collective skillset to tackle renovation projects from within its own resources, building upon work conducted under the URDF
Waterford City & County Council	2.32	Make European Car Free Day/Clean Air Days/Bike Week part of the local agenda on an annual basis
Waterford City & County Council	2.51	Inclusion of appropriate records management in staff Green Team Challenge
Waterford City & County Council	2.58	Design an innovative and creative project to use archaeological (or other) sites to creatively engage local communities with climate change and heritage and to demonstrate the impacts of climate change
Waterford City & County Council	3.1	Conduct a public awareness campaign on maintenance of roadside trees to reduce unnecessary felling of healthy trees and loss of carbon stock. (inclusion of guidance in yearly letters)
Waterford City & County Council	3.13	Zostera (Seagrass) Bed survey in Dungarvan and Tramore followed by a protection and awareness programme and ongoing monitoring
Waterford City & County Council	3.22	Signpost farms towards the Teagasc emissions reduction programme on Farm Inspection Visits and collaborate with the Comeragh Uplands EIP project
Waterford City & County Council	3.23	Deliver a number of water protection projects focused on preventing nitrate runoff from farms. Produce a Climate Action Toolkit for farmers in partnership with Teagasc that can be shared on farm visits
Waterford City & County Council	3.26	Support and inform a climate-proofing programme for natural water resources to manage flooding at the catchment level.  Through advising the farming community and running information campaigns.

Waterford City & County Council	4.2	Support & encourage sustainable energy communities to engage in climate action at local level through the provision of Bridge funding for Energy master Plans under the MOU through the SEAI SEC Programme
Waterford City & County	1.2	Incorporating Climate Actions in Heritage Week, Biodiversity Week, Green Schools and Heritage in Schools (Run by Heritage
Council	4.3	Council)
Waterford City & County	7.5	Renewable Energy Use for festivals. Review affordability of HVO generators from local suppliers. Review infrastructure
Council	4.4	needed to put in mains power for future festivals
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Waterford City & County Council	4.5	Engagement/education plan for businesses about city centre transport & pedestrianisation using case study
Council	4.3	
		Develop an engagement/education plan for biodiversity/pollinator areas. Assign contact person Biodiversity/pollinator
		<ul><li>areas</li><li>water conservation/ rainwater harvesting, nature-based solutions,</li></ul>
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Waterford City & County		• active travel,
Council	4.6	• sustainable event planning etc
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Council	4.8	Develop a Toolkit for communities, organisations and employers to deliver climate action.
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Waterford City & County Council	4.9	Create regular Climate Communications to keep the public up to date on how they can contribute to Climate Action in Waterford
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Council	4.1	Develop an engagement/education plan for businesses on the circular economy i.e. how to better design, reuse and remake
Waterford City & County		Devise planning around "playful city" principles. E.g. Community Car Free afternoons on Sundays or on days of community
Council	4.11	festivals
Waterford City & County		
Council	4.12	Online application portal for Waterford Communities Funding
Waterford City & County		Increase in number of community gardens & rewilding projects within community greens or other spaces that are
Council	4.13	owned/maintained by the Council
Waterford City & County		
Council	4.17	Deliver a Carbon Neutral Waterford Business programme with businesses across the County
Waterford City & County		
Council	4.18	Put in place a Coast Guardians programme to report on local erosion and environmental issues to the Council
Waterford City & County		Deliver roaming "Climate Cafes" across Waterford where people can come to discuss Climate Change and the opportunities
Council	4.19	there are in their lives to save energy, access grants etc

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Waterford City & County Council	4.21	Climate action team presence at festivals to raise awareness of Climate issues and opportunities
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Council	4.25	Create a map on WatMaps where Climate Action locations and project details can be logged and accessed by the public
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Council	5.5	Facilitate Repair and Reuse pop-up shops across the County
Waterford City & County		
Council	5.6	Implement e-signatures for forms to save paper
Waterford City & County		
Council	5.1	Enhance the rollout of the bring bank sensor scheme
Waterford City & County		Run waste engagement campaigns through the library services including events such as seed library exchanges, clothes
Council	5.11	swaps and repair cafes
Westmeath County		Awareness campaigns regarding Energy Efficiency shall be undertaken with all Council tenants. New Tenants will receive an
Council	2.6	induction on the most efficient use of energy in the home.
Westmeath County		
Council	3.7	Public awareness campaigns to be undertaken to advise public on policy change regarding weed control.
Westmeath County	1	WCC to play a lead role in raising awareness of the impacts of climate change and to advise on possible positive actions to
Council	4.1	mitigate against Climate Change via targeted public information streams.
Council	7.1	WCC shall continuously engage with local citizens and collaborate with key stakeholders regarding Climate Action and will
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Westmeath County Council	4.2	seek to provide assistance and support to groups on their path to a low carbon, energy saving future through climate change
Council	4.2	mitigation and energy efficiency projects.
		WCC with engage with SEAI to seek to support the local SEC Network to assist with developing and implementing community
Westmeath County	4.2	initiatives which address emission reduction and energy efficiency, having due regard to environmental sensitivities such as
Council	4.3	the receiving water environment, biodiversity, European sites, local air quality, cultural heritage etc.
Westmeath County		WCC shall seek to promote Climate Action through Arts, Culture and Creativity. Raise awareness of climate change and
Council	4.4	sustainable living, by providing relevant information, resources and by hosting events e.g. Workshops.
		WCC shall release a call for Expressions of Interest from community groups to help them to improve their capacity to respond
		to and recover from extreme weather events with specific aims to:
		<ul> <li>help the vulnerable community to develop a stronger facilitating role for mitigating risks</li> </ul>
		<ul> <li>provide advice on the risk of extreme events affecting their locality</li> </ul>
		devise mitigating actions to enhance preparedness
		• provide support to develop appropriate resilience arrangements to enable response and recovery
Westmeath County		The programme will be designed and implemented to include Sustainable Urban Drainage Systems (SUDS), nature-based
Council	4.7	solutions, protection of biodiversity and avoidance of habitat fragmentation.

Westmeath County		WCC LEO will actively promote hot desking and e-working facilities in the county and will work in conjunction with providers
Council	4.8	of these facilities.
Westmeath County Council	4.11	Continue to encourage and support the local production and distribution of food and natural produce (building on food circle initiatives) by engaging with and facilitating farmers markets, local food trails, community gardens, allotments and urban orchards at suitable locations around Westmeath.
Westmeath County Council	5.6	Develop a strategy to encourage a circular economy in Westmeath in partnership with Social Enterprise/Community Enterprise, whilst ensuring waste management activities are undertaken in accordance with the Waste Management Act and in a manner that does not result in negative environmental impacts or nuisance.
Wexford County Council	GL 6	Promote Mapalerter to increase the number of registered users and raise awareness among the public and target groups of the various communication channels available in advance of extreme weather events
Wexford County Council	GL 9	Promote & incorporate Climate Action Awareness and Energy Awareness and alignment with the Sustainable Development Goals (SDGs) with:  a) training all new and existing staff within Wexford County Council b) with the people of Wexford
Wexford County Council	BET 9	Support the roll out Active travel initiatives and promote a modal shift to more sustainable travel through:  a) Pathfinder projects - 3 interconnecting schemes - Newtown Road, Beech Lawns/Clonard and Roxborough, Wexford Town.  b) Safer Routes to schools' schemes across County Wexford. Twenty-six schools in conjunction with the National Transport Authority and An Taisce.  c) Installation of segregated cycle path and footpath as part of Oaklands to Kents Cross New Ross Active Travel Scheme having due regard to environmental sensitivities such as the receiving water environment, biodiversity, European sites, local air quality, cultural heritage
Wexford County Council	BET 10	Promote walking and cycling programmes through the Active Travel Team, Sports Active Team and increase the availability of outdoor recreation throughout the county through the Outdoor Recreation Infrastructure Scheme having due regard to environmental sensitivities such as the receiving water environment, biodiversity, European sites, local air quality, cultural heritage
Wexford County Council	BET 16	Roll out of the Smarter Travel Pathfinder Programme to encourage employees, students & visitors to walk, cycle, use public transport, carpool, or reduce trips though 'smarter working'
Wexford County Council	BET 28	Take steps to reduce IT equipment energy consumption, via energy savings awareness among staff and automatic shutdown of computers on the network
Wexford County Council	BET 31	Energy Awareness programme to be run with social housing tenants in relation to energy efficiency measures in the home and correct use of heat pumps (as appropriate) and investigate the possibility of Energy Awareness award system
Wexford County Council	NEGI 18	Promote Water Conservation in the community and businesses by liaising with Uisce Eireann Stewardship programme and the Local Enterprise Office as well a Public Participation Network

Wexford County Council	NEGI 19	Liaise & collaborate with Teagasc and other advisors to influence and advocate towards more sustainable agricultural and forestry practices including signpost programmes and Forestry Schemes.
Wexford County Council	NEGI 21	Implement a collaboration project with a series of "champion farmer" events around the county to showcase what agriculture and forestry is doing for climate change, water quality and biodiversity
Wexford County Council	NEGI 25	Promote the "Leave no Trace" scheme in place for beaches and natural environment to increase awareness and promote and inspire responsible outdoor recreation through education, research and partnerships
Wexford County Council	NEGI 26	Support and encourage communities to plant native trees through awareness, and Trees for Wexford Campaign
Wexford County Council	CRT 1	Encourage community groups to pursue climate action projects at local level through the Community Climate Action Programme (CCAP) and support & facilitate them in accessing funding through various channels/initiatives
Wexford County Council	CRT 2	Organise and host themed events based on areas such as energy saving and energy use reduction, renewable energy, biodiversity, climate literacy, sustainable lifestyles, environmental awareness, climate action health and wellbeing projects and sustainable development goals, to actively and equitably participate in climate action
Wexford County Council	CRT 4	To expand the environment education schools programme to include climate literacy / climate action in particular engagement with secondary school students.
Wexford County Council	CRT 5	Engage with communities and residents' association about the part they can play to combat climate change in their shared & individual gardens\allotments to support local food/vegetable production.
Wexford County Council	CRT 7	Support the arts and culture sectors in raising awareness and promoting behaviour change on climate action, sustainability and the natural environment through the Wexford County Council Arts Plan and the Culture & Creativity Strategy and undertake research with artists collective 'Roots to the Future' and other local authorities to assess feasibility of hosting a national Climate Art Assembly in 2025
Wexford County Council	CRT 10	Convene bi-annual meetings with the Green Cluster to showcase innovative products and services designed to address climate actions.
Wexford County Council	CRT 15	Explore and develop just transition opportunities, particularly in sectors vulnerable to the effects of climate mitigation and climate Adaptation such as skills training, and energy poverty reduction measures
Wexford County Council	SRM 3	Promotion of the Fleadh Ceoil in Wexford as a sustainable event, aiming to reduce single use plastics (where possible) and promoting sustainable travel through park & ride/active travel and encourage circular economy through awareness initiatives and apply lessons learned to future events
Wexford County Council	SRM 4	Promote the concept of "circular sharing" of library materials and facilitate inclusive community climate action and climate resilience through the investment, provision and promotion of up-to-date reliable information
Wicklow County Council	6 GL	Maintain a cross departmental Green Team to deliver climate actions, improved resource efficiency, engagement of staff on energy efficiency and active travel
Wicklow County Council	9 GL	Communicate the local impacts of climate change and communicate the opportunities for Climate Action through media platforms.

Wicklow County Council	22 NEGI	Liaise with CCMA and ETBs to devise and deliver accredited biodiversity training for local authority staff on biodiversity, with a module on climate links. Material created at regional / national level, delivered locally in each LA.
Wicklow County Council	26 NEGI	Develop a hill and forest fire management response and prevention strategy, including protocols for responding to fires, enforcement, awareness campaigns of the impact of fires and systems to measure the extent and economic costs of fires having appropriate regard to the need to support the achievement of conservation objectives and protect and enhance important habitats or the qualifying interests of any protected sites.
Wicklow County Council	3 CRT	Deliver capacity building and training for local communities to develop leadership on climate action and biodiversity action annually.
Wicklow County Council	6 CRT	Develop an annual 'Climate Action Week' with a range of educational events throughout the county delivered by a range of participants.
Wicklow County Council	7 CRT	Recognise the work being done in the county by all sectors in the community on local climate action initiatives and delivery of the Sustainable Development Goals targets through the annual 'Sustainable Development Awards'.
Wicklow County Council	8 CRT	Support citizen science projects and third level research to target climate sensitive species through collaboration, training and provision of equipment through libraries.
Wicklow County Council	9 CRT	Promote Green Schools and Heritage in schools. Programmes to encourage active engagement on climate and biodiversity with a focus on TY students.
Wicklow County Council	17 CRT	Promote the Home Energy Savings Kit scheme in WCC libraries, including training for staff.
Wicklow County Council	24 CRT	Provide workshops for children and young people to facilitate their input on climate change and biodiversity.
	2 6014	Implement a wider roll out of segregated brown bin collection systems and support the implementation of the National Waste Management Plan, whilst ensuring all supported initiatives accord with provision Waste Management Act and do not
Wicklow County Council	3 SRM	lead to adverse environmental impacts or nuisance.

Table 2: DZ actions that relate to the Citizen Engagement sector

Local Authority	Action no	Action
Cavan County Council	DZ-C1	Develop annual communications plan to raise awareness of the DZ and engage citizens in climate action.
Cavan County Council	DZ-C3	Identify, train, and resource 'Sustainability Champions' who can act as ambassador businesses for their sectors to encourage other companies within the DZ.
Cavan County Council	DZ-C5	Support the work of the Sustainable Energy Community within Cavan Town.
Cavan County Council	DZ-C7	Hold a one-stop-shop event to promote appropriate retrofitting of private buildings and increase community understanding of climate action.
Cavan County Council	DZ-S3	Develop informational supports to promote the concept of share, reuse, and repair amongst communities.
Cavan County Council	DZ-S8	Engage with local industrial sector regarding the impact on air quality from industrial emissions.
Clare County Council	DZ-C4	Support businesses to prevent, reduce and separate waste generated through Kilkee Green Business Hub.
Clare County Council	DZ-C5	Support through promotion an increase in the number of farmers in the DZ partaking in the Teagasc Signpost Programme.
Clare County Council	DZ-C6	Partner with Green Schools to promote climate actions within schools in the DZ.
Clare County Council	DZ-N2	Support the development of a biodiversity walking and cycling route to enhance and raise awareness of local biodiversity
Cork County Council	4.2.1.7.3	Use the Decarbonisation Zone in Macroom to engage stakeholders in innovative actions, using pilot projects designed to reduce emissions.
Galway City Council	DZ 5	Implement an enabling policy for homeowners to support energy saving measures.
Galway City Council	DZ 15	Campaign to encourage and facilitate behaviour change and modal shift in the zone.
Galway City Council	DZ 22	Collaborate on and support the delivery of the zone's large energy user decarbonisation plans.
Galway City Council	DZ 40	Deliver an education and awareness campaign on sustainable consumption patterns (materials, water, food) in conjunction with educational institutes.

Galway City Council	DZ 41	Engage and collaborate with the University, schools, community groups in the DZ to encourage and support reduced waste and water conservation.
Galway County Council	DZ 1.1	Establish a stakeholder group within the Decarbonisation Zone, working with established community organisations already engaged in Climate Action, and ensure ongoing engagement and cooperation. Develop a Vision for the Islands
Kildare County Council	4.1	Develop annual communication plans with targeted campaigns and tools to engage citizens in local climate action.
Kildare County Council	4.2	Provide all ages and socio-economic groups within the town with the appropriate knowledge and resources to transition to a low carbon economy
Kildare County Council	4.3	Identify, train, resource and promote community, education and sectoral business champions in climate action.
Kildare County Council	4.5	Facilitate a drop-in information clinic or hub within Maynooth to support communications and raise climate action awareness.
Kilkenny County Council	DZ3	Building on the findings of the DZ Baseline Emissions Inventory, and the stakeholder engagement and Visioning work, develop a Register of Opportunities and a programme of actions for the DZ
Laois County Council	1.1	Establish yearly communication strategies, complete with targeted campaigns and tools, to actively involve the community in local climate action
Laois County Council	1.8	Establish school-based programs to educate and actively engage students in climate action.
Laois County Council	1.11	Implement educational and awareness initiatives to enrich knowledge and skills, facilitating a shift towards a low-carbon local future.
Laois County Council	2.4	Establish a Biodiversity Demonstration Garden at the Laois Education Centre, serving as a showcase for a wide range of practical biodiversity and pollinator projects to inspire teachers.
Laois County Council	2.9	Provide support to other organizations working on biodiversity enhancement programs.
Laois County Council	4.3	Trial pop-up Energy Clinics for personalized energy efficiency guidance.
Laois County Council	4.4	Plan public events aimed at promoting tangible climate action.
Leitrim County Council	DZT8	Promote, support & incentivise cycling / walking bus for schools within DZ area, having due regard to environmental sensitivities such as the receiving water environment, biodiversity, European sites local air quality, and cultural heritage.
Leitrim County Council	DZCRT1	Develop annual communications plan to raise awareness of the DZ and engage citizens in climate action.
Leitrim County Council	DZCRT2	Distribute any age-appropriate informational supports to provide citizens with knowledge to understand and implement the transition in their own lives.

Leitrim County Council	DZCRT3	Identify, train, and resource 'Sustainability Champions' who can act as ambassador businesses for their sectors to encourage other companies within the DZ.
Leitrim County Council	DZCRT4	Facilitate the distribution of Energy Saving Kits to the public through local libraries.
Leitrim County Council	DZCRT6	Hold an annual event to promote appropriate retrofitting of private buildings and increase community understanding of climate action.
Leitrim County Council	DZCRT9	Host two 'Sustainable' sector specific business events within the DZ.
Leitrim County Council	DZCRT11	Engage the creative sector through an Arts Campaign to highlight the ambitions and objectives of the Decarbonising Zone.
Limerick City & County Council	G13	Use the Decarbonisation Zone to engage stakeholders in innovative actions, using pilot projects designed to reduce emissions.
Louth County Council	DZ 1	Bring together a specific decarbonising zone working group comprising the main stakeholders from the public and private sectors
Louth County Council	DZ 3	Develop a voluntary climate action charter for businesses, community groups, state bodies and members of the public to sign and adopt
Louth County Council	DZ 4	Develop and roll out a comprehensive communication strategy for the Dundalk Blackrock DZ and update this plan annually
Louth County Council	DZ 6	Develop and pilot an anti-idling campaign
Louth County Council	DZ 7	Produce a community map highlighting the walking and cycling access routes within the DZ
Louth County Council	DZ 10	Promote the best practice examples and learnings from the Dundalk Blackrock DZ to the wider county with the aim of rolling out these actions to other towns within Louth.
Louth County Council	DZ 12	Support the development of new sustainable energy committees within the DZ and provide bridging finance to allow these SECs to complete energy master plans.
Louth County Council	DZ 16	Create Reporting Structure to communicate progress
Mayo County Council	DZ 2	Ensure a 'Meitheal' approach to meeting the DZ vision acknowledging the unique skills and insights of all members of the community and stakeholders
Mayo County Council	DZ 7	Empower the community and stakeholders through knowledge exchange
Mayo County Council	DZ 23	Establish a farming forum to advocate and represent the landowners and to develop actions/ schemes that will support the landowners, community, and environment. Participation is voluntary and landowners can opt out at any stage

Monaghan County Council	DZ T.12	Engage with local businesses in the DZ to participate in the Park and Stride programme.
Monaghan County Council	DZ NGI.7	Support the transition of the agricultural sector to more sustainable farming techniques through programmes such as Teagasc's Signpost programme.
Monaghan County Council	DZ CRT.1	Develop an annual communications plan to raise awareness of the DZ and engage citizens in climate action.
Monaghan County Council	DZ CRT.2	Develop a range of informational material to provide citizens with knowledge to understand and implement the climate transition in their own lives.
Monaghan County Council	DZ CRT.4	Facilitate the distribution of Energy Saving Kits to the public through local libraries.
Monaghan County Council	DZ CRT.5	Support the development of a Sustainable Energy Community (SEC) within the Monaghan Town DZ.
Monaghan County Council	DZ CRT.6	Hold an annual one-stop-shop event to promote retrofitting of private buildings and increase community understanding of climate action.
Monaghan County Council	DZ CRT.8	Host two 'Sustainable' sector specific business events within the DZ.
Monaghan County Council	DZ CRT.10	Engage the creative sector through an Arts Campaign to highlight the ambitions and objectives of the Decarbonisation Zone.
Monaghan County Council	DZ CRT.11	Investigate an incentive scheme for businesses to support and award them for positive climate action.
Roscommon County Council	DZ 1	RCC will develop projects and programmes of Citizen engagement and awareness raising to promote behavioural change across the DZ area, aligned where possible with other RCC initiatives in the areas of regeneration and the circular and night-time economies.
Roscommon County Council	DZ 11	Engage with owners/occupiers to enhance awareness to develop appropriate knowledge and skills required to enable energy efficiency improvements in heritage buildings, including specialists to help understand, specify and install appropriate retrofitting to reduce carbon footprint while retaining architectural and heritage integrity. Roll out tailored education scheme in this regard and engage with national funding streams for implementation, whilst promoting consideration of environmental protection requirements during such works.
Roscommon County Council	DZ 13	RCC will engage with rural transport service providers and communities to explore the most effective ways in which they meet the needs of communities and improve and promote public transport and active travel. RCC will promote the expansion of smarter travel workplace mobility strategies across the DZ area.
Sligo County Council	5	Identify existing community groups within the DZ and engage with them regarding climate & energy related matters that they have identified as being a priority for their group.

Tipperary County Council	9	Consider the development and implementation of a collaborative/innovative approach to nature-based, land land-use diversification and biodiversity rich solutions, on a catchment basis to support water quality improvement, carbon capture, the bio-economy and flood risk management.
Waterford City & County Council	DZ 1.4	Work on an area by area basis (City Centre, Ballybricken, Carrickpherish, Poleberry etc) over a number of months to have a presence in the community to provide advice to the public and businesses while also delivering projects in Active Travel, Presentation, Roads, Climate Adaptation, Housing etc. To provide information on existing services and to collaborate with the community going forward to develop projects and source financing/funding. Breaking the Decarbonisation Zone plan down to manageable community actions
Waterford City & County Council	DZ 2.9	Create a community competition for Parklets - areas that can be extended into a parking space that are planted or are rest areas
Waterford City & County Council	DZ 5.1	Through the libraries and Family Resource Centres run an Energy Poverty campaign informing households of their options for home upgrades
Waterford City & County Council	DZ 5.2	Host monthly Climate Cafes in different parts of the city where the community can get advice on sustainability in their areas
Waterford City & County Council	DZ 5.3	Hold an annual schools Climate Conference for City Secondary Schools
Waterford City & County Council	DZ 5.6	Work with Waterford Walls and other arts campaigns to use art to facilitate Climate Action
Waterford City & County Council	DZ 8.5	Work with communities to incorporate rainwater harvesting into projects
Waterford City & County Council	DZ 9.1	Set up a Zero Waste Waterford Campaign to coincide with the changing Waste Management Law. The campaign will work with businesses to reduce paper waste, single use plastics, disposable cup waste etc.
Waterford City & County Council	DZ 9.5	Through the libraries host repair and swap events each year
Waterford City & County Council	DZ 10.15	Deliver at least 5 Safe Routes to Schools campaigns at City Schools - this will depend on school demand
Waterford City & County Council	DZ 10.27	City Centre involvement in European Car Free Day and Clean Air Day (Certain streets closed to traffic and events)
Wexford County Council	DZ BET1	Work with Special Projects, the Active Travel Team and the people of Enniscorthy on the Enniscorthy Town Centre Regeneration Plan (TCRP) having due regard to environmental sensitivities such as local human receptors, European sites and biodiversity, and the need to appropriately protect and conserve protected structures in accordance with relevant protected structures regulations
Wexford County Council	DZ CRT2	Work with Schools and Sustainable Enniscorthy on Just Transition and Upcycling initiatives e.g. Uniform Exchange Days, Bicycle repair training and Bicycle exchange, as part of Library event programming
Wexford County Council	DZ CRT4	Working collaboratively to deliver climate action with arts, culture and creativity programmes with a particular focus on the Creative Places Arts Programme in Enniscorthy 2023-2026 & the Creative Ireland Programme

Wexford County Council	DZ SRM1	Run sustainability and energy efficiency workshops\initiatives, increasing knowledge on grant funding and aid the Enniscorthy people on completion of grant applications
Wexford County Council	DZ SRM2	Working with the community in creating links between climate action, air quality and the co-benefits to health within the Decarbonisation Zone of Enniscorthy
Wexford County Council	DZ SRM3	Work with Enniscorthy businesses, Enniscorthy Chamber, Enniscorthy SEC in promoting climate action initiatives such as Go-Cups, low-level lighting in shops, championing new business initiatives on energy reduction
Wicklow County Council	ADZ BE&T 12	Increase the number of schools involved in Safer Routes to Schools, ensuring any ancillary development have due regard to environmental sensitivities such as the receiving water environment, biodiversity, European sites and local air quality.
Wicklow County Council	ADZ CR&T 18	Develop annual communication plans with targeted campaigns to engage the community in climate action.
Wicklow County Council	ADZ CR&T 19	Engage with community groups to identify projects that can be funded under the Community Climate Action Fund.



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