

<b>Title of Report:</b>	<b>Correspondence Report</b>
<b>Committee Report Submitted To:</b>	<b>Environmental Services Committee</b>
<b>Date of Meeting:</b>	<b>8<sup>th</sup> April 2025</b>
<b>For Decision or For Information</b>	<b>For Decision</b>
<b>To be discussed In Committee</b>	<b>No</b>

<b>Linkage to Council Strategy (2021-25)</b>	
Strategic Theme	Leader and Champion
Outcome	Establish key relationships with Government, agencies and potential strategic partners
Lead Officer	Director of Environmental Services

<b>Estimated Timescale for Completion</b>	
Date to be Completed	N/A

<b>Budgetary Considerations</b>	
Cost of Proposal	N/A
Included in Current Year Estimates	N/A
Capital/Revenue	N/A
Code	N/A
Staffing Costs	N/A

<b>Legal Considerations</b>	
Input of Legal Services Required	<b>NO</b>
Legal Opinion Obtained	<b>NO</b>

<b>Screening Requirements</b>	Required for new or revised Policies, Plans, Strategies or Service Delivery Proposals.		
Section 75 Screening	Screening Completed:	<del>Yes</del> /No N/A	Date:
	EQIA Required and Completed:	<del>Yes</del> /No N/A	Date:
Rural Needs Assessment (RNA)	Screening Completed	<del>Yes</del> /No N/A	Date:
	RNA Required and Completed:	<del>Yes</del> /No N/A	Date:
Data Protection Impact Assessment (DPIA)	Screening Completed:	<del>Yes</del> /No N/A	Date:
	DPIA Required and Completed:	<del>Yes</del> /No N/A	Date:

## **1.0 Purpose of Report**

The purpose of this report is to present correspondence for Members' consideration.

**2.0** The following correspondence has been received:

**2.1 Andrew Muir MLA, Minister of Agriculture, Environment and Rural Affairs, dated 7<sup>th</sup> March 2025** (copy attached)

### **Summary**

#### **Re. Nappy Collection Scheme**

Correspondence from Andrew Muir MLA, dated 7<sup>th</sup> March 2025, is in response to Council's letter regarding the introduction of a nappy recycling scheme in Northern Ireland.

**2.2 Office of the Minister for Infrastructure, Liz Kimmins MLA, dated 18<sup>th</sup> March 2025** (copy attached)

### **Summary**

#### **Re. Causeway Coast and Glens Borough Council – DfI Plans for Improving Infrastructure**

Correspondence from Private Secretary to Minister for Infrastructure, Liz Kimmins MLA, dated 18<sup>th</sup> March 2025, is in response to Council's invitation to present to Environmental Services Committee.

### **Recommendation**

**It is recommended** that the Environmental Services Committee consider the correspondence.

**From the Office of the  
Minister of Agriculture,  
Environment and Rural Affairs**



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and Rural Affairs**

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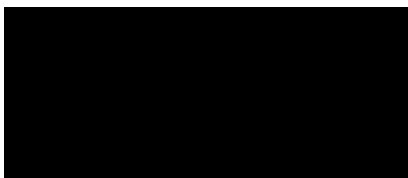
Dear Aidan

## **NAPPY COLLECTION SCHEME**

Thank you for your correspondence of 14<sup>th</sup> February 2025 regarding the introduction of a nappy recycling scheme in Northern Ireland.

You may be aware that this issue was recently debated in the Assembly as part of a Private Members Motion. During that debate, I indicated that my department would consider the feasibility of a recycling scheme for nappies and other Absorbent Hygiene Products. My officials will be engaging with your council officers in due course to discuss this further.

Yours sincerely



**ANDREW MUIR MLA**  
**Minister of Agriculture, Environment and Rural Affairs**

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Your reference: ES/27/AMcP/AF  
Our reference: INV-0154-2025  
18<sup>th</sup> March 2025

Dear Aidan,

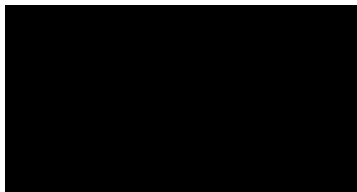
**CAUSEWAY COAST AND GLENS BOROUGH COUNCIL - DFI PLANS FOR  
IMPROVING INFRASTRUCTURE**

Thank you for your invitation to DfI Minister Liz Kimmins MLA.

Unfortunately due to diary commitments the Minister is unable to accept at this stage.

Should you wish to meet with an official instead please contact  
[Private.Office@infrastructure-ni.gov.uk](mailto:Private.Office@infrastructure-ni.gov.uk) and this will be passed to the relevant official in  
the Department.

Yours sincerely



**EMMA STOCKMAN**  
**Private Secretary to the Minister**