Report on	Building Control Workload
Date of Meeting	9 th November 2021
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Yes No X

1.0	Purpose of Report				
1.1	To provide Members with an update on the workload analysis for Building Control across Mid-Ulster District Council.				
2.0	Background				
2.1	 Building Control applications are received in three different forms:- a Full Applications - submitted with detailed working drawings. b Building Notices - minor work not usually requiring detailed plans, e.g. provision of insulation to roof space, etc. c Regularisation Applications – where work has been carried out without an approval, an application must be submitted for retrospective approval. 				
3.0	Main Report				
3.1	Workload Analysis	October 2021	Accumulative 2021/22		
	Total number of Applications	138	1218		
	Full plans applications received	50	464		
	Building Notices applications received	77	671		
	Regularisation applications received	11	83		
	Estimated value of works submitted	£10,369,751	£108,062,408		
	Number of inspections carried out by Building Control Officers	653	4712		

	Commencements	152	1224	
	Domestic Dwellings	32	441	
	Domestic alterations and Extensions	98	683	
	Non-Domestic work	22	100	
	Completions	150	877	
	Domestic Dwellings	50	339	
	Domestic alterations and Extensions	86	476	
	Non-Domestic work	14	62	
	Property Certificates Received	161	1324	
3.2	As previously indicated, the Building Control Department have continued to provide a full service to the Public as required during the Covid-19 Pandemic.			
3.3	It should be noted from the Workload Analysis in 3.1, that the full range of applications are being received and administered in accordance with our procedures and performance criteria.			
3.4	It can also be noted that the demand for the service has increased over the past number of months and Building Regulation applications submitted are now at pre pandemic levels			
3.5	All inspections are now being carried out as requested subject to a risk assessment being completed.			
4.0	Other Considerations			
4.1	Financial, Human Resources & Risk Implications			
	Financial: Within Current Resources			
	Human: Within Current Resources			
	Risk Management: None			
4.2	Screening & Impact Assessments			

	Equality & Good Relations Implications: None
	Rural Needs Implications: None
5.0	Recommendation(s)
5.1	Members are requested to note the content of this report.
6.0	Documents Attached & References
6.1	Appendix 1 - List of significant applications received by the Building Control Service