Revaluing properties for business rates

Non Domestic Revaluation Presentation – 6 February 2020

to Mid Ulster District Council – Policy & Resources Committee

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Reval2020 data in this presentation is correct as at 18 November 2019





#### Background

- 74,000 non domestic properties
- <u>Current</u> Total Net Annual Value = £1,560m
- £640 million p.a. rates revenue
- Previous Revaluation was in 2015
- Work on 2020 Revaluation started in mid-2017
- April 2018 Rent and Lease Questionnaires
- Net Annual Value = Rental Value at 1 April 2018





#### Revaluations

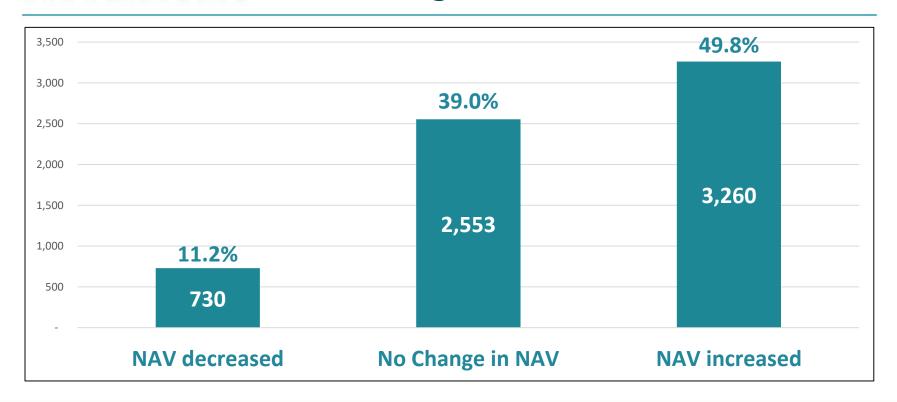
- A property tax system requires frequent revaluations to be fair and to minimise excessive adjustments.
- NI 1976, 1997, 2003, <u>2015</u> and now in <u>2020</u>.
- Revaluations are about redistributing the rate burden.
- A revaluation does not increase or decrease total NI rates revenue

#### **Net Annual Value Growth**

	2015	2020	Overall NI Growth	
Total NAV	£1,560m	£1,667m	1.068 (6.8%)	

	2015	2020	Overall Mid Ulster Growth
Total NAV	£93.3m	£101.8m	1.091 (9.1%)

#### **Changes in NAV – Mid Ulster**





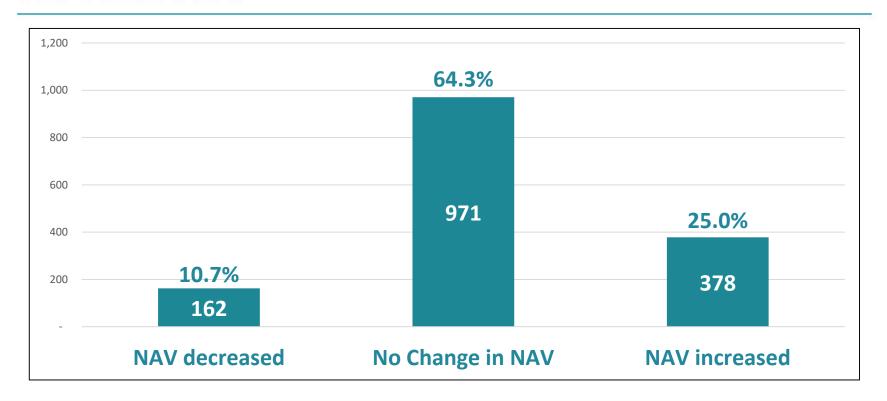


#### **NAV Growth by Sector**

Sector	NI	Mid Ulster
Retail	0.98	1.01
Offices	1.09	1.05
Industrial	1.03	1.11
Warehouses	1.02	1.11
All Properties	1.068	1.091



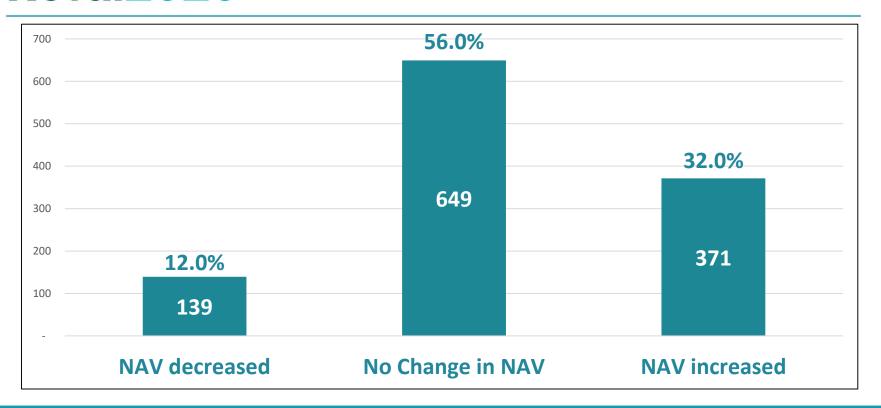
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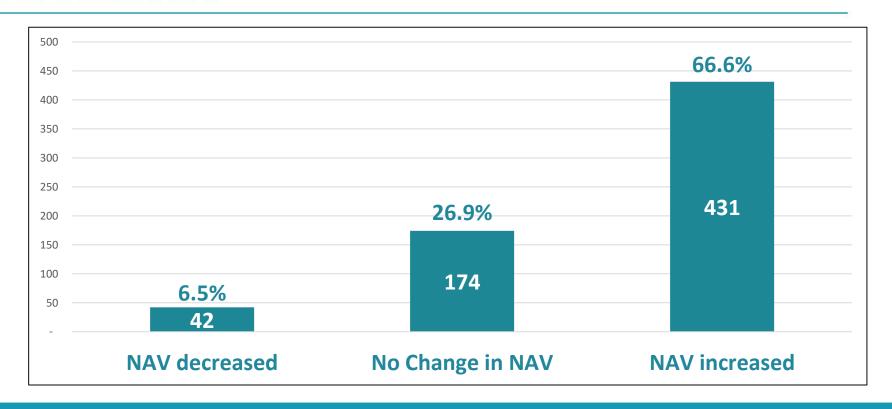
#### **Changes in NAV – Mid Ulster - Offices**





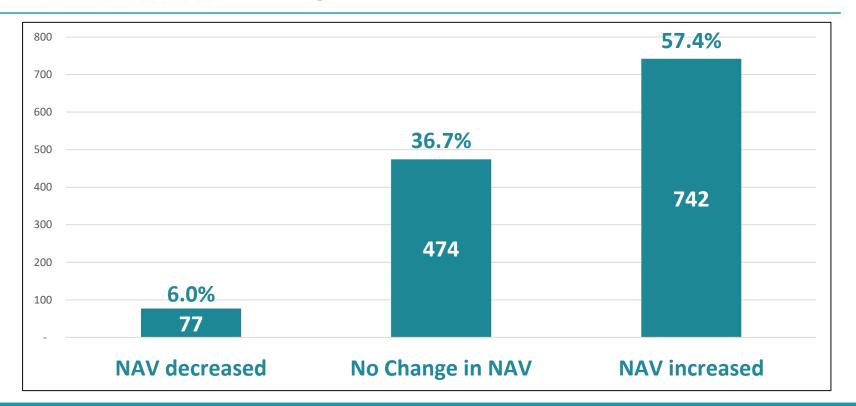


## Reval2020 Changes in NAV – Mid Ulster - Industrial





# Reval2020 Changes in NAV – Mid Ulster- Warehouses







#### **NAV** Growth and Rate Liability

- 6.8% Growth at NI level adjusts the Regional Rate downward
- After the 2015 Revaluation -
  - 2003-2015 Growth 8.1%
  - Regional Rate 2014-15 £0.3391
  - Regional Rate 2015-16 £0.3186
- Different Growth for each District Council will result in different adjustments to each District Rate





#### **NAV Growth and Rate Liability**

- Rates can only be worked out when poundages are known.
- Rate Bill = NAV x (District Rate + Regional Rate) reliefs
- Jan-March changes to an NAV compared to NI and District averages used by LPS to give ratepayers an indication of their new liability.
- Existing reliefs and exemptions are unchanged.
- SBRR





# Reval2020 Key Dates

- Nov 2019: New values with Councils for District Rate setting.
- 7 Jan 2020: <u>Draft</u> values online "informal review".
- Mid-Feb 2020: District Rate poundages struck.
- By mid-March: NI Budget & Regional rate struck.
- By 31 March 2020: <u>New</u> Valuation List published online.
- April 2020: Rate bills issued.





## Reval2020 Draft Values and Valuation List online







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#### NON-DOMESTIC REVALUATION DRAFT SUMMARY

#### THIS IS NOT A VALUATION CERTIFICATE.

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Prop ID	318969		
Address	COOKSTOWN DISTRICT COUNCIL, Burn Road, Maloo Cookstown, Cookstown, BT80 8DT		
Primary Class	Offices(Includes Banks and Post Offices)		
Current NAV	£110,500		
Reval2020 NAV	£108,500		
NAV Change £	-£2000		
NAV Change %	-1.81%		

#### Summary Valuation

Floor	Description / Use	Area (m2)	Rate (£ per m2)	Total (£)	Distinguis
GF	WRHSE	485	22.00	10,663	Chinas-Constitution of
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NA	YARD	1,680	1.87	3,142	
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GF	OFF	470	68.75	32,313	)
GF	STO	62	68.75	4,269	
GF	CANTN	26	68.75	1,801	
GF	STRNG	14	68.75	976	
GF	KITCN	13	68.75	880	
1F	OFF	251	60.50	15,155	1
1F	STO	28	60,50	1,700	
1F	KITCN	12	60.50	702	
NA	YARD	1,926	1.54	2,966	
GF	WRHSE	235	24.20	5,677	

#### **Explanatory Notes**

Revaluation

A rates revaluation is the reassessment of the individual Net Annual Values (NAVs) of all 75,000 business properties in Northern Ireland. The new values will be used to calculate rate hills for businesses.

# **Reval2020**

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#### **Non-domestic Revaluation**

#### Draft rateable values now available

Land & Property Services has now completed the revaluation of all non-domestic properties in Northern Ireland. These values will be used to assess rate bills from April 2020 onwards.

When implemented this will help rebalance business rates.

A schedule of draft rateable values is now available online.

#### More information

To view the schedule of draft rateable values and for further information on Reval2020

visit www.finance-ni.gov.uk/reval-2020-ni or Tel: 0300 200 7801





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#### What do we want ratepayers to do?

- Go online at <u>www.finance-ni.gov.uk/reval-2020-ni</u>
- Find your valuation ...... ask yourself...."could my property have let for this amount in April 2018?"
- If yes nothing further required.
- If any concerns check your details and similar properties in your locality.
- Remaining concerns? Contact LPS by email / phone or drop in to a Reval2020 event in Jan-Feb across NI.





#### Find out more

- www.finance-ni.gov.uk/reval-2020-ni
  - About Reval2020
  - FAQs and videos
- NDR Factsheet for Local Cour
- Council Briefing Packs

Thank you. Questions.





