



**LEISURE & DEVELOPMENT COMMITTEE MEETING
TUESDAY 20 JANUARY 2026**

No	Item	Summary of key Recommendations	Estimated Timescale for completion
1.	Apologies	Councillor McShane	N/A
2.	Declarations of Interest	Funding Unit Manager	N/A
3.	Minutes of Leisure and Development Committee meeting held Tuesday 16 th December 2025	Confirmed as a correct record	N/A
4.	Presentation from the Funding Unit Manager	Received	N/A
5.	Digital Strategy Action Plan	To recommend that Council note the progress made since the original strategy and the significant improvements in digital infrastructure and capability and approve the revised Causeway Coast & Glens Digital Strategy & Action Plan (December 2025) as the framework for future digital development	-
	CHANGE ORDER OF BUSINESS		

6.	Any other relevant business notified in accordance with Standing Order 12. (o)		
6.1	2026 Fleadh Cheoil na hÉireann (Councillor McCully)	Noted	
	In Committee (Items 7– 11 inclusive)		
7.	Funding Unit Organisational Design	To recommend to Council Option B: The proposed new structure of 17 staff as illustrated at Section 10 and the table below. This includes moving the existing Business Support Officer directly into the Funding Unit structure	July 2026
8.	RNLI Beach Lifeguard Provision	To recommend that Council agrees to Option 2, to extend the contract for services with RNLI for the provision of beach lifeguarding services at seven identified Council managed beaches, from 2026 to 2031. The agreement for services will allow for a 2% annual uplift added to any required CPI uplift	-
9.	Benone HALP Essential Maintenance	To recommend that Council approve the expenditure for required maintenance works at Benone at an estimated cost of £58K	March 2026

10.	Motorbikes for Joey Dunlop Museum	<p style="text-align: center;">To recommend that Council:- Purchase of the Honda 125cc motorbike currently being offered for sale, for inclusion in the proposed permanent Joey Dunlop Museum; Seek the opportunity to engage in the purchase of a second motorcycle subject to a ceiling value based on a valuation exercise.</p>	-
11.	Any other relevant business notified in accordance with Standing Order 12. (o)		
11.1	Ballycastle Shared Education Campus (Councillor McCully)	Noted	