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**Údar:** Irish Peatland Conservation Council

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**Aighneacht:**

IPCC Comments on draft County Development Plan 2022

**Comhairliúchán:**

Draft Kildare County Development Plan 2023 - 2029

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## 4. Resilient Economy & Job Creation

**Caibidil:** Volume 1 - chapters » 4. Resilient Economy & Job Creation

**Ábhair:** job  
economy, creation

(Changes in **Bold..removal** of the word **Heritage** for consistency)

### RE O126

Facilitate the development of a tourism resource using cutaway peatlands in conjunction with Bord na Móna and Fáilte Ireland, subject to environmental considerations and nature designations, for example, recreational forestry, outdoor pursuits, peatways on the network of bogs and industrial railways and a designation of a **National Peatlands Park**.

### RE O127

Support in conjunction with Offaly County Council, Laois County Council and all other relevant stakeholders such as Bord na Mona, Coillte, NPWS and other relevant stakeholders such as environmental Non-Governmental Organisations, any proposal for a new **National Peatlands Park** centred in Kildare on Bord Na Mona cutaway bogs **incorporating the wider biodiversity hotspots, increasing recognition of the wider peatland landscape** within Kildare, Laois and Offaly.

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**Documents Attached:** Níl