

FOXFORD MATTERS

LOCAL UPDATE

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DEPUTY BEVERLEY FLYNN, AN TANAISTE MARY COUGHLAN TD, CLLR JIMMY MALONEY, DEPUTY DARA CALLEARY, PICTURED RECENTLY IN FOXFORD.

SEWERAGE TREATMENT PLANT

A two-acre site has been acquired and soil testing is currently under way for a new Sewerage Treatment Plant for Foxford.

I am confident that this project will go to tender within 12 months as the route has been designed and agreed with Mayo Council Council.

This development represents an investment of €9 million in Foxford.

RELIEF ROAD & LINK ROAD

The Foxford Relief Road was opened in November 2006 with an investment of €5 million greatly enhancing the town.

The road has opened up 60 acres of potential development land along the new route, while also alleviating traffic congestion in the town centre.

Cllr. Maloney was also involved in the securing of 18 residential units, both social & affordable, along the new road and the newly opened land has attracted interest from all over the county.

Lands have also been secured for an additional link road between the primary school and the relief road which will further enhance traffic flow in the town, making it a safer, more efficient environment.

Cllr. Maloney was anxious to add that the newly operational pedestrian crossing as a vital commodity in ensuring the safe passage of the young & old over the busy main Foxford Road and is appealing to all users to respect the rules of the road.

FOXFORD PLAYGROUND

The €150,000 Foxford Community Playground was officially opened in late May – the first playground of its kind in the Swinford Electoral Area.

Funded by the Social and Economic Funding Programme and with support of the

St. Nathy's Trust and the Board of Management of the local national school, this is a wonderful facility for the children of Foxford.



RADHARC NA MUAIDHE CLUID HOUSING SCHEME

Radharc na Muaidhe Housing Scheme has been officially opened providing 14 homes under the CLUID Housing Association National Scheme.

The CLUID model aims to design, build and manage high quality affordable housing



ADMIRAL BROWN MEMORIAL MONUMENT & PROMENADE

CLAR funding of €25,837 was awarded towards the construction of the

Admiral William Brown Memorial Monument under the CLAR Village Enhancement Scheme in November.

The monument was unveiled by Minister Noel Dempsey.

Following representations from Cllr Jimmy Maloney, total funding of €400,000 has been secured for the Admiral Browne Promenade.

Construction of the tourist amenity is currently being carried out.

BRAGHAID AMENITY AREA

€36,000 in Local Improvement Scheme (LIS) Funding was secured by Cllr Jimmy Maloney and directed to the scenic amenity and picnic area at Braghaid.

FOXFORD SPORTS AND LEISURE CENTRE

Cllr. Maloney secured Lotto Funding to the sum of €250,000 which ensured the completion of the Foxford Leisure Centre.



TOWN CLOCK

The hands of time were firmly placed on Foxford with the erection of the town clock at Market Street. This project was supported by Foxford Book Club with support from Cllr. Maloney.

GREEN ROAD FLOODING ALLEVIATED

Green Road, one of the busiest thoroughfares in the area, has recently been raised at a cost of €150,000 to alleviate the all-too frequent problem of flooding.



ROAD FUNDING BOOST FOR SWINFORD ELECTORAL AREA

NATIONAL PRIMARY ROADS:

N5, N17, N26 - €1,288,251 towards general maintenance, bridge maintenance, winter maintenance, special maintenance, pavement improvement and surface dressing.

National Secondary Roads: N83, N58 - €94,098 towards general maintenance.

REGIONAL ROADS

R310, R318, R321, R320, R324, R323, R375, R325, R376, R322 - €166,892 towards general and winter maintenance.

R324 Derryvohy/Ballinamore - strengthening and surface dressing €273,000;

R310 at Gorteenamuck - strengthening and surface dressing €150,750;

R325 at Sonvolaun - strengthening and surface dressing €244,906;

R321 at Lissaniska and Killedan €63,000;

R321 Kiltimagh/Bohola Road €400,000;

R321, R318, R375 - footpaths €36,790;

R310, R324, R325, R321 - traffic management €77,500.

LOCAL ROADS:

Strengthening - Lavy More to Tonroe €237,938; Cloonlyon to Bushfield €212,000; Treannagleragh to Shanaghy €235,437; Ballydrum €90,000; Dromada €65,625; Carrowliam Beg €65,625; Irishtown to Rinnananny €98,699; Attinaskollia €52,500; Tooromin €78,750; Barnahesker €56,250; Rubble to Carrowmoremoy €78,750; Deryvohy to Carrowndangan €120,000; Foxford Way to GAA Pitch €56,250.

Surface dressing - Cloonacannana €16,000; Swinford Railway Bridge €16,000; Sonnagh €20,000; Cuillaun to Tombohola €124,766; Bracklagh to Cloonfane €60,200; Carrownageeragh €14,000; Blackpatch €14,000; Rusheens West €12,000;

Stoneparkbrogan €14,400; Cullonaghtan €46,000; Thornhill €23,500; Cloonkedagh €19,800; Faheens €16,300; Belgarrow €3,600; Curryaun €14,500; Cloonturk to Ballor €20,400; Loughapharbera €9,600; Flugany €12,000; Ardra Road, Charlestown €7,200; Back Streets, Kiltimagh €5,600.

LOCAL AREA ADVICE CLINICS

FOXFORD

Mayfly Hotel

Every 2nd Friday of the Month at 5pm

SWINFORD OFFICE

Station Road

Open every Thursday 10am-4pm

CHARLESTOWN

Walsh's Bar

Every 2nd Friday of the Month at 3pm

SWINFORD

Swinford Office

Every 2nd Friday of the Month at 4pm



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