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Finance 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 [31 Local Authority Climate Action Plans](#) 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 [analysis of the 31 Local Authority Climate Action Plans](#) 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.

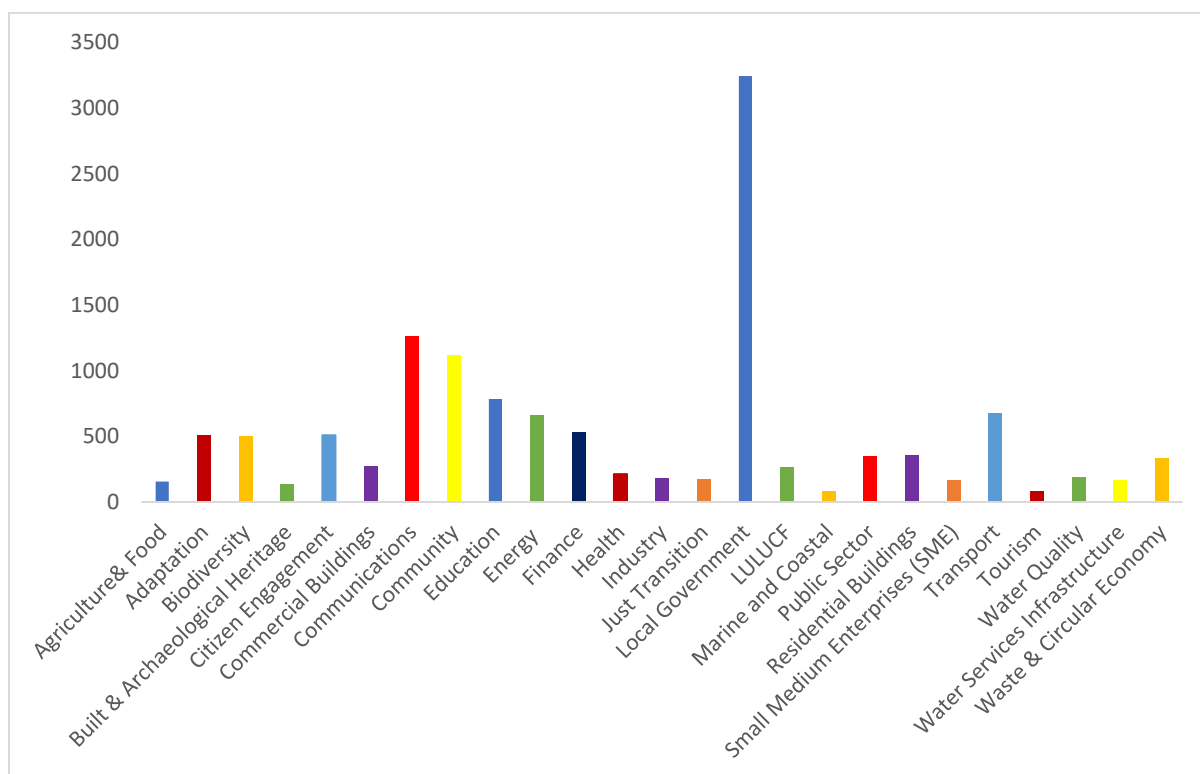


Figure 1: Breakdown of LACAP actions according to sector

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 [sectoral reports](#) 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 **Finance** sector.

Please note that this is a high-level assessment performed by the CAROs to inform the Finance 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.

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. Finance Sector Actions:

This report has been prepared for the **Finance** sector (actions which reference budget, grants, funding, financing, audit, resource management etc.). An analysis of all 3282 actions in 31 LACAPs has concluded that:

- **527** of all 3282 actions relate to the Finance sector.
- these are contained in **all** of the 31 LACAPs.

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

- **72** of the total DZ actions relate to the Finance sector.
- These are contained in **17** of the DZ plans (taking note that 8 local authorities did not list individual actions for their DZs).

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

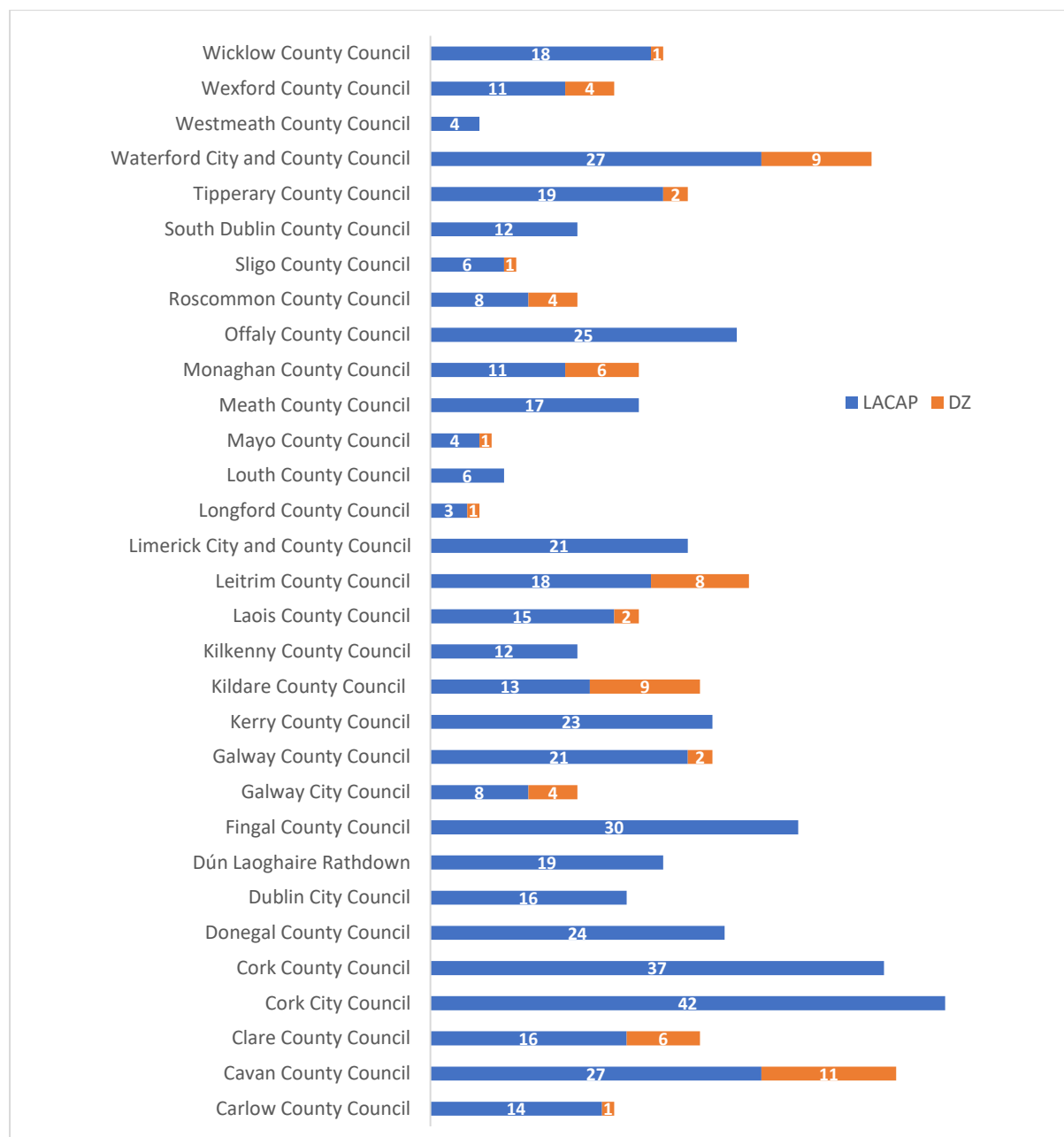


Figure 2: Breakdown of Finance sector LACAP and DZ actions according to Local Authority

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 Finance sector according to whether they are identified as mitigation or adaptation or combined. 44% of the total number of Finance sector actions across all LACAPs address both mitigation and adaptation while 41% are specifically mitigation actions and 15% specifically relate to adaptation.

Figure 4 shows the breakdown of DZ actions relating to the Finance sector according to whether they are identified as mitigation or adaptation or combined. 47% of the total number of Finance sector actions across all DZs address both mitigation and adaptation while 50% are specifically mitigation actions and 3% specifically relate to adaptation.

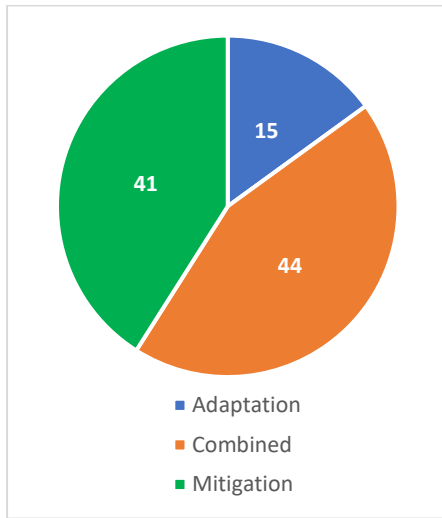


Figure 3: Percentage Adaptation/Mitigation breakdown of LACAP actions relating to the Finance sector

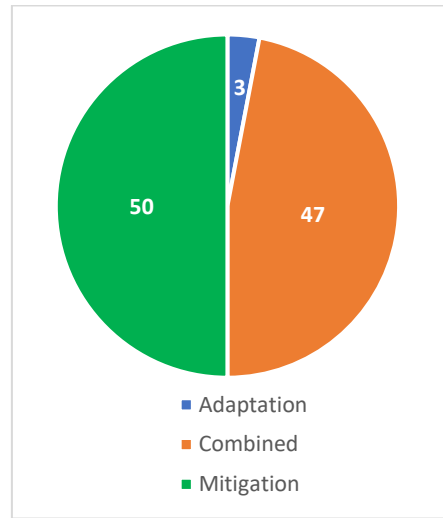


Figure 4: Percentage Adaptation/Mitigation breakdown of DZ actions relating to the Finance sector

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 Finance sector actions according to Tier 1 Category with actions classified into the 11 categories.

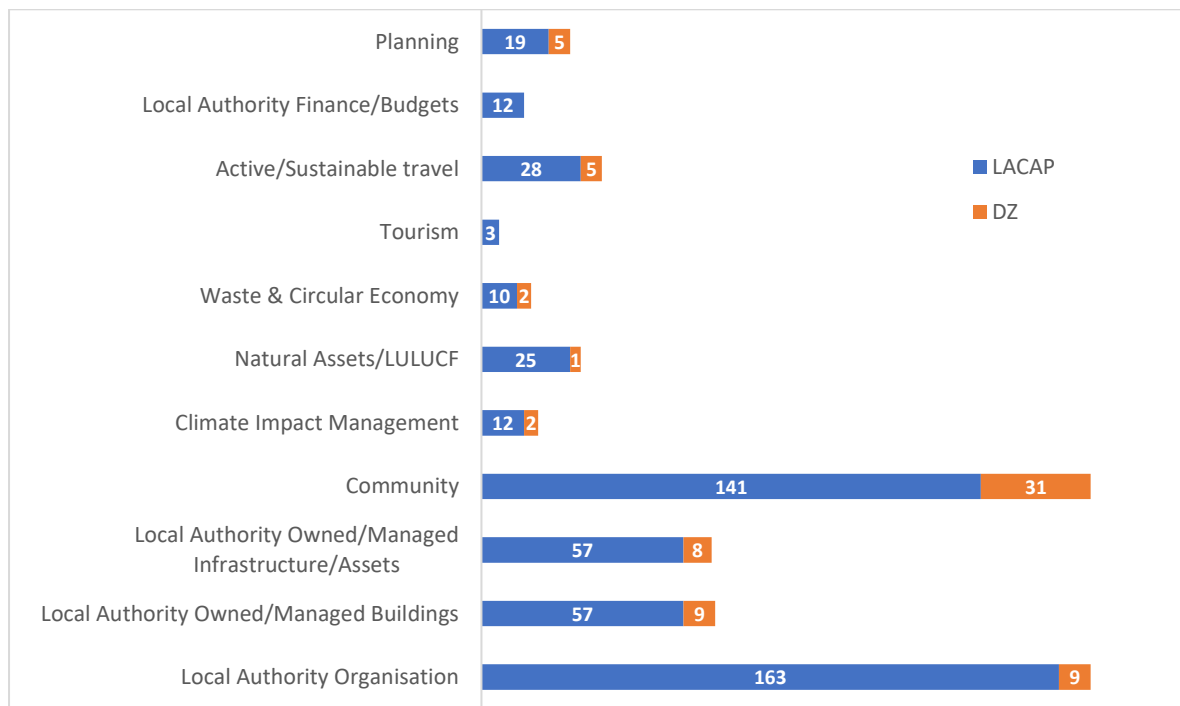


Figure 5: Tier 1 classification of LACAP and DZ Finance sector actions

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It is apparent that most Finance sector actions are associated with the broad themes of local authority organisation and community with lower numbers of actions aligning with the themes of local authority owned and/or managed infrastructure and assets, local authority owned and/or managed buildings 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:

Local Authority Organisation:

- Provide adequate budgets and human resources to implement Climate Action Plan actions and to source funding opportunities to support longer term investment strategies.
- Embed climate considerations in budgeting process.
- Allocate dedicated annual climate change spend as a proportion of municipal budget or per capita.
- Prepare and implement a protocol requiring a pre-set standard for 'Climate Proofing' of all local authority led capital plans, purchases and investments.
- Pursue national/regional funding programmes to attain funding for emission reduction measures.
- Internal audit monitoring of the management, reporting and delivery of statutory targets.
- Establish and coordinate links with relevant Government departments, semi-state bodies and advisory agencies in support of the development, application and funding of Climate Action innovations in operations, service delivery and infrastructural provision.
- Maximise the benefits of EU-funded projects, through the development of new regional partnerships, leveraging resources, learning and training, and communications, and accessing new partnership opportunities.
- Manage and resource an adequate Climate Emergency Response service.
- Develop green public procurement strategy and deliver training and guidance to staff.
- Develop a monitoring and reporting tool to ensure GPP is embedded into all procurement.
- Incorporate whole-life costing/lifecycle assessment (LCA) into procurement process.
- Investigate the establishment of a sustainable investment fund to support the retrofitting of historic buildings.
- Improve knowledge and understanding of how the Council is affected by extreme weather events in terms of providing its services and its financial impact.
- Develop Fuel Card Policy (including monitoring, KPI - mileage per litre).
- Implement a Commercial Energy Rates Discount Scheme.
- Advocate for a review and update of national 'Staff Travel and Subsistence Rates' to incentivise lower carbon options.
- Provide match funding to enable climate, energy, biodiversity action projects.
- Purchase EV's as replacement fleet vehicles where suitable and available on the market
- Assess opportunities to utilise low emission fuels where available and financially viable.
- Investigate lease/hire for fleet as a means to ensure fleet are modern and efficient.

Community:

- Include 'Sustainability and Climate Change' scoring in grant assessments to ensure that applicants incorporate Climate Mitigation and Adaptation in all their grant funded activities.
- Promote various funding streams and grants to assist homes, communities and businesses to implement positive climate actions.
- Promote schools' programmes such as the Green Flag Schools, School Gardens, and Climate Literacy programmes, providing funding and support where possible.

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- Engage with stakeholders to draw down funding for research into climate action in land use/spatial planning and the bioeconomy.
- Provide assistance to businesses in their investment in equipment & technologies to reduce their impact on the environment.
- Support micro-SMEs with consultancy services and mentoring towards the development of sustainability management plans through programmes like Green for Micro and Greenstart.
- Identify and develop opportunities for collaboration with the private sector for large-scale investment in energy projects.
- Support training courses for business development & startups within retrofitting sector.
- Provide Green Procurement Training for Businesses.
- Promote local jobs and local workspaces to reduce commuting.
- Prepare feasibility study to facilitate pilot Anaerobic Digester project in conjunction with other stakeholders (farmers, agri-business and others).
- Facilitate and support the use and occupation of vacant housing stock through the administration of the Vacant Property Refurbishment Grant under the Government of Ireland Housing for All Plan (Croí Cónaithe).
- Support litter projects in local communities through the provision of supplies and financial support.
- Support and administer the Community Climate Action Programme (CCAP) which will allow communities to apply for grants to enable climate projects at a local level.
- Develop sustainability in the arts with Creative Climate Action funding.
- Support Sustainable Energy Communities regarding the provision of bridge funding.
- Resolve local flooding issues utilising OPW and Department of Transport funding
- Seek funding under the 'Just Transition Fund' with focus on Climate Action measures.

Local Authority owned and/or managed Infrastructure/Assets:

- Carry out a feasibility study on the introduction of a district heating network
- Seek funding to conduct a Geothermal Mapping Project to identify potential areas where the use of renewable geothermal heating is economically feasible.
- Improve energy and performance and build climate resilience in local architectural heritage through management and administration of the Built Heritage Investment Scheme, Historic Structures Fund, Community Monuments Fund, Historic Towns Initiative, Irish Walled Towns Network and other relevant funds.
- Identify and purchase suitable land for sustainable woodland creation.
- Identify opportunities for the acquisition of land and buildings by agreement/CPO for renewable energy/ regeneration/active travel/greenway / green infrastructure projects etc.
- Aim to increase areas of public land under forestry through schemes such as "Forest Creation on Public Lands".
- Deliver the Public Lighting Energy Efficiency Project as part of PLEEP Scheme to reduce GHG emissions and energy usage of Public Lighting.
- Integrating climate change considerations at roads design stage and explore the climate resilience of materials used in road construction (e.g. minimise the use of virgin materials and promote use of reclaimed asphalt pavement (RAP) or low carbon alternatives) in order to minimise the expected increase in maintenance requirements and costs to road infrastructure from climate stress.
- Undertake a Risk Assessment of road infrastructure to identify the severity of climate change risks on their function and condition.
- Replace equipment with more efficient alternatives when available and financially viable.

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- Support National and Regional agencies to deliver Water Conservation on Group Water Schemes (GWS) under the Taking in Charge (TIC) Programme for GWS.

Local Authority owned and/or managed Buildings:

- Undertake feasibility studies for upgrade and retrofitting of administrative buildings and seek funding for same.
- Promote reuse/repurposing of existing buildings through various funding streams including Urban Regeneration Development Fund and Rural Regeneration Development Fund.
- Complete review of mechanisms for financing and managing retrofitting/renewables and consideration of alternative funding resources and management approaches for all Council-owned property.
- Implement Energy Performance Contracts (EPC) / energy performance arrangements in agreed Local Authority owned buildings.
- Apply for Pathfinder funding for energy projects and continue to apply for Better Energy Community funding.
- Carry out an assessment of the renewable energy potential across the council's property portfolio.
- Prepare and implement an annual funding program for deep energy retrofitting of existing Council social housing stock to reduce emissions and alleviate fuel poverty for vulnerable residents.
- Develop a financial instrument to speed up the retrofit of social housing.
- Target brownfield, vacancy and dereliction as part of the Housing for All programme.

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

- Establish a commitment for no net loss of biodiversity in all new developments, and where possible, net restoration, with costs for same built into all project plans.
- Undertake strategic land procurement for the protection of nature and biodiversity.
- Based on NBS road maps, seek funding opportunities for implementing NBS in appropriate catchments.
- Establish a grant scheme to landowners for the development of a Biodiversity Plan by an Ecologist and to assist the implementation of the Plan's recommendations.
- Explore funding models for carbon offsetting to fund wetland and woodland development and assist stakeholders in accessing same.
- Resource and implement relevant actions of the National Biodiversity Action Plan.
- Promotion of the Rural Water programme in providing support to rural communities for private well grant improvements and Group Schemes.
- Collaborate with Government organisations to provide capital measures for identified priority areas incorporating nature-based solutions, biodiversity and water quality enhancement.

All 527 LACAP and 72 DZ actions that have been identified as being relevant to the Finance sector are listed in Tables 1 and 2.

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Table 1: LACAP actions that relate to the Finance sector

Local Authority	Action no.	Action
Carlow County Council	G 1.2	Resource and fund dedicated Climate Action Staff to facilitate adaptation against and mitigate for the effects of Climate Change, to include a Climate Co-Ordinator, Climate Action Officer and a Climate Community Officer.
Carlow County Council	G 1.7	Develop a Green Public Procurement (GPP) tracking tool to measure the use of green procurement in tenders issued by Carlow County Council.
Carlow County Council	G 1.8	Prepare a Green Procurement Strategy for Carlow County Council to ensure GPP is considered in all tenders.
Carlow County Council	G 1.10	Develop & implement a Financial Management resource for recording the cost of major climate/weather events
Carlow County Council	G 1.12	Provide match funding to enable climate, energy, biodiversity action projects - which promote climate action co-benefits and do not contravene relevant environmental protection criteria or cause significant negative environmental effects.
Carlow County Council	B 1.3	Pursue national/regional funding programmes to attain funding for emission reduction measures for Carlow County Council, e.g. Pathfinder
Carlow County Council	B 1.7	Upgrade existing social housing units using the worst first principal to B2 or cost optimal to reduce GHG emissions, energy consumption and contribute to alleviating of fuel poverty for vulnerable residents, 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
Carlow County Council	B 1.8	Facilitate the upgrade of existing vacant & derelict residential and commercial properties in Carlow Town and County through schemes such as Towns Centre First, Croí Conaithe, 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.
Carlow County Council	B 1.10	Target brownfield, vacancy and dereliction as part of the housing for all programme through repair and lease, buy and renew and SHIP programmes; having due regard to environmental sensitivities, the need to appropriately protect and conserve protected structures in accordance with relevant protected structures regulations, and the need to not negatively impinge on any protected species.
Carlow County Council	NE 1.1	Appoint a Biodiversity Officer for Carlow County Council and implement actions contained in the County Carlow Biodiversity Action Plan 2023-2025
Carlow County Council	NE 1.9	Investigate the feasibility of developing a Carlow County Council Garden nursery facilitating self-sufficiency by providing all new plants for public realm enhancement.
Carlow County Council	C 1.3	Include 'Sustainability and Climate Change' assessment on applicable grant assessments to ensure that community groups/stakeholders consider and incorporate Climate Mitigation and Adaptation in all their grant funded activities.

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Carlow County Council	SRM 1.5	Provide assistance to Enterprises in their investment in equipment & technologies to reduce their impact on the environment
Carlow County Council	SRM 1.10	Carry out a feasibility study to identify the logistical, financial, planning, environmental and market challenges of a proposed district heating project in Carlow; ensuring the study has appropriate regard to planning and environmental protection considerations.
Cavan County Council	G1	Finalise, adopt and implement a Green Public Procurement (GPP) strategy aligned with national policies. The GPP strategy to be implemented across all services and functions and utilise for procurement of services and materials.
Cavan County Council	G2	Develop a monitoring and reporting tool to ensure GPP is embedded into all procurement.
Cavan County Council	G3	Ensure GPP Monitoring & Reporting is undertaken to ensure Green Criteria is included in contracts.
Cavan County Council	G11	Provide adequate budgets to appropriate sections to implement CAP actions and to source funding opportunities to support longer term investment strategies.
Cavan County Council	G14	Implement a Biodiversity Officer position within Cavan County Council.
Cavan County Council	G17	Update library educational stock with current climate action information where available. Continue to update material as necessary.
Cavan County Council	G21	Inform Industry, Business and Enterprise of applicable funding sources available to them to assist with GHG reduction or implementation of energy upgrades, 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.
Cavan County Council	G23	To input to a feasibility assessment to determine if it is possible to identify waterbodies that are both particularly vulnerable to extreme water events associated with climate change, and at risk of not meeting the requirements of the EU Water Framework Directive with a focus on follow-up and protective/remedial action.
Cavan County Council	G27	Replacement of technology in council chamber to facilitate hybrid meetings going forward whilst ensuring WEEE generated as a result of this action is appropriately managed.
Cavan County Council	BE 5	Deliver the Cavan's Pathfinder Programme by 2025 and pursue other national and regional funding sources for retrofitting and improving energy efficiency and reducing emissions. Pursue additional similar funding programmes for further emission reduction works whilst advocating and exerting influence to ensure that all retrofitting works will prioritise energy efficiencies and renewable energy generation (solar PV, geothermal and micro wind generation where feasible); having due regard to environmental sensitivities such as European sites and biodiversity.
Cavan County Council	BE 6	Deliver the Public Lighting Energy Efficiency Project in Cavan as part of PLEEP Scheme to reduce GHG emissions and energy usage of Public Lighting. Ensure potential actions maintain/control or reduce existing lumen levels and spectral range to avoid effects on biodiversity.

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Cavan County Council	BE 11	Investigate potential for application of solar PV on council owned car parks and investigate feasibility of installing on all appropriate Council/ Public buildings. Where it is confirmed through a glint and glare assessment that such solar development will not have any potential impact on sensitive receptors.
Cavan County Council	BE 15	Continue retrofitting and upgrading works of existing social housing units to BER B2 rating to reduce GHG emissions, energy consumption having regard to environmental sensitivities such as local human receptors, European sites and biodiversity.
Cavan County Council	BE 17	Resolve local flooding issues utilising OPW and Department of Transport funding (Drainage programme, Climate Adaptation and Resilience Works, OPW Minor Works Scheme having due regard to the protection of biodiversity and European sites and avoidance of habitat fragmentation.
Cavan County Council	BE 23	Undertake a Risk Assessment of road infrastructure to identify the severity of climate change risks on their function and condition. The risk assessment should provide for an understanding and quantification of risks posed. The findings should be integrated into decision making processes, road infrastructure programmes and investment strategies.
Cavan County Council	BE 24	Explore ways to minimise the expected increase in maintenance requirements and costs to road infrastructure from climate stress - integrating climate change considerations at design stages - Explore the climate resilience of materials used in road construction and maintenance. Examine options to reduce road settlement due to severe weather events.
Cavan County Council	TR1	Continue to roll-out Active Travel Infrastructure maximising available funding from the National Transport Authority (NTA). Priority projects include cycle lane from Cavan Hospital to Cavan Bus Station, Virginia footbridge, Pedestrian/Cyclist Safety Improvements Station Road, Cootehill, having appropriate regard to environmental sensitivities such as European sites and biodiversity.
Cavan County Council	TR10	Implement routine statistical analysis of fleet vehicle fuel usage with a view to working on reducing usage year on year.
Cavan County Council	TR13	Prepare inventory of Local Authority fleet, including leased vehicles and status of same i.e. end of life.
Cavan County Council	TR14	Purchase EV's as replacement fleet vehicles where suitable and available on the market in line with decarbonisation strategy, whilst ensuring energy/fuel used to power local authority alternative vehicles is sustainably sourced, and appropriate end-of-life management practices are in place for Electric Vehicles.
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 3	Include 'Sustainability and Climate Change' scoring on relevant grant assessments to ensure that community groups/ stakeholders consider and incorporate Climate Mitigation and Adaptation in all their grant funded activities.

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Cavan County Council	C 9	Investigate and utilise funds that provide for cycle routes within 1.5km of all schools, community facilities, sports and youth clubs having due regard to environmental sensitivities such as the receiving water environment, biodiversity, European sites local air quality and cultural heritage.
Cavan County Council	C 19	Engage with schools and An Taisce and provide resources & funding to deliver green flags and achieve green schools status.
Cavan County Council	S 2	Increase the number of solar bins across the County.
Cavan County Council	S 4	Run a pilot scheme to implement water fountains or water refilling stations in the parks within the DZ and measure usage, having due regard to environmental sensitivities that may be affected by any built development such as the receiving water environment and local air quality.
Cavan County Council	S 10	Support the establishment of 'Circular Economy Hubs' that act as physical material hubs for the drop-off and recirculation of materials and products from and for both commercial and residential activities.
Clare County Council	G 2.5	Develop Green Public Procurement (GPP) Strategy to ensure GPP is mainstreamed through all sections of Clare County Council
Clare County Council	BE 1.7	Social Housing Stock - Advance retrofitting programme subject to Dept funding, having due regard to protected species, biodiversity, European sites and the need to appropriately conserve protected structures.
Clare County Council	BE 2.6	Develop feasibility reports into District Heating for Ennis & Shannon ensuring such a report as appropriate regard to planning and environmental protection considerations.
Clare County Council	T 1.3	Complete development of Ennis/Tulla Road, St Flannan's and Lahinch Road active travel projects having due regard to environmental sensitivities such as the receiving water environment, biodiversity, European sites local air quality, cultural heritage
Clare County Council	T 1.5	Support implementation of Electric Vehicle Strategy to increase electric vehicle charging infrastructure having due regard to ensuring disabled access to EV charging, and environmental sensitivities such as the receiving water environment, biodiversity, European sites, local air quality, cultural heritage.
Clare County Council	T 1.10	Support the implementation of the Limerick Shannon Metropolitan Area Transport Strategy (LSMATS) whilst advocating and exerting influence to ensure projects promote climate action co-benefits and do not contravene relevant environmental protection criteria or cause significant negative environmental effects.
Clare County Council	T 1.16	Advance the remediation/development of footpaths across the county to include remediated footpaths and new build footpaths
Clare County Council	T 2.2	Increase procurement of electric light good vehicles in Clare County Council vehicle fleet while ensuring sustainability criteria is appropriately considered during procurement processes and appropriate end-of-life vehicle management practices are in place
Clare County Council	T 2.3	Conduct feasibility study and integration of renewable alternative fuel options for Clare County Council vehicle fleet ensuring appropriate regard is had to the sustainability of sourced alternative fuels

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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 2.2	Support small enterprises with investment in energy efficient technologies and equipment through the Energy Efficiency Grant
Clare County Council	C 2.3	Support businesses with consultancy services towards the development of sustainability management plans
Clare County Council	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
Clare County Council	N 1.12	Resource and implement relevant actions of the Heritage Plan 2023-2029
Clare County Council	N 1.13	Continue to build climate resilience in local architectural heritage through management and administration of the Built Heritage Investment Scheme, Historic Structures Fund, and any other relevant funds introduced having due regard to the need to appropriately protect and conserve protected structures in accordance with relevant protected structures regulations, and the need to not negatively impinge on any protected species.
Cork City Council	1.7	Establish a Transition Team to drive the creation of the climate commitments, investment plan, and climate city contract required by the EU Mission on Climate Neutral and Smart Cities to qualify for the Mission Label.
Cork City Council	1.8	Establish a Public-Sector Climate Forum with branches of state agencies within Cork City to collaborate on decarbonising the city by identifying and co-ordinating common climate actions between the sectors, such as buildings, energy, procurement and mobility.
Cork City Council	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.
Cork City Council	1.15	Implement the forthcoming Green Public Procurement Strategy, including social considerations, and create awareness and capacity around Green Procurement principles, including for all Council- supported events.
Cork City Council	1.19	Maximise the benefits of EU Missions & Programmes through the development of new city-to-city partnerships, leveraging resources, learning and training, and communications: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 100 Climate-Neutral & Smart Cities • Climate Adaptation Mission • Oceans Mission • Intelligent Cities Challenge

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Cork City Council	1.2	Maximise the benefits of EU-funded projects, through the development of new regional partnerships, leveraging resources, learning and training, and communications, and accessing new partnership opportunities through Horizon Europe, UrbAct and others. Current programmes include: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Reachout • Zero Carbon Infrastructure (ZCI) • Frugal Approach
Cork City Council	1.24	Complete the Net-Zero Cities climate commitments (using the Intelligent Cities Challenge Local Green Deals template), Investment Plan and Climate City Contract in time to apply for the mission label.
Cork City Council	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.
Cork City Council	2.5	Explore additional cross-border projects with Local Authorities and other public bodies in Northern Ireland with regard to climate action and biodiversity. Build on the emerging partnership between Cork and Belfast City Council, using funding streams such as the Shared Island Fund.
Cork City Council	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.
Cork City Council	2.7	Design and establish corporate principles, standards and tools to ensure that where feasible all Council community funding and support is screened for its potential impact on the environment and climate.
Cork City Council	2.8	Fund Cork-City based community organisations for local climate actions, through the National Community Climate Action Programme, and promote Shared Island partnership funding opportunities.
Cork City Council	2.9	Implement City Centre Placemaking Fund focusing on innovative projects which activate and green sites, whilst promoting - through control or influence as appropriate - adherence to environmental protection requirements during development projects.
Cork City Council	2.1	Integrate climate action as a strategic issue for Cork City Council’s Arts and Culture Strategic Priorities Art in the Public Realm and Space for Art.
Cork City Council	2.12	Support small enterprises with investment in energy efficient technologies and equipment through the Energy Efficiency Grant, whilst promoting - through control or influence as appropriate - adherence to environmental protection requirements during development projects.
Cork City Council	2.13	Support micro-SMEs with Consultancy services towards the development of sustainability management plans (Green for Micro & Greenstart).
Cork City Council	2.17	Promote schools’ programmes such as the Green Flag Schools, School Gardens, and Climate Literacy programmes, providing funding and support where possible.
Cork City Council	2.18	Extend support to the existing network of community gardens, and actively promote the establishment of new gardens with residents’ associations and community groups.

Cork City Council	3.3	Complete Energy Performing Contract (EPC) on seven nominated Cork City Council Buildings. The aim is to improve energy efficiency and to reduce CO2 emissions across each site. Using a large energy consuming building, i.e. a leisure centre, and incorporating smaller- consuming buildings into the contract to make it financially viable to complete works and to help establish best-practice guidance for similar building across the city, having due regard to environmental sensitivities such as biodiversity, European sites, sensitive human receptors, and heritage features.
Cork City Council	3.5	Develop and submit application to European Local Energy Assistance (ELENA) technical assistance grant of European Investment Bank (EIB) to accelerate investment in building energy efficiently upgrades.
Cork City Council	3.8	Establish a Cork City Retrofitting & Renewables Taskforce for decarbonising the city’s building stock to explore, inform and ensure the transition to sustainable, energy efficient residential homes, commercial buildings, heritage buildings, private rented properties, apartments, public buildings. Fund pilot projects in hard to retrofit and heritage buildings. Make it a mission of this taskforce to achieve the decarbonisation of the city’s building stock without resulting in unintended negative effects on humans, heritage or biodiversity.
Cork City Council	3.9	Identify and develop opportunities for collaboration with the private sector for large-scale investment in energy projects in the city, including but not limited to district heating, rooftop solar, retrofitting, and standalone low-carbon energy generation projects. Promote - through control or influence as appropriate - the carrying out of development supported by this action in a manner that has due regard to relevant environmental sensitivities, including heritage, water quality, biodiversity, European sites and landscape and visual amenity related sensitivities.
Cork City Council	3.1	Complete review of mechanisms for financing and managing retrofitting/renewables and consideration of alternative funding resources and management approaches for all Council-owned property, having due regard to protected species, biodiversity, European sites and the need to appropriately conserve protected structures.
Cork City Council	3.11	Implement, and where possible accelerate, the plan to retrofit the social-housing stock and carry out energy efficiency upgrades on City Council buildings, having due regard for environmental sensitivities such as local human receptors, European sites and biodiversity; and the need to appropriately protect and conserve protected structures.
Cork City Council	3.15	Complete the rollout of energy efficient LED lanterns for the remaining 49% of public lighting stock, while ensuring the lumen levels and spectral range are maintained or reduced/controlled to avoid effects to biodiversity.
Cork City Council	3.16	Implement and complete the Docklands Framework Masterplan, which will have a strong emphasis on sustainability, biodiversity, environmental protection and achievement of near-zero objectives.
Cork City Council	3.17	Implement the South Docklands Drainage and Flood Protection Strategy, having due regard to opportunities to promote nature-based solutions and Sustainable Drainage Systems, and environmental sensitivities, including water quality, biodiversity, European sites, aquatic ecology, visual amenity and recreation and amenity value.
Cork City Council	3.18	Publication and implementation of South Docklands Energy Masterplan, having due regard to environmental sensitivities such as landscape character and visual amenity, biodiversity, European sites, and built heritage.
Cork City Council	3.2	Encourage installation of solar/renewables generation, rainwater harvesting, or other green use, in existing properties by: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • consideration of planning regulations;

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		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • review of incentives to overcome financial barriers; and • support to increase contractor capacity, among others.
Cork City Council	3.22	Support and resource the Energy Cork Cluster in their activities to mobilise stakeholders in the energy sector to co-operate and implement climate action measures.
Cork City Council	3.31	Continue to improve energy and performance and build climate resilience in local architectural heritage through management and administration of the Built Heritage Investment Scheme, Historic Structures Fund and any other relevant funds introduced. Promote adherence to planning and environmental protection requirements during retrofitting projects supported by this action, as appropriate.
Cork City Council	4.5	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 hydrology, existing traffic and transport conditions and amenity value.
Cork City Council	5.3	Fully implement, monitor and report on local actions from the All-Ireland Pollinator Plan 2021-2025, focusing on monitoring of the Council’s commitments under the plan, review of pesticide use, incorporation of pollinator friendly and native species planting in new developments, and identification of suitable locations for re- wilding in the city.
Cork City Council	5.5	<p>Publish and implement the actions prioritised in Cork City’s first Trees Strategy, including:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • A detailed inventory of tree stock for analysis of ecosystem services provided; • City-wide analysis of available planting sites; • Prepare long-term canopy cover plan; • Review development standards to protect existing trees and management standards to maximise quality and longevity of existing stock. • Take measures to promote the use of native species over non- natives, having due regard for water quality and soil stability issues whilst undertaking the planning process.
Cork City Council	5.8	Establish a commitment for, at minimum, no net loss of biodiversity in all new developments in the city, and where possible, net restoration, with costs for same built into all project plans.
Cork City Council	5.9	Undertake strategic land procurement for the protection of nature and biodiversity.
Cork City Council	5.12	Install smart lighting control systems (as on Blackrock to Mahon Greenway) on all new greenways to reduce effect of light on local fauna and reduce energy consumption.
Cork City Council	5.22	Identify and purchase suitable land for sustainable woodland creation. Take measures to promote the use of native species over non-natives and having due regard for water quality and soil stability issues whilst undertaking the planning process.
Cork City Council	5.23	Investigate, and where possible implement, the use of low-carbon material in road construction.
Cork City Council	5.24	Support the Lifetime Lab’s Education Programme, including the Carnival of Science and Green Schools programme.

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Cork City Council	5.3	Support the Cork Food Policy Council in feasibility study on the development of a Local Food Sustainability Co-operative/hub.
Cork City Council	5.32	Cork City Council will review its policy on the purchase and replacement of electronic equipment to reduce electronic waste.
Cork County Council	4.2.1.3.1	To deliver this five-year plan, an annual implementation programme will be prepared for approval by the climate action steering group. This programme will be dependent on the availability of external funding (e.g., national, European, SEAI, etc.) and internal funding and resources.
Cork County Council	4.2.1.3.2	Support and administer the Community Climate Action Programme (CCAP) funded by the Department of the Environment, Climate and Communications, which will allow communities to apply for grants to enable climate projects at a local level.
Cork County Council	4.2.1.3.3	Continue with the provision of existing grants for communities and make climate action a central component to these grants.
Cork County Council	4.2.1.5.1	Continue to implement the national Green Public Procurement strategy to ensure that Green Procurement is mainstreamed through all sections of Cork County Council. Ensure that procurement of all works/services follows the Department of Public Expenditure and Reform circular 20/2019.
Cork County Council	4.2.1.5.2	Ensure that greenhouse gas emissions are accounted for in financial decisions.
Cork County Council	4.2.1.5.3	Cork County Council's Finance Department, will facilitate monitoring and reporting of climate activity expenditure.
Cork County Council	4.2.1.6.2	Any additional or replacement of existing assets needs to take into account the need for sustainability and the 2030 and 2050 greenhouse gas emissions reduction targets.
Cork County Council	4.3.1.1.2	Upgrade lighting to LED where financially viable, while ensuring the lumen levels and spectral range are maintained or reduced/controlled to avoid effects to biodiversity.
Cork County Council	4.3.1.1.4	Replace equipment with more efficient alternatives when available and financially viable whilst ensuring WEEE generated as a result of this action is appropriately managed.
Cork County Council	4.3.1.2.2	Assess opportunities to replace oil/gas burners usage with renewable alternatives to identify projects for annual implementation programme, having due regard to planning and environmental protection considerations.
Cork County Council	4.3.1.2.3	Assess opportunities to upgrade building insulation to identify projects for annual implementation programme; having due regard to environmental sensitivities such as local human receptors, protected species, European sites and biodiversity, and the need to appropriately conserve protected structures.
Cork County Council	4.3.1.2.4	Assess opportunities to upgrade building air tightness to identify projects for annual implementation programme; having due regard to environmental sensitivities such as local human receptors, protected species, European sites and biodiversity, and the need to appropriately conserve protected structures and features.

Cork County Council	4.3.1.3.2	Assess opportunities to replace vehicles with EV where alternatives available and financially viable consumption to identify projects for annual implementation programme, whilst ensuring energy/fuel used to power electric vehicles is sustainably sourced, and appropriate end-of-life management practices are in place for Electric Vehicles.
Cork County Council	4.3.1.3.3	Assess opportunities to utilise low emission fuels where available and financially viable to identify projects for annual implementation programme, whilst ensuring energy/fuel used to power low emission vehicles is sustainably sourced.
Cork County Council	4.3.1.4.2	Replace equipment with more efficient when available and financially viable, whilst ensuring WEEE generated as a result of this action is appropriately managed.
Cork County Council	4.4.1.3.1	Support the delivery of Local Climate Action projects funded through the new Community Climate Action Programme (CCAP). The CCAP will operate under the following themes. <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Home(Community)/Energy • Travel • Food and Waste • Shopping and Recycling • Local Climate and Environmental Action.
Cork County Council	4.4.1.3.2	Ensure that climate change is a consideration in other community grants administered by the Council.
Cork County Council	4.4.1.8.3	Continue promotion and support for the Active Travel Green Flags: having due regard to environmental sensitivities such as the receiving water environment, biodiversity, European sites and local air quality.
Cork County Council	4.4.1.9.1	Promote and support community growing projects, allotments and community gardens, where suitable land is available, as a way that communities can grow their own food, lower food miles and food waste.
Cork County Council	4.5.1.4.5	Recognise natural regeneration of woodland and Identify opportunities for native tree planting and native woodland creation within authority's landbank - and aim to avail of the Creation of Woodland in Public Lands Scheme and other grant aided schemes to extend native woodland cover in the county, particularly where co-benefits can be achieved.
Cork County Council	4.5.2.1.4	Utilise natural flood management where feasible and financially viable, having due regard to the need to protect environmental sensitivities at these locations, including water quality, biodiversity, European sites, riparian corridors and aquatic ecology.
Cork County Council	4.5.2.3.3	Conduct Beach Sediment Transportation study, to monitor select sites, document coastal change over time, , develop and validate predictive models and inform funding and future interventions having due regard to environmental sensitivities such as European sites and biodiversity.
Cork County Council	4.5.3.1.1	Implement Heritage plan for all aspects of conservation, awareness and recording of all aspects of heritage (built, natural, cultural) ensuring cognisance is taken of climate change and environmental protection considerations, including heritage conservation requirements.

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Cork County Council	4.5.3.1.2	Incorporate climate resilience through Built Heritage Investment scheme, Historic Structure Fund and any other relevant funds introduced, having due regard to environmental protection considerations, including heritage conservation requirements.
Cork County Council	4.6.1.1.5	Promote and support small enterprises with investment in energy efficient technologies and equipment through grants such as the Energy Efficiency Grant.
Cork County Council	4.6.1.1.6	Support micro-SMEs with consultancy services and mentoring towards the development of sustainability management plans through programmes like Green for Micro and Greenstart.
Cork County Council	4.6.1.2.1	Support climate action implementation as part of all local economic development policies, programmes and initiatives, including providing incentives and support for local enterprises to operate on a sustainable model, in collaboration with partners. Assist rural enterprises to transition to a low carbon model is core to this.
Cork County Council	4.7.1.2.1	Develop Active travel projects throughout the county which can deliver greatest behavioural change, having due regard to environmental sensitivities such as the receiving water environment, biodiversity, European sites and local air quality, and opportunities to promote nature based solutions.
Cork County Council	4.7.1.2.6	Apply for funding for Active Travel projects
Cork County Council	4.7.1.5.1	Support and develop the existing Community Enterprise Centres (Hubs) network.
Cork County Council	4.8.1.2.1	Explore opportunities for establishing district heating to serve council assets including social housing in the county, ensuring appropriate regard is had to planning and environmental protection considerations.
Cork County Council	4.8.2.1.3	Investigate other infrastructure where low carbon material could be used such as footpaths, bridges, roundabouts, amenity areas, recreational trails, public realm, and other construction projects.
Cork County Council	4.8.3.1.2	Support provision of information on grant aid for homes and businesses, whilst promoting the need to consider environmental protection requirements during such projects.
Cork County Council	4.8.3.3.1	Support provision of information on grant aid for onsite renewable generation, whilst promoting the need to consider environmental protection requirements during such projects.
Cork County Council	4.8.4.1.2	Prepare and implement an annual funding program for deep energy retrofitting of existing Council housing stock, having due regard for environmental sensitivities such as local human receptors, European sites and biodiversity; protected species, and the need to appropriately protect and conserve protected structures, during any retrofitting works.
Cork County Council	4.8.5.2.7	During the operational lifetime of flood relief schemes, ensure that any upgrades and/or replacements use best available energy efficient technology and/or best practice, including innovative solutions where financially viable.
Cork County Council	4.8.5.2.8	Ensure that procurement of all works/services follows the Department of Public Expenditure and Reform circular 20/2019: Promoting the use of Environmental and Social Considerations in Public Procurement, guidance from CCC Finance Department, and best practice; i.e. that designs are developed so as to reduce environmental impact, and that environmental criteria are included in the procurement process.

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Donegal County Council	GL 1.5	Implement Green Public Procurement on Council projects.
Donegal County Council	GL 3.4	Partner with the Sustainable Energy Authority of Ireland (SEAI) to provide bridging loans to Sustainable Energy Communities so that they can avail of SEAI Grants for preparing Energy Master Plans.
Donegal County Council	GL 3.5	Raise awareness of external funding opportunities to implement climate actions and contribute to achieving overall goals of this plan.
Donegal County Council	TR 2.3	Deliver and maintain multiple Active Travel projects in the County.
Donegal County Council	BE 1.8	Complete Feasibility Assessment for the decarbonization of 15 public buildings in Donegal through the North West Decarb Project
Donegal County Council	BE 1.9	Seek funding opportunities to carry out the recommendations of the North West Decarb Project including capital works.
Donegal County Council	BE 2.3	Work towards affordable homes that are made available for purchase or for rent by the Council under Housing for All having a minimum BER B2 rating.
Donegal County Council	BE 2.4	Promote the National Retrofitting Scheme to private householders to highlight the package of supports that make it easier and more affordable to undertake home energy upgrades.
Donegal County Council	BE 2.5	Continue work on the EU LIFE Local Energy Agencies in Peripheral Regions (LEAP) project to look at feasibility of housing retrofits in Donegal.
Donegal County Council	BE 2.8	Continue participation in the European City Facility (EUCF) to develop an investment concept for the decarbonisation of the Energy systems across the North West Region.
Donegal County Council	BE 4.2	Complete the Interreg funded ShareRES project to consider the benefits of Community Power - SHARing REnewable eneRgy through Energy Communities.
Donegal County Council	BE 4.4	Support local community-based renewable energy projects and new micro-generation and small-scale generation renewable energy projects.
Donegal County Council	BE 5.1	Be proactive in providing flood resilience to municipal infrastructure by conducting flood risk assessments and seeking OPW Funding through their Minor Works programme where necessary and applying nature-based solutions where appropriate.
Donegal County Council	BE 5.2	Deliver 'Climate Adaptation & Resilience' projects on the Regional and Local Roads network, to improve the resilience and sustainability of the regional and local road network and minimise activities that are contributors to climate change.
Donegal County Council	BE 6.1	Support national and regional initiatives to build climate resilience of architectural and archaeological heritage in public and private ownership e.g. the Community Monuments Fund, Historic Towns Initiative, Built Heritage Investment Scheme and Historic Structures Fund.
Donegal County Council	NE 4.3	Based on Nature Based Solutions opportunity mapping, assess feasibility and consider multi benefits of implementation within an overall NBS road map.

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Donegal County Council	NE 4.4	Based on NBS road maps, seek funding opportunities for implementing NBS in appropriate catchments throughout Donegal.
Donegal County Council	CR 4.2	Administer the Community Climate Action Fund to support communities to deliver localised climate action projects.
Donegal County Council	CR 4.3	Include 'Sustainability and Climate Change' scoring on relevant grant assessments to ensure that community groups/stakeholders consider and incorporate Climate Mitigation and Adaptation in all their grant funded activities.
Donegal County Council	SR 1.1	Support National and Regional agencies to deliver energy efficiency refurbishment of pump stations within Taking in Charge Programme for Group Water Schemes (GWS).
Donegal County Council	SR 1.2	Support National and Regional agencies to deliver Water Conservation on Group Water Schemes (GWS) under the Taking in Charge (TIC) Programme for GWS.
Donegal County Council	SR 1.3	Integrate Green Public Procurement within multi-annual frameworks for rural water programme (MARWP) & Environmental Infrastructure Projects.
Donegal County Council	SR 2.2	Provide assistance to Enterprises in their investment in equipment & technologies to reduce their impact on the environment.
Donegal County Council	SR 3.9	Align Council waste contracts with the waste hierarchy in accordance with the National Waste Management Plan for a Circular Economy.
Dublin City Council	S 1.1	Delivery of Active Travel projects in accordance with the 2022 to 2024 projects (C2CC, Liffey, Royal Canal)
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
Dublin City Council	S 3.1	Delivery of Parks Strategy
Dublin City Council	B 1	Undertake programme of flat complex regenerations.
Dublin City Council	B 2	Continuation of planned incremental improvement of housing stock (voids, extensions, boiler replacement, retrofit and energy efficiency programme).
Dublin City Council	B 8	Achieve (& exceed where possible) compliance with current building regulations with the provision of on-site renewable energy in all DCC building projects, new build or retrofit.
Dublin City Council	OS 1	Use Green Public Procurement where feasible in all procurement of goods and services to ensure adverse environmental impacts are avoided and positive environmental impacts are enhanced.
Dublin City Council	OS 2	Undertake annual audits of climate expenditure that considers cost effectiveness, efficiency, governance, relevance, coherence and impacts (environmental and societal).

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Dublin City Council	OS 20	Continue to develop sustainability guidelines and terms and conditions for any events supported, facilitated or organised by DCC, by reviewing terms and conditions for all events approved by DCC to incorporate possible sustainability conditions
Dublin City Council	OS 21	Review terms and conditions for all events approved by DCC to incorporate possible sustainability conditions and integrated considerations for biodiversity and other environmental sensitivities.
Dublin City Council	EP 15	Apply for LAPN (Local Authority Prevention Network) grants.
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.
Dublin City Council	EP 20	Support and promote Green Schools and Annual Conference.
Dublin City Council	EP 21	Develop and implement an education programme to tackle climate issues related to the water sector.
Dublin City Council	EP 27	Apply for EU funding to undertake innovative climate action projects and build partnerships.
Dún Laoghaire Rathdown	EB 2	Develop, or procure a tool to be used for high level assessments of embodied carbon in dlr projects at design stage
Dún Laoghaire Rathdown	EB 8	Implement Energy Performance Contracts (EPC) / energy performance arrangements in agreed dlr-owned buildings
Dún Laoghaire Rathdown	EB 9	Undertake energy upgrades on dlr-owned housing stock through the Energy Efficiency Retrofitting Programme
Dún Laoghaire Rathdown	EB 12	Implement energy upgrades on dlr-owned buildings (non- housing)
Dún Laoghaire Rathdown	EB 15	Engage with funding programmes for energy projects and buildings
Dún Laoghaire Rathdown	EB 18	Implement identified DeliveREE / Pathfinder projects across dlr premises to include the decarbonisation of Significant Energy User (SEU) buildings
Dún Laoghaire Rathdown	EB 26	To improve climate resilience and energy performance of architectural and archaeological heritage in public and private ownership through heritage funding schemes; subject to appropriate protection and restoration considerations
Dún Laoghaire Rathdown	T 6	Support the implementation of Department of Transport Pathfinder Projects
Dún Laoghaire Rathdown	T 11	Support private operators in developing County bike and e-Scooter sharing schemes
Dún Laoghaire Rathdown	F 7	Identify and progress minor works schemes to resolve recurring flood issues, where possible, ensuring the schemes are designed and implemented to include Sustainable Urban Drainage Systems (SuDS) / nature- based solutions/ protection of biodiversity and avoidance of habitat fragmentation
Dún Laoghaire Rathdown	F 23	Develop a resource management plan to ensure that sufficient resources required to deliver on the actions in this theme are in place

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Dún Laoghaire Rathdown	F 24	Develop template to capture impacts, response, and costs (including ecosystem services/natural capital costs) for all major climate events
Dún Laoghaire Rathdown	N 1	Implement the current County Biodiversity Action and Invasive Species Action Plans
Dún Laoghaire Rathdown	N 5	Establish a grant scheme to landowners for the development of a Biodiversity Plan by an Ecologist and to assist the implementation of the Plan's recommendations
Dún Laoghaire Rathdown	R 7	Promote and deliver Climate Action supports to help businesses reduce their greenhouse gas emissions and transition to net zero, circular enterprises
Dún Laoghaire Rathdown	R 11	Monitor Green Public Procurement (GPP) implementation in all dlr tenders and provide training for staff
Dún Laoghaire Rathdown	C 1	Administer the Community Climate Action Fund
Dún Laoghaire Rathdown	C 2	Facilitate the Community Clean Up Scheme
Dún Laoghaire Rathdown	C 14	Promote and support Circular Economy Initiatives with businesses and the community including the feasibility of setting up of blue/circular economy hubs in the county
Fingal County Council	T 2	Increase the km of protected cycle lanes and off road cycle lanes and greenways in the county annually; in line with the Greater Dublin Cycling Network Plan, and the FCC Greenway Plan - including Fingal Coastal Way, the Sutton to Malahide Cycleway, the Broadmeadow Way, Church Fields Link Road, and the Royal Canal Urban Greenway, etc.
Fingal County Council	T 15	Introduction of Pay & Display schemes in accordance with adopted bye-Laws to discourage car use (To decrease car dependency)
Fingal County Council	T 29	Explore the use of sustainable methods of road surfacing that minimise the use of raw materials.
Fingal County Council	F 21	Assess the feasibility of green roofs on all new Fingal public, operational and social buildings and provide where viable and appropriate. Evaluate data from CARO / UCD project on Green Roof substrates.
Fingal County Council	F 29	Build climate resilience of archaeological and built heritage in public and private ownership through the Community Monuments Fund
Fingal County Council	N 6	Explore funding models for carbon offsetting to fund wetland and woodland development
Fingal County Council	N 7	Commission a study to report on the ecosystem services/nature-based solutions provided by Fingal's trees with reference to their economic/climate change adaptation benefits
Fingal County Council	N 8	Assess and adopt tree valuation methods for compensatory / replacement planting, e.g. CAVAT, iTree
Fingal County Council	N 9	Initiate a programme of targeted Strategic Annual Tree Planting including identifying and mapping priority locations, to include sites suitable for woodland creation. Reviewed in an annual works programme, presenting what is planned for the

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		coming year. Taking advantage of government funding programmes such as the New Woodland Creation Scheme on Public Lands
Fingal County Council	E 4	Continuous Improvement through the Energy Performance Contract for County Hall (Swords) and Civic Offices, during the service stage
Fingal County Council	E 5	Procure upgrades through an Energy Performance Contract for Draíocht Arts Centre and public library in Blanchardstown with potential of including Balbriggan Town Hall & Library/ Watery Lane Depot/ Ballycoolin Training Centre
Fingal County Council	E 9	Undertake a feasibility study on utilising the existing Bore Hole with heat pump technology in County Hall Offices to provide heating, and to provide cooling to IT Comms room.
Fingal County Council	E 12	Implementation of identified DeliveREE/ Pathfinder projects across FCC premises to include the decarbonisation of significant energy using buildings.
Fingal County Council	E 13	Feasibility study for retrofit/ fabric upgrades across the 2 Civic Offices
Fingal County Council	E 15	Targeted M&E upgrades across smaller FCC premises, not suitable for EPC. Identifying projects and packages through Planned Preventative Maintenance
Fingal County Council	E 17	Continue to make energy efficiency retrofits to social housing under the DHLGH-supported Energy Retrofit Programme. Ensure FCC's social housing stock has a B2 or cost optimal energy rating where feasible by 2030 (subject to programmes and funding support).
Fingal County Council	E 18	Complete Pilot programme in Strandmill Estate, Portmarnock, in conjunction with SEAI and REIL offering retrofit upgrades to private homeowners, availing of economies of scale when coupled with public housing upgrades. Partially funded by SEAI government grants.
Fingal County Council	E 19	Build on the pilot roll out of EnergyCloud to c. 60 social homes in Swords in 2024 with further roll out to social homes across the county
Fingal County Council	E 22	Green Procurement - Design Team appointments to include a sustainability specialism capable of informing all stages of the design process and documenting the required evidence to achieve accreditation under a recognised Building Assessment Method such as the IGBC Home Performance Index, BREEAM and LEED
Fingal County Council	E 26	Assess potential for viable renewable energy projects on a temporary/permanent basis, on Council controlled lands
Fingal County Council	E 30	Work with SMEs to promote energy efficient adaptations through Local Enterprise Office initiatives including Green for Business and the Energy Efficiency Grant.
Fingal County Council	E 32	Promote and encourage routine maintenance and good housekeeping to maintain the older building stock of the county in good condition in order to reduce energy consumption and extend the building's life-cycle (e.g. Fingal's Stitch in Time Grant, National Schemes of Built Heritage Investment Scheme, Historic Structures Fund, Community Monument Fund).
Fingal County Council	R 1	Develop a Green Public Procurement (GPP) strategy

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Fingal County Council	R 2	Develop a monitoring and reporting tool to ensure GPP is embedded into all Procurements
Fingal County Council	R 3	Ensure GPP Monitoring & Reporting is undertaken to ensure Green Criteria is included in contracts.
Fingal County Council	R 23	Identify opportunities for the acquisition of land and buildings by agreement/CPO for renewable energy/ regeneration/active travel/greenway / green infrastructure projects etc
Fingal County Council	C 1	Promote & Administer Community Climate Action grants for 2023 - 2026. Approve grants to communities to deliver climate action projects across the thematic areas as per grant guidelines.
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 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	5	Develop Galway City Council investment plan, inclusive of budget estimates, to deliver GCC 2030 energy, emissions targets and actions outlined within this LACAP. Plan to include climate related project funding options study for Galway City Council considering all options for local, regional, national and EU funding opportunities to support climate projects.
Galway City Council	7	Implement climate positive requirements and life-cycle costing into all Galway City Council procurement process; including: tenders, procurement documents, specifications, terms of service, project plans and event licences and all other relevant documents to ensure climate positive impacts are part of all operational activities.
Galway City Council	17	Strive to position Galway City Council as a Lead Local Authority in Ireland on climate action by ensuring adequate staff assigned to the climate action team to support implementation of this Climate Action Plan and achievement of 2030 targets.
Galway City Council	18	Deliver actions set out within the Galway City Council Westside Decarbonisation Zone (DZ) Implementation Plan
Galway City Council	28	Require all organisations to outline climate actions which will be enabled through all grant funding to be provided by GCC as part of the grant application process. GCC to apply priority weighting to grant applications which contribute largest share to achieving climate action goals.
Galway City Council	30	Development and implementation of infrastructure and technology across the city to reduce water wastage, such as water fountains in collaboration with Uisce Éireann where necessary. Develop feasibility studies for rainwater harvesting pilots across Galway City Council owned buildings, as possible solutions to implementing water conservation actions.
Galway City Council	32	Deliver the community climate action fund and work to identify further funding streams for local climate action projects and support communities and voluntary sector in developing and implementing climate adaptation and mitigation projects at local level including nature based solutions that can provide co benefits to people and nature.

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Galway City Council	51	Collaborate with National Transport Authority (NTA)/ Transport For Ireland (TFI) to trial replacement of Leap Cards with contactless card payments on public transport within Galway City.
Galway County Council	GL 2.1	Obtain and maintain ISO50001 Energy Management certification by Q4 2024. Establish data management system. Provide adequate funding and resources to achieve target of 51% reduction in energy-related emissions, 51% reduction in thermal emissions, and 50% improvement in energy efficiency by 2030.
Galway County Council	GL 2.2	Approve and implement annual retrofit programme for GCC buildings under the SEAI Pathfinder Programme and Community Energy Grant Scheme.
Galway County Council	GL 2.3	Enable staff to utilise practical lower-carbon options for undertaking business travel through provision of electric bikes and vehicles, carpooling, etc. Support the uptake of remote working and online conferencing tools to reduce commuting and business travel.
Galway County Council	GL 2.4	Conduct feasibility study and integration of renewable alternative fuel options for Galway County Council vehicle fleet ensuring appropriate regard is had to the sustainability of sourced alternative fuels.
Galway County Council	GL 2.5	Prepare, approve and implement a Fleet Management Strategy in line with LA Re-Imagining Transport Study while ensuring sustainability criteria are appropriately considered during procurement processes.
Galway County Council	GL 2.7	Continue to make energy efficiency retrofits to social housing under the DHLGH-supported Energy Retrofit Programme having due regard to biodiversity and the need to appropriately conserve protected structures.
Galway County Council	GL 3.2	Support the development, implementation and sharing of best practice in relation to Green Public Procurement. Develop a Sustainable Wood Procurement Strategy and overall Green Public Procurement Strategy through the Cities4Forests Programme. Develop a monitoring and reporting tool to ensure GPP is embedded into all procurement.
Galway County Council	GL 4.1	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, Cities4Forests etc.
Galway County Council	EB 1.2	Conduct a feasibility study to identify and assess the potential areas and sources for district heating in the county.
Galway County Council	EB 3.1	The provision of public Wastewater Treatment Plants in towns and villages that are not currently served is vital to facilitate compact and sustainable growth. Support Uisce Éireann and the national government to prioritise locations and seek funding for provision of these services.
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.

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Galway County Council	TR 1.10	Conduct a comprehensive feasibility assessment, including safety, environmental, and cost considerations, for the potential implementation of Dutch-style roundabouts within Galway County Council's transportation infrastructure.
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 1.4	Include 'Sustainability and Climate Change' scoring on relevant grant assessments to ensure that community groups/ stakeholders consider and incorporate Climate Mitigation and Adaptation in all their grant-funded activities.
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 2.1	Actively seek funding through the 'EU Just Transition Fund' programme with a focus on Climate Action measures.
Galway County Council	CP 2.2	Develop and implement an updated Local Economic and Community Plan ensuring climate change is factored into the Plan's development.
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.
Galway County Council	CE 1.5	Investigate the potential for the reuse of waste materials from roads in new construction projects.
Galway County Council	AD 1.2	Collaborate with Government organisations to provide capital measures for identified priority areas incorporating nature based solutions, biodiversity and water quality enhancement.
Kerry County Council	1.3.1	Undertaken a Decarbonisation Fleet Roadmap as recommended in the 2023 Local Authority Fleet – Strategy to Decarbonisation, ensuring such a roadmap promotes procurement of sustainably source fuel for fleet vehicles.
Kerry County Council	1.3.5	Trial the use of an alternative sustainable fuel option in KCC Fleet.
Kerry County Council	1.3.7	Investigate lease/hire for KCC fleet as a means to ensuring fleet are modern and efficient.
Kerry County Council	1.5.2	Collaborate with Transport Infrastructure Ireland (TII) to secure funding for Greenway infrastructure in Kerry, having due regard to environmental sensitivities such as the receiving water environment, local air quality, biodiversity, European sites, and cultural heritage related sensitivities.
Kerry County Council	1.5.3	Deliver active travel programme/projects including those supported under the Active Travel Investment Programme (i.e., Pedestrian Zone Schemes etc/multi-modal travel/e-mobility hubs.), whilst ensuring active travel projects are: - Designed and developed appropriately and in a manner that will not result in the occurrence of development-related negative environmental effects. - Support the carrying out of environmental/biodiversity enhancement during the active travel development process

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Kerry County Council	1.6.7	Ensure pathfinder projects are aligned with Land Use plans/planning policy.
Kerry County Council	1.7.1	Continue to seek funding from the Community Monument Funds (CMF) to undertake works to local authority owned sites identified at risk from climate change.
Kerry County Council	1.7.3	Continue to improve energy performance and build climate, resilience in local architectural, heritage through management, and administration of the Built, Heritage Investment Scheme, Historic Structures Fund and any other relevant funds introduced, having due regard to environmental sensitivities such as protected species, European sites and biodiversity.
Kerry County Council	3.3.2	Investigate the use by KCC of low carbon road surfacing solutions
Kerry County Council	3.3.3	Ensure re-use of materials is included as a sustainability criteria in KCC's Green Procurement Policy
Kerry County Council	3.3.6	LA own developments seek where feasible to re-use materials and/or use/support innovative low-carbon materials/building techniques, whilst ensuring waste is managed properly and in compliance with the Waste Management Act.
Kerry County Council	3.3.8	Administration of the Community Climate Action Fund for Kerry.
Kerry County Council	4.1.1	Pursue/avail of other climate action funding as it becomes available.
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	4.3.2	Support training courses for business development & startups within retrofitting sector.
Kerry County Council	4.4.6	Support small enterprises with investment in energy efficient technologies and equipment through the Energy Efficiency Grant.
Kerry County Council	4.4.7	Support micro-SMEs with Consultancy services towards the development of sustainability management plans (Green for Micro & Greenstart).
Kerry County Council	5.2.1	Put Climate Action Unit in place as per national funding allocation.
Kerry County Council	5.3.5	Improve knowledge and understanding of how the Council is affected by extreme weather events in terms of providing its services and its financial impact
Kerry County Council	5.5.1	Include GPP Criteria in KCC Tenders.
Kerry County Council	5.5.2	Investigate available tools to incorporate whole-life costing/lifecycle assessment (LCA) into procurement process.
Kerry County Council	5.5.3	Support low carbon goods/service in procurement practices.

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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	G5	Support CARO to develop a targeted training plan to support relevant Council staff on the requirements for sustainable design, green procurement, low carbon construction methods, biodiversity, water conservation, reuse of existing buildings, etc.
Kildare County Council	G7	Embed climate considerations in budgeting process and accommodate trade off on budgetary constraints, to be an exemplar in green procurement such as through specifying low carbon methods and materials in construction. Consider testing a construction Circular Economy public procurement training clause in the tendering process utilising BUSGoCircular
Kildare County Council	G10	Prepare and apply a protocol to enable and require a pre-set standard for 'Climate Proofing' including energy efficient, accessible and water sensitive urban design of all local authority led capital plans, purchases and investment for example; projects funded under the Outdoor Recreation Scheme, Active Travel Scheme, Urban Regeneration and Development Fund, etc. ensuring the protocol has appropriate regard to environmental protection requirements, environmental sensitivities such as European Sites, biodiversity and opportunities for promoting climate action co-benefits.
Kildare County Council	B3	Promote the National Retrofitting Scheme to private householders to highlight the package of supports to make it easier and more affordable for homeowners to undertake home energy upgrades, whilst advocating and exerting influence to ensure due regard is had to environmental sensitivities such as local human receptors, protected species associated with such buildings, European sites and biodiversity; and the need to appropriately protect and conserve protected structures, during any retrofitting works.
Kildare County Council	B6	Build climate resilience and improve energy performance of architectural and archaeological heritage in public and private ownership through schemes such as the Built Heritage Investment Scheme, Historic Structure Fund, Historic Towns Initiative, Irish Walled Towns Network and Community Monuments Fund, having appropriate regard to the need to protect and conserve the architectural or cultural heritage value that may be associated with such buildings, and protected species that may be present in such buildings.
Kildare County Council	B8	Ensure that all new residential and commercial buildings constructed within the County comply with the Nearly Zero Energy Buildings (NZEB) standards of the European Energy Performance of Buildings Directive and the Zero-Emission Building (ZEB) standard once implemented and the pending Office of Government Procurement policy on low carbon

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		construction methods, materials and whole life-cycle analysis approaches in all publicly procured projects (CAP23 Action EN/23/11).
Kildare County Council	B13	Undertake a feasibility study of the potential for district heating or energy from key sources within the County including data centres, wastewater treatment plants and large industry, ensuring such a report as appropriate regard to planning and environmental protection considerations.
Kildare County Council	B22	Deliver the Pathfinder Projects identified for County Kildare under the National Sustainable Mobility Policy (such as the Naas Mobility Network Integration) and initiatives, 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, during any retrofitting works.
Kildare County Council	R2	Include ‘Sustainability and Climate Change’ scoring on relevant grant assessments to ensure that community groups/ stakeholders consider and incorporate Climate Mitigation and Adaptation in all their grant funded activities
Kildare County Council	R4	Identify ways to support grant administrators in their role as influencers of climate action/ sustainability and protecting water resources through administration of grants across council services.
Kildare County Council	R14	To carry out a feasibility assessment to determine if it is possible to identify waterbodies that are both particularly vulnerable to extreme water events associated with climate change, and at risk of not meeting the requirements of the EU Water Framework Directive. Implement any protective and remediation measures for waterbodies identified.
Kilkenny County Council	1.3	Develop and implement a Kilkenny County Council Green Public Procurement (GPP) Strategy
Kilkenny County Council	1.4	Climate proof Kilkenny County Council internal financial systems.
Kilkenny County Council	1.5	Internal audit monitoring of the management, reporting and delivery of statutory targets related to climate change /climate action within all relevant Service Areas in the Council
Kilkenny County Council	1.7	Climate proof Kilkenny County Council grants programmes
Kilkenny County Council	1.16	Review the Kilkenny County Council Development Contribution Scheme to assess the feasibility of incentivising low carbon development
Kilkenny County Council	2.16	Explore the feasibility of using new low carbon technologies for road reconstruction on regional roads; and for reducing waste through re-use of materials
Kilkenny County Council	2.24	Identify and implement a pipeline of projects for local authority assets to assist in achieving emissions and energy reduction targets
Kilkenny County Council	4.1	Deliver the Community Climate Action Fund. Ensure projects supported by this action are delivered in a manner that has due regard to: * All relevant environmental sensitivities (e.g., heritage, biodiversity, European site related sensitivities), and; * Opportunities to promote climate action co-benefits, where possible (e.g., through the use of nature-based solutions or sustainable drainage systems).

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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	5.4	Investigate the feasibility and cost of implementing a climate action focussed financial incentive scheme for the business sector, such as a rates reduction scheme
Kilkenny County Council	5.5	Support local businesses and social enterprises to optimise opportunities in the green tech and circular/green economy
Kilkenny County Council	5.6	Kilkenny Tourism CLG 'Green team' will develop sustainability awareness and training initiatives in collaboration with Failte Ireland, and green procurement criteria
Laois County Council	9	The Council will prepare applications seeking funding under various national programmes, including the Just Transition programme, to deliver on actions under this LACAP.
Laois County Council	13	Integration of Green Public Procurement (GPP) principles will be a standard practice in all Laois County Council procurement processes, aligning with the Sustainable Public Procurement Objectives outlined in Laois County Council Corporate Procurement Plan 2021-2023 and GPP Internal Guidance Note 2023.
Laois County Council	14	Laois County Council will sustain Green Public Procurement (GPP) training and conduct internal workshops to enhance staff capacity across the organization. By providing ongoing training and workshops focused on Green Public Procurement, Laois County Council aims to consistently strengthen the understanding and expertise of its staff members in implementing environmentally responsible procurement practices.
Laois County Council	22	Laois County Council will continue to facilitate the upgrade of existing vacant & derelict residential and commercial properties in County Laois through schemes such as Town Centre First and Croi Conaithe.
Laois County Council	35	In response to the predicted frequency of higher intensity rainfalls, Laois County Council aims to propose a real term increase of 1% per annum above inflation over the life of this plan for gully maintenance and general piped drainage maintenance.
Laois County Council	36	Considering the predicted frequency of higher intensity rainfalls, Laois County Council will propose a real term increase of 1% per annum above inflation over the life of this plan for masonry bridge works. During the execution of these works, the Council will continue to have due regard to the need to appropriately protect and conserve protected structures in accordance with relevant protected structures regulations, and the need to not negatively impinge on any protected species or European sites.
Laois County Council	37	In response to the predicted frequency of higher intensity rainfalls, Laois County Council will propose, in its annual budgets, a real term increase of 1% per annum above inflation over the life of this plan for river drainage maintenance works. During the execution of these works, the Council will continue to have due regard to environmental sensitivities at these locations, including water quality, biodiversity, European sites, riparian corridors and aquatic ecology.
Laois County Council	49	Laois County Council will conduct a feasibility study for Solar Farm at Kyletalesha landfill, ensuring this study has appropriate regard to planning and environmental protection considerations.

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Laois County Council	57	Laois County Council will work with other agencies to identify priority locations for bus shelters throughout the County and work with funding agencies to secure provision of bus shelters and upgrades to existing. Development supported by this action will, as normal, be carried out in line with planning and environmental protection requirements.
Laois County Council	79	Laois County Council will implement the Community Climate Action Fund to engage communities in local, community-led Climate Action projects.
Laois County Council	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.
Laois County Council	92	Laois County Council will introduce and maintain an online payment system.
Laois County Council	106	Laois County Council will support micro SMEs with consultancy services towards the development of sustainability management plans (Energy Efficiency Programme & Greenstart)
Laois County Council	107	Laois County Council will provide Green Procurement Training for Businesses, enabling them to effectively adhere to Green Public Procurement (GPP) principles when participating in tender processes.
Laois County Council	111	Laois County Council will, in partnership, apply for feasibility and eco tourism concept development through Just Transition Regenerative Tourism Fund, while also promoting the need for such a project to consider environmental protection requirements and climate action co-benefit opportunities.
Leitrim County Council	GL 1	Finalise, adopt and implement a Green Public Procurement (GPP) strategy aligned with national policies. The GPP strategy to be implemented across all services and functions and utilised for the procurement of services and materials in so far as practicable.
Leitrim County Council	GL 2	Develop a monitoring and reporting tool to ensure GPP is embedded into all procurement.
Leitrim County Council	GL 3	Ensure GPP Monitoring & Reporting (M&R) is undertaken to Green Criteria and included in contracts.
Leitrim County Council	GL 11	Develop and implement a Financial Management resource for recording the cost of major climate / weather events.
Leitrim County Council	GL 20	Inform Industry, Business and Enterprise of applicable funding sources available to them to assist with GHG reduction or implementation of energy upgrades.
Leitrim County Council	B 1	Deliver the Leitrim Pathfinder Programme and pursue other national and regional funding sources for retrofitting and improving energy efficiency and reducing emissions. Promote the need to adhere to environmental protection requirements during retrofit projects, including the need to appropriately conserve built heritage.
Leitrim County Council	B 12	Ensure water efficiency and conservation measures are implemented in new LA buildings and housing, by including water saving technologies in public housing and buildings, training plumbers, and building contractors in water efficiency measures and including water efficiency measures in Green Procurement.

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Leitrim County Council	B 16	Resolve local flooding issues utilising OPW and Department of Transport funding (Drainage Programme, Climate Adaptation and Resilience Works, OPW Minor Works Scheme e.g. Dromahaire, Glenfarne, Ballingleragh, Jamestown.
Leitrim County Council	B 19	Pursue maintenance funding for works on local flooding areas ensuring the plan takes nature-based solutions and protection of biodiversity into consideration.
Leitrim County Council	B 26	Explore the use of alternative road making methods & materials – cold and recycled mixes. Explore ways to minimise the expected increase in maintenance requirements (and associated costs) to road infrastructure from climate stress – Integrating climate change considerations at design stages.
Leitrim County Council	B 28	Continue to roll out Active-Travel infrastructure maximising available funding from National Transport Authority (NTA), having due regard to opportunities to enhance tourism, recreation and cultural heritage value associated with active travel routes, and environmental sensitivities such as the receiving water environment, local air quality, biodiversity, European sites, and cultural heritage related sensitivities.
Leitrim County Council	B 40	Purchase EVs as replacement fleet vehicles where suitable, and where available on the market, in line with decarbonisation strategy, whilst ensuring energy / fuel used to power local authority alternative vehicles is sustainably sourced and ensure appropriate end-of-life management practices are in place for local authority owned Electric Vehicles.
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 3	Include ‘Sustainability and Climate Change’ criteria on LA initiated grant schemes for scoring assessments to ensure that community groups / stakeholders consider and incorporate Climate Mitigation and Adaption in all their grant funded activities.
Leitrim County Council	CRT 9	Investigate and utilise funds that provide for cycle routes within schools, community facilities, sports and youth clubs having due regard to environmental sensitivities such as the receiving water environment, biodiversity, European sites, local air quality and cultural heritage.
Leitrim County Council	CRT 10	Promote and implement the Community Climate Action Fund 2023-2026 to engage communities in localised Climate Action Projects.
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	SR 14	Support business in their transition via government initiatives, e.g. Green for Micro.
Limerick City & County Council	T 3	Examine the feasibility of the provision of new greenways either within disused rail lines or immediately adjacent to existing or proposed rail corridors having due regard to environmental sensitivities such as archaeology, European sites, biodiversity and amenity value, and the potential to enhance ecological connectivity

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Limerick City & County Council	T 12	In road construction projects, minimise the use of virgin materials and promote the use of reclaimed asphalt pavement (RAP) or low carbon alternatives Ensure material reuse takes place in accordance with Regulation 27 and 28 of the Waste management Act and materials reused are inert and environmentally non-hazardous.
Limerick City & County Council	T 13	Prepare inventory of Local Authority fleet, including leased vehicles and status of same.
Limerick City & County Council	T 14	Assess individual vehicles of the Class (GVW) available in EV format. Ascertain the minimum annual KM to be of benefit as a change from ICE (Internal Combustion Engine) to EV. Agree a fleet replacement plan to comply with SI-381-2021 whilst ensuring appropriate end-of-life management practices are in place for Electric Vehicles under the ownership of local authorities.
Limerick City & County Council	T 15	For the vehicles that will not migrate to EV, assess EURO Stage emissions and look at replacements with newer improved emission levels. Alternatively Switch from DERV to HVO (Hydrotreated Vegetable Oil) proposed test at Park rd depot before roll out to main depots Ensure renewable fuels procured by the local authority are sourced from sustainable sources.
Limerick City & County Council	T 17	Assess non vehicle ICE usage within the organisation, Con Saws , Leaf Blowers, etc to establish what can be migrated to chargeable options.
Limerick City & County Council	T 19	Examine the viability of establishing a EV pool to include optimum locations. Establish charging locations and booking platform.
Limerick City & County Council	B 5	Carry out a feasibility study on the introduction of a district heating network in Limerick City.
Limerick City & County Council	B 6	Investigate the establishment of a sustainable investment fund to support the retrofitting of historic buildings across Limerick.
Limerick City & County Council	B 7	Support owners of historic building to carry out appropriate retrofitting initiatives by developing guidance and supports.
Limerick City & County Council	B 12	Carry out energy audits of Council properties to identify the scale of investments required to meet the required carbon reductions.
Limerick City & County Council	B 14	All buildings leased or bought by LCCC shall have an energy rating of A3 or better, as per SI 426 of 2014.
Limerick City & County Council	B 15	Carry out an assessment of the renewable energy potential across the council's property portfolio to include buildings and land. Should include the potential to support EV roll out as well as local REC formation.
Limerick City & County Council	B 16	Install maximum solar PV on appropriate LCCC owned corporate building whilst having due regard to environmental sensitivities (European sites, biodiversity, glint and glare impacts, built heritage).
Limerick City & County Council	B 17	Continue retrofitting Council owned social housing to reduce carbon emissions as well as addressing fuel poverty 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.

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Limerick City & County Council	B 18	Make applications to Pathfinder. Pathfinder is a programme operated by SEAI. It provides finance to achieve substantial energy savings by bundling similar large-scale projects together. It is operated by SEAI having due regard to environmental sensitivities such as biodiversity, European Sites and sensitive human receptors.
Limerick City & County Council	G 12	Continue to participate in and maximise the benefits of EU-funded environmental and climate-related European Projects.
Limerick City & County Council	G 17	Adopt and implement the Green Public Procurement Strategy.
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 11	Continue to deliver on the Community Climate Action Fund.
Limerick City & County Council	C 12	Deliver Engagement programmes regarding funding opportunities and local development.
Longford County Council	1	Longford County Council is fully committed to effectively resource climate action.
Longford County Council	23	Longford County Council will increase and invest in climate action measures to make the Dog Control Service more sustainable.
Longford County Council	44	Longford County Council will develop, implement, and promote a green procurement policy.
Louth County Council	GL 7	Develop robust Green Public Procurement practices specific to Louth Council and incorporate these into all procurement exercises carried out by the local authority. Mitigation
Louth County Council	NEGI 3	Provide support to add value to the green school's program through funding if available and outreach projects.
Louth County Council	CRT 7	Include 'Sustainability and Climate Change' scoring on relevant grant assessments to ensure that community groups/ stakeholders consider and incorporate Climate Mitigation and Adaptation in all their grant funded activities
Louth County Council	CRT 13	Continue LEO Green for Business programme
Louth County Council	SRM 1	Apply a protocol to enable a standard for 'Climate Proofing' including "water sensitive urban design" for all local authority led capital plans, purchases and investments for example; projects funded under the Outdoor Recreation Scheme, Active Travel Scheme, Urban Regeneration and Development Fund etc
Louth County Council	SRM 4	Fully support and resource the Louth County Council energy and Facilities team to continue to work towards our 51% carbon reduction by 2030 targets.
Mayo County Council	18	Administer Community Climate Action Fund
Mayo County Council	22	Incorporate 'future proofing' on relevant grants and funding provided by MCC.

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Mayo County Council	23	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 events.
Mayo County Council	24	Provide information of potential relevant funding sources to assist in 'future proofing' and encourage a collaborative approach that supports climate mitigation, resilience to climate change impacts and adaptation that reflects good practice.
Meath County Council	GL 2	Use green procurement where feasible in all procurement of good and services.
Meath County Council	GL 5	Identify an appropriate monitoring and reporting protocol on the implementation of low carbon construction in public tenders and grant schemes.
Meath County Council	GL 6	Undertake annual audits of climate expenditure that considers cost effectiveness, efficiency, governance, relevance, coherence and impacts.
Meath County Council	BET 11	All Buy and Renew acquisition properties should be retrofitted to a B2 BER rating or higher including provision of Energy Efficient Design, on-site renewable energy, EV Charging Facilities, SuDs, and nature-based solutions utilised, as feasible.
Meath County Council	BET 13	Deliver public lighting LED retrofit project under PLEEP (Public Lighting Energy Efficient Project).
Meath County Council	BET 16	Increase active travel usage in town centres through improved sustainable active travel proposals and an enhanced pedestrian and public realm environment.
Meath County Council	BET 17	Explore the feasibility of sustainable energy and heating solutions in County Meath.
Meath County Council	NE 4	Plant native woodland on appropriate LA owned lands.
Meath County Council	CRT 4	Expand operation and availability of bike and car share schemes. Promote bike and car share scheme.
Meath County Council	CRT 9	Review of flood events and flood susceptibility of infrastructure and liaise with relevant MCC Sections and Uisce Eireann to identify assets at risk from flooding/extreme rainfall to inform and implement low-cost 'minor works' flood relief schemes.
Meath County Council	CRT 13	Administer and support Strand 1 & 1A of Community Climate Action Programme to deliver selected Climate Action projects.
Meath County Council	CRT 16	Develop and introduce a "Greening Festival" funding criteria for a selection of Meath-based festivals.
Meath County Council	SR 3	Support the establishment of 'Circular Economy Hubs' that act as physical material hubs for the drop-off and recirculation of materials and products from and for both commercial and residential activities.
Meath County Council	SR 5	Support locally produced sustainable food products and promote sustainable farm practices.
Meath County Council	SR 6	Provision of a 2 Day Green for Business Environmental Audit amongst small businesses in the County (1-50 employees).

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Meath County Council	SR 7	Support business in their transition via Government initiatives e.g., green for micro.
Meath County Council	SR 9	Promotion of local jobs and local workspaces to reduce the amount of commuting outside of the county.
Monaghan County Council	GL 5	Prepare a Green Public Procurement strategy for MCC to ensure Green Public Procurement is considered in all tenders.
Monaghan County Council	GL 7	Ensure MCC commits the required budget, and human resources for climate action, to implement the Climate Action Plan.
Monaghan County Council	GL 13	Identify and draw down funding from all available sources for climate action.
Monaghan County Council	BE 8	Increase housing stock units and reduce vacancy and dereliction by administering the vacant property refurbishment grant (Croi Conaithe); having due regard to protected species, biodiversity, European sites and the need to appropriately conserve protected structures.
Monaghan County Council	T 16	Resolve local flooding issues utilising OPW and Department of transport funding. (Climate Adaptation & Resilience works, OPW Minor works scheme.) Maintain transport network and other assets by removing blockages to reduce the risk of surface water floods; having due regard to the need to promote nature-based solutions and Sustainable Drainage Systems, and environmental sensitivities at these locations, including water quality, biodiversity, European sites, riparian corridors and aquatic ecology, visual amenity and recreation and amenity value.
Monaghan County Council	NEGI 2	Develop a Tree and Woodland Plan to increase tree cover on Council-owned land, using appropriate native species to store carbon, support nature, improve soils and water quality, and aid flood protection and urban design. Aim to increase areas of public land under forestry through schemes such as “Forest Creation on Public Lands”.
Monaghan County Council	CRT 3	Support communities to access funding for environmentally sustainable projects or action on climate change.
Monaghan County Council	CRT 4	Include Climate Action scoring on grant assessments to ensure that community groups incorporate Climate Action in all their grant funded activities.
Monaghan County Council	CRT 7	Support the roll out of Creative Ireland climate action funding to incorporate the arts into climate action community 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 11	Expand the Green Business support scheme enabling businesses to measure their existing carbon footprint and obtain recommendations.
Offaly County Council	GL 1.1	As leaders on climate action, local authorities will need to demonstrate strong ownership of agreed targets and the capacity to integrate climate action into the core policymaking, prioritisation, and budgetary processes of their organisations.

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Offaly County Council	GL 2.4	Develop a Green Public Procurement Strategy for Offaly County Council
Offaly County Council	GL 2.5	Promote green procurement, in order for goods, services and works to support environmental and wider sustainable development objectives, to assist in balancing cost effectiveness and sustainable development and to represent both short-term and long-term value for money.
Offaly County Council	GL 4.5	Offaly County Council will continue to utilise and promote the EU Just Transition Funding within the mechanisms of each available pillar and call
Offaly County Council	BE 2.1.3	Upgrade of corporate buildings via Pathway project towards achieving 2030 targets, 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.
Offaly County Council	BE 2.1.6	Investigate the potential for and funding sources to develop our approach to affordable net zero energy retrofits
Offaly County Council	BE 2.3.2	Build climate resilience and improve energy performance of architectural and archaeological heritage in public and private ownership through schemes such as BHIS, HSF, HTI, IWTN and Community Monuments Fund.
Offaly County Council	BE 2.4.1	Address Vacancy & Dereliction - under URDF and Vacancy Property Refurbishment Grant schemes
Offaly County Council	BE 2.4.3	Apply for funding under various funding streams to facilitate the regeneration of communities and town / village centres, under the Urban and Rural Regeneration and Development Funds and Town and Village Renewal Schemes
Offaly County Council	NE 4.1.4	Resource and implement relevant actions of the National Biodiversity Action Plan 2023-2030 (currently at draft stage) the Biodiversity Climate Change Sectoral Adaptation Plan 2019
Offaly County Council	C 5.1.1	Offaly LCDC will ringfence a portion of the Community Enhancement Programme
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 5.1.11	Offaly LCDC will support expressions of interest for funding from community and voluntary groups who are seeking funding to carry out climate action projects through the LEADER Programme
Offaly County Council	C 5.2.3	Administer Community Climate Action Fund
Offaly County Council	C 5.2.4	Support Sustainable Energy Communities by way of signed MoU with SEAI regarding the provision of bridge funding.
Offaly County Council	C 5.2.5	Annual Funding towards community mitigation actions
Offaly County Council	C 5.3.3	Support Green for Business programme assisting enterprises to improve sustainability in their businesses
Offaly County Council	C 5.3.4	Support LEAN Programmes, assisting enterprises to improve efficiencies and reduce waste in their businesses

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Offaly County Council	C 5.3.9	Offering Grants and Incentives - LEO Offaly can provide financial support through grants to local businesses to implement climate-friendly measures. This can include funding for energy-efficient equipment, eco-friendly product development and contribution to the circular economy.
Offaly County Council	S 6.1.4	Seek funding to conduct a Geothermal Mapping Project for all of Offaly to identify potential areas where the use of renewable geothermal heating is economically feasible.
Offaly County Council	S 6.1.5	Seek funding for a County Wide Energy Master Plan
Offaly County Council	S 6.1.6	Investigate the potential for a District Heat Network and smaller neighbourhood district heating schemes
Offaly County Council	S 6.2.2	Support litter projects in local communities through the provision of supplies and financial support if possible
Offaly County Council	S 6.2.3	Provide funding support and collaboration as per signed SLA with Kildare County Council to the Scientific Assessment of Alternatives to Herbicide Use in the Maintenance of Amenity Public Open Space project
Offaly County Council	S 6.2.6	Offaly County Council to collaborate with relevant stakeholders in supporting and promoting local bioeconomy initiatives through existing structures such as Just Transition Fund and others in line with national Bioeconomy Action Plan 2023-2025 and future plans over the life of the LACAP.
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	BET2	Implement prioritised SEAI Pathfinder projects in RCC including Aras an Chontae, Dillon House Library, Roscommon Leisure Centre, Roscommon Arts Centre and Roscommon Library and progress remaining buildings identified in Energy Audit process, prioritising significant energy users. Progress Public Lighting Energy Efficiency Project in support of energy efficient public lighting. Incorporate additional energy saving measures in consultation with local communities; having due regard to protected species, biodiversity, European Sites and the need to appropriately conserve protected structures.
Roscommon County Council	BET8	Investigate the potential for the extension of the EV and renewable CNG networks and provision of alternatives to the current diesel fuelled HGV fleet, having due regard to relevant environmental sensitivities and available grid/main capacity. RCC opposes the use of gas from fracked sources in the fuel mix.
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 7	Establish and coordinate links with relevant state departments, semi-state bodies and advisory agencies in support of the development, application and funding of Climate Action innovations in operations, service delivery and infrastructural provision (including roads programme) at policy/programme development stage and through targeted education and training programmes in the areas of planning, H&S, roads, regeneration and environment, whilst advocating and exerting influence to ensure projects promote Climate Action co-benefits and do not contravene relevant environmental protection criteria or cause significant negative environmental effects.

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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 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	SRM 1	Embed Green procurement into all functional areas of RCC
Sligo County Council	6	Ensure that Green Public Procurement guidelines are implemented fully across all procurement carried out by or on behalf of Sligo County Council
Sligo County Council	13	Continue the provision of climate friendly schemes like Green for Business and Energy Efficiency Grant schemes and provide information, training & support to new & existing businesses to improve sustainability & energy efficiency
Sligo County Council	14	Include 'Sustainability and Climate Change' criteria on relevant LA grant conditions.
Sligo County Council	16	Work with Regional Energy Bureau to develop grant applications for SEAI Pathfinder grant programmes, and implement decarbonisation projects on Local Authority buildings.
Sligo County Council	21	Identify potential energy saving initiatives that can be applied to social housing stock and carry out pilots before extension to all stock
Sligo County Council	28	Deliver the Community Climate Action Fund, and the promotion of other related funding streams, including the Creative Climate Action Fund, and ensure full use of available resources.
South Dublin County Council	E 8	Progress Energy Performance Contracts (EPC) to deliver energy efficiency targets for SDCC owned buildings with significant energy usage, including the Leisure Centres, County Hall and Library, and Clondalkin Civic Offices.
South Dublin County Council	E 14	Maximise opportunities to avail of funding sources, to support a range of climate action projects across the County, including European Union (EU) funding streams.
South Dublin County Council	E 15	Install Solar PV on suitable SDCC owned buildings, focusing on Community Centres and Libraries, and examine the potential for installation on other assets.
South Dublin County Council	E 16	Investigate opportunities to install solar panels at Depots (roofs / solar car port etc), with the aim of supplying renewable energy to offset the expected increase in consumption due to the planned fleet decarbonisation and associated EV charging. Refer to note G below
South Dublin County Council	E 20	Investigate the feasibility of developing a commercial scale Solar PV plant at Arthurstown Landfill site and look to progress any feasible recommendations.
South Dublin County Council	E 21	Identify sites or opportunities for trialling renewable energy projects including but not limited to solar, wind, hydro and pumped storage.

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South Dublin County Council	GOV 2	Ensure Green Public Procurement (GPP) implementation in all SDCC tenders as part of the scored quality assessment, in order to source goods, services and works with a reduced climate and environmental impact, with a priority placed on goods, services and works with a neutral climate and environmental impact. Provide relevant GPP training for staff.
South Dublin County Council	GOV 3	Ensure that all new SDCC Projects are assessed for the feasibility of incorporating climate actions and measures, with a focus on energy, greenhouse gas emissions, nature based Sustainable Drainage Systems (SuDS), enhancing and retaining Green Infrastructure (GI), biodiversity, sustainable transport and modal shift, EV charging, and environmental protection and co-benefits.
South Dublin County Council	GOV 6	Develop, or procure, a tool to be used to calculate Scope 3 emissions across all SDCC activities.
South Dublin County Council	T 25	In road construction projects, minimise the use of virgin materials and promote the use of reclaimed asphalt pavement (RAP) or low carbon alternatives.
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 21	Deliver the Community Climate Action Fund.
Tipperary County Council	7	Climate Action to be addressed in finance management, as follows: (a) Consider if there is a need for a separate Revenue Budget (or some other comparable methodology) to capture Climate Action investment/expenditure. (b) Review significant income sources to ascertain if it is possible to implement incentive schemes designed to positively incentivise low carbon activity.
Tipperary County Council	9	Advocate for, and (where appropriate) apply a review and update of national 'Staff Travel and Subsistence Rates' to incentivise the use of lower carbon vehicles/car-pooling/transport modes to reduce transport costs/emissions for staff and provide a more conducive working environment by reducing travel for work need
Tipperary County Council	12	Enhanced Facilities Management - Carry out a review of the facilities management functions across the organisation, and set out an action plan to manage facilities to help achieve emissions reductions targets and meet Green Public Procurement requirements.
Tipperary County Council	25	Implement an enhanced system of annual monitoring of severe weather events, including the associated costs of managing/responding to those events that generated a need for emergency response. Maintain a record of the costs associated with the management of and response to severe weather events.
Tipperary County Council	26	Review the Council's 'Emergency Response Protocol' for severe weather events and 'Risk Register' annually to consider the impacts of climate change, and the costs associated with emergency response and remediation works/services to such events, climate risks on the delivery of emergency response services and energy response procedures to severe weather events.
Tipperary County Council	28	Resolve local flooding issues utilising OPW and Department of Transport funding (Drainage programme, Climate Adaptation and Resilience Works, OPW Minor Works Scheme and Nature Based Solutions.

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Tipperary County Council	30	<p>Prepare and implement a pipeline of projects and initiatives for Local Authority Buildings/Facilities to assist in achieving a 51% reduction in non-electrical building emissions (thermal) by 2030. Programme to include (at the minimum) for the following:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> i. Building Stock Plans ii. Prepare Buildings for 2050 in so far as practical (Net Zero Emissions) iii. Energy Efficiency Projects iv. 'Reduce Your Use' initiatives (see Action 15) v. Renewable Energy Technologies vi. Lifecycle analysis/Green Public Procurement vii. Consideration of specialist building requirements i.e. HVAC in Museum, fire training services etc. viii. Consider use of emerging technologies and materials <p>Note: See related Action 58 Nature-based solutions and integrated rainwater management protocol.</p>
Tipperary County Council	36	<p>Continue to roll-out the Council's 'Active Travel Programme' maximising available funding from the NTA.</p>
Tipperary County Council	39	<p>Deliver the Clonmel Pathfinder Programme (1 of 35 exemplar transport projects) by 2025, subject to funding and having due regard to local environmental sensitivities such as water quality, European sites, biodiversity and amenity value, and the need to protect and conserve buildings and structures of architectural or cultural heritage value.</p>
Tipperary County Council	54	<p>Carry out a review of the Council 'Development Contribution Scheme' to determine if it is feasible to positively incentivise 'Low-Carbon Development' and 'Community-Led development'</p>
Tipperary County Council	64	<p>Include 'Sustainability and Climate Change' scoring on relevant grant assessments to support community groups/stakeholders in considering and incorporating Climate Mitigation and Adaptation in grant funded activities.</p>
Tipperary County Council	66	<p>Identify ways to support grant administrators in their role as influencers of climate action/sustainability through administration of grants across council services.</p>
Tipperary County Council	67	<p>Through the 'Community Climate Action Fund' support community groups in decarbonising their building assets and programmes.</p>
Tipperary County Council	69	<p>Increase awareness of emissions reduction initiatives and energy efficient grants to small and medium enterprises. This will take the format of marketing and promotion via media advertising, social media platforms, press releases and attendance at workshops and seminars.</p>
Tipperary County Council	70	<p>Through the 'Energy Efficiency Grant', support investment in technologies and equipment for enterprises following a production of 'Green for Micro' Report by enterprises.</p>
Tipperary County Council	71	<p>Maintain a business network to offer support too small to medium local business and that offers a platform for training and support for climate action.</p>

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Tipperary County Council	84	Prepare, adopt and implement a 'Green Public Procurement Strategy' in line with Guidance from the EPA and DECC, and when procuring goods, services and works in accordance with the National Programme for Government ensure its mandatory application.
Tipperary County Council	96	Manage and administer funding, and work with owners and communities, to safeguard archaeological heritage in public and private ownership through the 'Community Monuments Fund'
Tipperary County Council	99	To seek the maximum available funding under the 'Just Transition Fund' for Tipperary with focus on Climate Action (mitigation and adaptation) measures and the role of the Decarbonising Zone.
Waterford City & County Council	1.4	Develop system for tagging the costs of climate impacts (dedicated cost code) and annual summary report of all climate hazard impacts
Waterford City & County Council	1.15	Business case development on Council projects to also include long term energy and environmental costs
Waterford City & County Council	1.16	Continuation of Commercial Energy Rates Discount Scheme
Waterford City & County Council	1.17	Dedicated annual climate change spend as a proportion of municipal budget or per capita
Waterford City & County Council	1.19	Apply for Pathfinder funding for energy projects and continue to apply for Better Energy Community funding
Waterford City & County Council	1.2	Development of a Green Investment Bond for Waterford
Waterford City & County Council	1.21	Develop a financial instrument to speed up the retrofit of social housing
Waterford City & County Council	2.13	Develop Fuel Card Policy (including monitoring, KPI - mileage per litre)
Waterford City & County Council	2.19	Prepare and apply a protocol to enable and require a pre-set standard for 'Climate Proofing' including water sensitive urban design, Rainwater Management Plans, and Life Cycle Assessment of all local authority led plans, purchases and investment
Waterford City & County Council	2.39	Engage with TII to implement Green Procurement priority in road specifications
Waterford City & County Council	2.56	Ensure climate-proofing of heritage funding administered by WCCC, with an emphasis on improved energy performance along with the main goal of conservation of buildings.
Waterford City & County Council	2.57	Build climate resilience into funding to improve the energy performance of architectural and

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		archaeological heritage in public and private ownership
Waterford City & County Council	2.62	Continue delivering the Croi Conaithe programme, bringing vacant homes back to use
Waterford City & County Council	3.1	Develop a County Biodiversity Plan with climate action as a cross-cutting theme/goal. Use the County Biodiversity Plan as a vehicle to highlight a range of biodiversity opportunities that can be taken up at farm level with particular emphasis on the new ECO scheme. Highlight schemes for biodiversity opportunities available to farmers
Waterford City & County Council	3.8	Complete county habitat and ecosystem service surveys with a focus on carbon sinks and stores and identify sites suitable for restoration (wetlands, woodlands, sand dunes, saltmarsh and sea grass beds). Identify funding streams to carry out improvement works and put in place a wetlands recovery programme
Waterford City & County Council	3.19	Investment in increased green space in urban areas including park of Regional Significance in Waterford City
Waterford City & County Council	4.1	Climate proofing of Community Funded Projects (e.g. Town & Village) (Sustainability and Climate Change scoring on grant assessment). Support grant administrators in their roles as climate influencers. Support of branding.
Waterford City & County Council	4.12	Online application portal for Waterford Communities Funding
Waterford City & County Council	4.16	Deliver the Community Climate Action Fund overseeing the delivery of up to 30 climate action projects across the county
Waterford City & County Council	4.2	Support the delivery of business actions in the LECP such as the creation of a sustainable business competition, supports for businesses transitioning to the green economy and collaboration with large employers in the County
Waterford City & County Council	4.24	Prepare feasibility study to facilitate a pilot Anaerobic Digester project in conjunction with other stakeholders (farmers, agri-business and others)
Waterford City & County Council	5.12	GPP "reboot" strategy to integrate GPP into all Council practices
Waterford City & County Council	5.13	Devise "interactive" training for the E-tenders platform to ensure all staff involved in tendering are comfortable with the platform.
Waterford City & County Council	5.14	Ensure market engagement with GPP and circular economy principles (where feasible)
Waterford City & County Council	5.15	Instate recurring cross-departmental meetings to report on GPP implementation progress across the Council
Waterford City & County Council	5.16	Staff Training for Green Public Procurement

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Waterford City & County Council	5.17	Develop a GPP guidance booklet for staff i.e. a how-to guide for GPP
Westmeath County Council	1.11	WCC will continue to promote green, responsible procurement in line with Westmeath County Council Procurement Procedures Manual.
Westmeath County Council	2.2	WCC will continue to actively engage in the Midland Energy Agency and participate in the associated SEAI Pathfinder programme with due regard to environmental sensitivities such as local human receptors, European sites and biodiversity; and the need to appropriately protect and conserve protected structures, during any retrofitting works.
Westmeath County Council	3.1	Continue to promote Biodiversity and protect Natural Heritage in line with WCC Biodiversity Plan 2014-2020. Implement relevant actions of the Built Heritage and Archaeology Climate Change Sectoral Adaptation Plan 2019. Resource and implement relevant actions of the National Biodiversity Action Plan and the Biodiversity Climate Change Sectoral Adaptation Plan.
Westmeath County Council	4.7	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 style="list-style-type: none"> • help the vulnerable community to develop a stronger facilitating role for mitigating risks • provide advice on the risk of extreme events affecting their locality • devise mitigating actions to enhance preparedness • provide support to develop appropriate resilience arrangements to enable response and recovery The programme will be designed and implemented to include Sustainable Urban Drainage Systems (SUDS), nature-based solutions, protection of biodiversity and avoidance of habitat fragmentation.
Wexford County Council	GL 5	Wexford County Council commits to a reduction in fossil fuel-based travel by 25% by 2029, to be achieved by a combined increased in online technology, sustainable transport options together with a concerted effort to reduce travel. The Council will also ensure sustainability criteria is appropriately considered during procurement processes and appropriate end-of-life vehicle management practices are in place
Wexford County Council	BET 1	Identification and completion of energy efficiency and upgrade projects related to council facilities as identified in the Pathfinder Energy Register of Opportunities and other funding streams having due regard to environmental sensitivities such as local human receptors, protected species, European sites and biodiversity, and the need to appropriately protect and conserve protected structures.
Wexford County Council	BET 14	Facilitate and support the use and occupation of vacant housing stock through the administration of the Vacant Property Refurbishment Grant under the Government of Ireland Housing for All Plan (Croí Cónaithe) having due regard to protected species, biodiversity, European sites and the need to appropriately conserve protected structures
Wexford County Council	BET 15	Carry out Climate Risk assessment of historic sites and structures and build climate resilience of archaeological and architectural heritage in public and private ownership through schemes such as at the Built Heritage Scheme, Historic Towns Initiative, Irish Walled Towns Network, Community Monuments Fund and Historic Structures Fund having due regard to the need to appropriately protect and conserve protected structures in accordance with relevant protected structures regulations, and the need to not negatively impinge on any protected species

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Wexford County Council	BET 17	Promote reuse/repurposing of existing buildings rather than the construction of new buildings through various funding streams including Urban Regeneration Development Fund and Rural Regeneration Development Fund e.g. New Ross Enterprise Centre and Gorey Market House having due regard to the need to appropriately protect and conserve protected structures in accordance with relevant protected structures regulations, and the need to not negatively impinge on any protected species
Wexford County Council	NEGI 8	Explore feasibility of expanding the early warning river water level alert currently in place to all flood risk areas in the County to enhance resilience
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 3	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 memorandum of understanding through the SEAI SEC Programme
Wexford County Council	CRT 11	Increase the number of Wexford businesses who have a documented sustainability plan by linking the drawdown of funds for priming and business expansion grants to the completion of the Local Enterprise Office Green for Micro Sustainability Programme
Wexford County Council	CRT 13	Promotion of the Rural Water programme in providing support to rural communities for private well grant improvements and Group Schemes having due regard for sensitive aspects of the receiving environment and mitigating against any potential negative effects on air quality, noise, water quality and soil during construction works carried out. whilst advocating and exerting influence and control, as appropriate, to ensure such projects are designed and planned properly and do not cause unintended negative environmental effects
Wexford County Council	SRM 2	Develop a green public procurement (GPP) strategy for Wexford County Council and promote the integration of green public procurement into all tender documents
Wicklow County Council	3 GL	Establish a Climate Action Committee with representation at Senior Executive level (Grade 8's or equivalent) from each service to manage deliver and budgeting of Climate Action Plan including green procurement where relevant.
Wicklow County Council	11 GL	Lead the energy unit for the region including Wicklow, Kildare, and Meath Local Authorities to: • share experience on energy management • develop Pathfinder and other projects to improve the energy performance of local authority buildings, having appropriate regard to protected structure conservation requirements.
Wicklow County Council	2 BET	Investigate and undertake a pilot to incorporate reuse of material or systems into a housing development, lowering life-cycle carbon emissions.
Wicklow County Council	23 BET	Deliver climate adaptation works on infrastructure through the Climate Change Adaption & Resilience Works and drainage funding programmes, having due regard to the need to promote nature based solutions and Sustainable Drainage Systems, and environmental sensitivities, including water quality, biodiversity, European sites, riparian corridors and aquatic ecology.

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Wicklow County Council	24 NEGI	Assist local community stakeholders engaging in peatland rewetting, woodland creation and nature restoration to access funding to undertake projects in upland areas, whilst advocating and exerting influence to ensure such projects are designed and implemented in a manner that accords with relevant environmental protection requirements.
Wicklow County Council	29 NEGI	Build climate resilience of architectural and archaeological heritage in public and private ownership through schemes such as the BHIS, HSF, HTI, IWTN and the Community Monument Fund, having due regard to environmental sensitivities such as local human receptors, protected species associated with such buildings, European sites and biodiversity, and the need to appropriately protect and conserve protected structures in accordance with relevant protected structures regulations.
Wicklow County Council	1 CRT	Administer the funding to local community groups for climate action through the Community Climate Action Fund ensuring a diversity of themes covered. Include sustainability and climate change scoring on relevant grant assessments to ensure that community groups/stakeholders consider climate action in all their grant funded activities
Wicklow County Council	2 CRT	Liaise with renewable energy developers on the Community Benefit Fund to ensure a climate focus in funding to communities. Learnings from the Ballinagran community fund.
Wicklow County Council	10 CRT	Support the work of SEAI Sustainable Energy Communities (SECs) in County Wicklow, assisting them to network, access funding and promote their events and projects.
Wicklow County Council	12 CRT	Promote tree planting by providing: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • an annual tree planting grant for communities and schools • trees to communities during National Tree Week
Wicklow County Council	13 CRT	Incorporate climate action into all plans under the following: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Rural Development Fund • Urban Regeneration and Development Fund • Town and Village Renewal Scheme • CLÁR Scheme Having due regard to environmental sensitivities such as European Sites and biodiversity related sensitivities, sensitive human receptors and the need appropriately protected and conserve cultural heritage features.
Wicklow County Council	14 CRT	Develop sustainability in the arts with Creative Climate Action funding.
Wicklow County Council	4 SRM	Support SME's through the: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Green for Micro programme • Climate Toolkit for businesses • Green Start programme with Enterprise Ireland • Climate Ready Training with Skillnet Ireland • Energy Efficiency grant.
Wicklow County Council	9 SRM	Identify and implement Rural Development Fund initiatives that deliver on a transition towards a climate-neutral rural economy to include: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • rural transport,

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		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • working hubs, • town and village regeneration • nature-based solutions • digital initiatives • green economy • bio-economy <p>Having appropriate regard to planning and environmental protection requirements, environmental sensitivities such as European Sites, biodiversity and opportunities for promoting climate action co-benefits and interconnectivity.</p>
Wicklow County Council	12 SRM	Liaise with Signpost, ACRES, TAMS and Farming for Nature Schemes to support climate action in the agricultural sector. Help to promote farms to become demonstration farms and highlight the work being done in Wicklow to decarbonize agriculture and manage land using best practice for sustainability, development planning and environmental protection and enhancement.
Wicklow County Council	13 SRM	Promote the use of Green Public Procurement within the council.
Wicklow County Council	14 SRM	Examine the potential of the former landfill sites of Ballymurtagh (Avoca) and Rampere (Baltinglass) for the development of green energy. Having due regard to planning and environmental protection considerations.
Wicklow County Council	19 SRM	Develop and implement waste prevention fund initiatives.

Table 2: DZ actions that relate to the Finance sector

Local Authority	Action no.	Action
Carlow County Council	DZ1.3	Carry out a geothermal feasibility study in Carlow Town to determine the technical, financial, planning and environmental viability of a geothermal energy project, ensuring the study has appropriate regard to planning and environmental protection considerations.
Cavan County Council	DZ-G3	Commit the required budget to fund the actions listed in the Cavan Town DZ Plan
Cavan County Council	DZ-G5	Ensure council spending in the Cavan Town DZ is fully aligned with green procurement practice
Cavan County Council	DZ-BE2	Assess the feasibility and where feasible install rooftop solar PV on social housing and local authority property across the Cavan Town DZ having due regard to local human receptors, protected species, biodiversity, European sites and the need to appropriately conserve protected structures
Cavan County Council	DZ-BE9	Utilise available funding to carry out flood protection works having due regard to the need to promote Nature-based Solutions and Sustainable Drainage Systems, and environmental sensitivities at these locations, including water quality, biodiversity, European sites, riparian corridors and aquatic ecology, visual amenity and recreation and amenity value.
Cavan County Council	DZ-TR2	Examine and identify active travel funding streams.
Cavan County Council	DZ-TR3	Assess the feasibility of a bike rental/ electric bike scheme in the Cavan Town DZ.
Cavan County Council	DZ-TR4	Discuss potential for a feasibility study of free public transport options with public transport representatives.
Cavan County Council	DZ-TR11	Support a private service provider in carrying out a feasibility to assess the potential for a Park and Ride facility within the DZ having appropriate regard to planning and environmental considerations.
Cavan County Council	DZ-S1	Ensure CCC procure 100% renewable electricity where possible.
Cavan County Council	DZ-S2	Ensure CCC procurement is fully aligned with green public procurement and circular economy (e.g., no single use products).
Cavan County Council	DZ-S6	Partake in any such feasibility study of the potential for district heating for Cavan Town ensuring this study has appropriate regard to planning and environmental protection considerations.
Clare County Council	DZ-BE1	Support the development of a feasibility study for an anaerobic digestion system to produce biogas and organise fertiliser
Clare County Council	DZ-BE2	Flood Risk: Completion of the Kilkee Flood Relief Scheme
Clare County Council	DZ-BE8	Undertake energy retrofitting of social housing stock across the DZ

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Clare County Council	DZ-BE9	Support implementation of energy, biodiversity and climate projects in the DZ via Community Climate Action Fund
Clare County Council	DZ-C3	Support micro and small enterprises (1-50) in the DZ access investment and support to advance energy efficiency and sustainability through the Green for Business program.
Clare County Council	DZ-N1	Support innovative projects and/or research that advance regenerative farming (i.e., Hemp4Soil or similar).
Galway City Council	DZ 13	Policy to provide enabling infrastructure and support schemes for households and local businesses.
Galway City Council	DZ 19	Provide a resource and technical support scheme for local businesses and SMEs within the zone.
Galway City Council	DZ 21	Implement a policy to incentivise and facilitate energy auditing, energy reduction and renewable uptake.
Galway City Council	DZ 27	Explore Renewable Energy Support Scheme (RESS) opportunities with Sustainable Energy Communities to implement solar in the zone.
Galway County Council	DZ 1.2	Seek funding to retrofit all social housing within the Decarbonisation Zone.
Galway County Council	DZ 1.14	Investigate feasibility of composting/ Anaerobic Digestion on Inis Meáin and Inis Oírr.
Kildare County Council	1.1	Resource a dedicated and trained Green Business Officer within Maynooth to support the county Local Enterprise Office, the Community Climate Action Officer and Town Green Teams.
Kildare County Council	1.3	Ensure that all council spending in Maynooth is fully aligned with green procurement practices and promote these practices in the private sector.
Kildare County Council	1.4	Undertake a study to assess the use of financial instruments to stimulate climate action in the business and community
Kildare County Council	1.6	Fund the actions listed for the implementation of the Maynooth Decarbonising Zone.
Kildare County Council	2.3	Engage with educational premises to promote the Climate Action Fund to provide photovoltaic panels (up to 6kW output) in all schools.
Kildare County Council	2.12	Support the development of electric vehicle charging points at strategic points in the town and supercharge points and incentives for electric vehicle users.
Kildare County Council	2.14	Undertake a feasibility study to assess the potential for a Park and Ride facility outside of the town centre that would support the reduction of road traffic volumes through the town centre and promote active travel or public transport options as an alternative
Kildare County Council	5.3	Undertake a feasibility study of the potential for district heating or energy in Maynooth
Kildare County Council	5.5	Ensure that all Kildare County Council procurement of products and services for Maynooth is fully aligned with the circular economy (e.g. prohibit single-use items) and green public procurement practices.

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Laois County Council	4.7	Conduct a District Heating Feasibility Study to explore efficient heating solutions, ensuring the study has appropriate regard to planning and environmental protection constraints and considerations.
Laois County Council	4.16	Investigate the feasibility of installing litter bins dedicated to recycling, thus making recycling more convenient option
Leitrim County Council	DZGL 2	Identify possible funding options available for the actions identified in the Carrick-on-Shannon DZ plan.
Leitrim County Council	DZGL 3	Commit the required budget to fund the actions listed in the Carrick-on-Shannon DZ Plan.
Leitrim County Council	DZGL 5	Ensure council spending in the Carrick-on-Shannon DZ is fully aligned with green procurement practices.
Leitrim County Council	DZBE2	Assess the feasibility of rooftop solar PV on social housing and local authority property across the Carrick-on-Shannon DZ, having due regard to local human receptors, protected species, biodiversity, European sites and the need to appropriately conserve protected structures.
Leitrim County Council	DZT3	Examine and identify active travel funding streams.
Leitrim County Council	DZCRT12	Investigate an incentive scheme for businesses to support and award them for positive climate action.
Leitrim County Council	DZSRM2	Endeavour to ensure LCC procure 100% renewable electricity where possible.
Leitrim County Council	DZSRM3	Endeavour to ensure LCC procurement is fully aligned with green public procurement and circular economy (e.g. no single use products).
Longford County Council	5	Mobilise local, sectoral, and national investment and resources in pursuit of local solutions and interventions.
Mayo County Council	DZ 8	Develop and maintain partnerships to successfully identify and access funding streams and research opportunities to meet the vision
Monaghan County Council	DZ GL 2	Identify possible funding options available for the actions identified in the Monaghan Town DZ plan.
Monaghan County Council	DZ GL 3	Commit the required budget to fund the actions listed in the Monaghan Town DZ Plan.
Monaghan County Council	DZ GL 5	Ensure Council spending in the Monaghan Town DZ is fully aligned with green procurement practices.
Monaghan County Council	DZ BE.2	Assess the feasibility and install rooftop solar PV on social housing and local authority property across the Monaghan Town DZ, having due regard to local human receptors, protected species, biodiversity, European sites, and the need to appropriately conserve protected structures.
Monaghan County Council	DZ T.5	Complete a local transport plan for Monaghan town. Investigate feasibility of free public transport options to increase the number of journeys made by public transport.

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Monaghan County Council	DZ T.13	Utilise low-carbon pavement material within works on the DZ's road network.
Roscommon County Council	DZ 10	RCC will utilise the 'Gap to Target' tool and the Building Pathfinder Programme to support Public Sector building retrofits and potential for renewable energy heat sources should be explored including the use of renewable gas as well as district heating opportunities to reduce energy consumption and carbon emissions at public buildings, having due regard to environmental sensitivities such as European Sites and biodiversity related sensitivities, sensitive human receptors and the need appropriately protected and conserve heritage features.
Roscommon County Council	DZ 14	RCC will examine investment in electric vehicles (EVs), the potential for increased charging facilities and optimum location for these in association with local businesses and communities, having due regard to environmental sensitivities such as heritage, biodiversity, European sites, sensitive human receptors, and available grid capacity.
Roscommon County Council	DZ 16	Initiate a study on the potential for alternative heat sources, including geothermal potential, within the Roscommon Town DZ area for residential, commercial, community and public sector/institutional application
Roscommon County Council	DZ 17	Develop a register of interested homeowners via EOI to facilitate economies of scale for retrofit projects to promote group access to discounts, green finance and available supports within the DZ area.
Sligo County Council	8	Commission a District Heating feasibility study
Tipperary County Council	2	Support and enable the villages in the area to participate in a village network, to help them access supports such as the SEAI SECs, Energy Communities Tipperary Co-operative and similar collaborative actions to facilitate climate action, village regeneration, active travel, biodiversity, community and economic development etc.
Tipperary County Council	3	Actively seek funding through the EU JTF programme.
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 4.12	Through the Croí Conaithe scheme bring existing buildings up to a high energy efficient standard ensuring occupancy rates are high in our city centre
Waterford City & County Council	DZ 4.17	Continue to support the general public on fuel poverty abatement schemes and assist in accessing such funded schemes such as the "Warmer Homes Scheme".
Waterford City & County Council	DZ 5.8	Continue to engage with businesses encouraging them to save energy with the Commercial Energy Rates Discount Scheme
Waterford City & County Council	DZ 6.1	Investigate the possibility of creating a Green Bond for the city which can be used to invest in renewable energy

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Waterford City & County Council	DZ 7.3	Develop financial instruments that will allow for the acceleration of social housing retrofits resulting in the upgrade of 1,200 homes (55% of the estimated homes below a BER of C) in the city to BER B2 or higher
Waterford City & County Council	DZ 7.4	Develop a pilot neighbourhood where homes are low energy, renewable energy producing, active transport connected and the site is designed to not contribute to local flooding as it will incorporate Sustainable Urban Drainage Systems
Waterford City & County Council	DZ 8.3	In URDF projects facilitate a city centre cooperative community with a collective skill set that can tackle renovation projects from within its own resources. This work should have a focus on Circular Economy, making tools and skills available for people to do up properties that they can live in
Waterford City & County Council	DZ 10.26	Promotion of Playful City Guidance amongst communities that apply for funding for community events. Streets closed off to encourage cycling and walking to be considered as part of the funding requirement for small community festivals
Wexford County Council	DZ BET4	Apply to Transport Infrastructure Ireland for the provision of a Town Bus in Enniscorthy
Wexford County Council	DZ BET5	Produce a feasibility study on the provision of Park and Ride in Enniscorthy whilst having appropriate regard to traffic and transport, planning and environmental constraints and considerations
Wexford County Council	DZ BET13	Estimate the solar potential within Enniscorthy DZ and the associated costs having appropriate regard to planning and environmental protection considerations, including potential glint and glare impacts
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
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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