

Who are we?

Kildare County Council (the Council) is the democratically elected unit of Local Government in County Kildare and is responsible for providing a range of services to meet the economic, social and cultural needs of the people of our County. In order to provide the most effective and targeted services to meet the needs of the citizens, communities and businesses of County Kildare we will be required to collect, process and use certain types of information about people and organisations. Depending on the service being offered, information sought may include 'personal data' as defined by the Data Protection Acts and the General Data Protection Regulation (GDPR) and may relate to current, past and future service users; past; current and prospective employees; suppliers; and members of the public who may engage in communications with our staff. In addition, staff may be required, from time to time, to collect process and use certain types of personal data to comply with regulatory or legislative requirements or to carry out functions in the public interest.

Why do we have a Privacy Statement?

This privacy statement has been created to demonstrate the Council's commitment that personal data you may be required to supply to us, to enable us to provide services, is;

- Obtained lawfully, fairly and in a transparent manner
- Obtained for only specified, identified and legitimate purposes
- Processed for purposes which we have identified or purposes compatible with the purposes that we have identified.
- Adequate, relevant and limited to what is necessary for purpose for which it was obtained
- Personal data collected and processed must be accurate and (where necessary) kept up to-date.
- Kept only for as long as is necessary for the purposes for which it was obtained.
- Processed in a manner that ensures the appropriate security of the personal data including protection against unauthorised or unlawful processing.

More detail is available in our Data Protection Policy at http://kildare.ie/CountyCouncil/DataProtection/ or you can request a hard copy at 045 980 200.



What is the activity referred to in this Privacy Statement?

This statement refers to the processing of personnel data in respect to submissions made by members of the public under the following Statutory Public consultation procedures

Taxi Bye-Laws
Parking Bye-Laws
Taking In Charge of Public Roads
Section 38 Traffic Calming Works
Application for Temporary Road Closures

What is the basis for making the processing of this personal data lawful?

Processing is necessary for the performance of a task carried out in the public interest or in the exercise of official authority vested in Kildare County Council in accordance with Article 6(1)(e) of the General Data Protection Regulation, 2016. Specifically the lawful basis for the procedures are listed below

- Taxi Bye- Section 25 of Taxi Regulation Act 2013.
- Parking Bye-Laws- Section 10 of the Roads Traffic Act 1961, (No. 24 of the 1961) as amended by Section 6 of the Roads Traffic Act 1968, (No. 25 of 1968) and as amended by Section 4, and 49 of the Roads Traffic Act 1994 (No. 7 of 1994) and Section 36 of the Roads Traffic Act 1994.
- Taking In Charge of Public Roads- Section 11 of the Roads Act, 1993
- Application for Temporary Road Closures- Section 75 of the Roads Act, 1993

We require contact details

As part of the public consultation procedures members of the public can make submission in respect to the above statutory procedures. In order to communicate with you, you will be asked for contact details. You do not have to provide all contact details but providing more, such as email, phone, address, makes it easier to communicate. Please note that to help protect your privacy, we take steps to verify your identity before granting access to personal data. These contact details may also be used to verify your identity.



What other types of personal data do we need to undertake this activity?

We do not require any further personnel data to undertake this activity

Third party source of personal data?

In some instances to assist with the delivery of the activity or to comply with regulatory or legislative requirements personal data is sourced from a third party. This **DOES NOT APPLY** to this activity.

Is personal data submitted as part of this activity shared with other organisations?

The Council may, to fulfil statutory or regulatory obligations or in the public interest, from time to time, have to share personal data with other organisations or entities (in Ireland or abroad). Where this is required the Council shall have regard to your rights, to the security and integrity of the data and will minimise the data shared.

The Council will summarise issues raised in the consultation process in the form of a report provided to the elected members, to facilitate the decision-making process. Such reports do not contain your personal data

Data is **NOT** transferred to another country.

How long is my data kept for?

The Council has a detailed record retention policy which outlines time periods for which your personal data will be retained and what will happen to it after the required retention period has expired. A copy of Record Retention Policy can be accessed via the following link:

http://www.lgma.ie/sites/default/files/2002 national retention policy for local_authority_records_2.pdf

Do you need to update your records?

Kildare County Council must take reasonable steps to ensure that personal data we have about our customers is correct and up to date. In addition, if the data held by us is found to be inaccurate you have the right to rectify/correct this.

If you find that personal data we have about you is inaccurate or needs to be updated (for instance, you may have changed your name, address, contact



details etc.) then please contact us so that we can correct it. You can do this by:

Writing to us at: Kildare County Council, Áras Chill Dara, Devoy Park, Naas, Co Kildare. W91 X77F

Emailing us at customercare@kildarecoco.ie

When making a request to update your record please provide evidence to support this - for example a copy of a document containing your new address – utility (Gas, Electricity, Phone) bill etc.

Your rights:

You have the right to obtain confirmation as to whether data concerning you exists, to request access to personal data held about you, to be informed of the content and source of data and check its accuracy.

If the data held by us is found to be inaccurate you have the right to rectify/correct this – see above on how to update your records.

You also, subject to certain conditions being met, have the right to object to or seek restriction of the processing of personal data and to request the erasure of personal data held by the Council. You also have the right to data portability where technically feasible.

Please note that to help protect your privacy, we take steps to verify your identity before granting access to personal data.

To exercise these rights logon to

<u>http://kildare.ie/CountyCouncil/DataProtection/</u>, use one of the forms at our Counter or contact us.

Kildare County Council - Access to Information Officer

Phone 045 980 200

E-mail dataprotection@kildarecoco.ie or

customercare@kildarecoco.ie

Postal Address Áras Chill Dara,

Devoy Park,



Naas, Co Kildare, W91 X77F.

Right of Complaint to the Data Protection Commissioner

If you are not satisfied with the outcome of the response received by the Council you are entitled to make a complaint to the Data Protection Commissioner who may investigate the matter for you. The Data Protection Commissioner's website is www.dataprotection.ie or you can contact their Office at:

Lo Call Number 1890 252 231

E-mail <u>info@dataprotection.ie</u>

Postal Address Data Protection Commissioner

Canal House Station Road

Portarlington, Co. Laois. R32 AP23.

Changes to Privacy Statement

We may make changes to this Statement. This statement was last updated on the 25th of May