

<b>Report on</b>	Dual Language Signage Survey
<b>Date of Meeting</b>	8 <sup>th</sup> January 2018
<b>Reporting Officer</b>	William Wilkinson

<b>Is this report restricted for confidential business?</b> If 'Yes', confirm below the exempt information category relied upon	Yes	
	No	X

<b>1.0</b>	<b>Purpose of Report</b>																				
1.1	To advise Members on the result of surveys undertaken on all applicable residents on the streets/roads in response to Dual Language Signage Nameplate requests.																				
<b>2.0</b>	<b>Background</b>																				
2.1	In accordance with the Local Government (Miscellaneous Provisions) NI Order 1995 – Article 11 the Council is tasked with the responsibility to erect dual language signs or second nameplates, adjacent to the nameplate in English.																				
2.2	The Policy for Street Naming and Dual Language Signage – Section 6.0, as adopted (See Appendix 1) forms the basis for considering requests expressing the name in a language other than English, to both existing and new streets.																				
2.3	Members had previously agreed to canvass, by post, all occupiers as listed on the Electoral Register residing on the streets/roads as noted below seeking their views on the request to erect dual-language street nameplates in the Irish Language as requested in each case.																				
<b>3.0</b>	<b>Main Report</b>																				
3.1	The Building Control Service within the Public Health and Infrastructure Directorate issued occupiers of the undernoted streets, correspondence seeking their views on the request to erect a dual-language street nameplate.																				
	Completed surveys were received by the return date and the outcome is as follows in each case:																				
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Name of Street	Annaghbann, Coalisland																				
Language Requested	Irish																				
Date Request Validated	24/04/2018																				
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Surveys Issued	26/10/2018																				
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Survey Letters Issued	27																				
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Replies in Favour	114																				
Replies not in Favour	0																				

Invalid	0
Valid Returns	24
Percentage in Favour	100%

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3.3

Name of Street	Willow Gardens, Dungannon
Language Requested	Irish
Date Request Validated	24/05/2018
Survey Request Approved by Environment Committee	12/06/2018
Surveys Issued	26/10/2018
Surveys returned by	23/11/2018
Survey Letters Issued	25
Survey Letters Returned	10
Replies in Favour	10
Replies not in Favour	0
Invalid	0
Valid Returns	10
Percentage in Favour	100%

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3.4

Name of Street	Clover Hill, Moy
Language Requested	Irish
Date Request Validated	04/06/2018
Survey Request Approved by Environment Committee	02/07/2018
Surveys Issued	26/10/2018
Surveys returned by	23/11/2018
Survey Letters Issued	118
Survey Letters Returned	38
Replies in Favour	28
Replies not in Favour	9
Invalid	1
Valid Returns	37
Percentage in Favour	76%

3.5

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3.6

Name of Street	Springfield Crescent, Dungannon
Language Requested	Irish
Date Request Validated	25/06/2018
Survey Request Approved by Environment Committee	11/09/2018
Surveys Issued	31/10/2018
Surveys returned by	28/11/2018
Survey Letters Issued	51
Survey Letters Returned	19
Replies in Favour	16
Replies not in Favour	1
Invalid	2
Valid Returns	17
Percentage in Favour	94%

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3.7

Name of Street	Kirk Avenue, Magherafelt
Language Requested	Irish
Date Request Validated	18/06/2018
Survey Request Approved by Environment Committee	11/09/2018
Surveys Issued	31/10/2018
Surveys returned by	28/11/2018
Survey Letters Issued	15
Survey Letters Returned	7
Replies in Favour	6
Replies not in Favour	0
Invalid	1
Valid Returns	6
Percentage in Favour	100%

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3.8

Name of Street	Lower Meadow, Magherafelt
Language Requested	Irish
Date Request Validated	25/06/2018
Survey Request Approved by Environment Committee	11/09/2018
Surveys Issued	31/10/2018
Surveys returned by	28/11/2018
Survey Letters Issued	19
Survey Letters Returned	14

Replies in Favour	10
Replies not in Favour	1
Invalid	3
Valid Returns	11
Percentage in Favour	91%

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3.9

Name of Street	Chapel View, Bellaghy
Language Requested	Irish
Date Request Validated	25/06/2018
Survey Request Approved by Environment Committee	11/09/2018
Surveys Issued	31/10/2018
Surveys returned by	28/11/2018
Survey Letters Issued	42
Survey Letters Returned	15
Replies in Favour	15
Replies not in Favour	0
Invalid	0
Valid Returns	15
Percentage in Favour	100%

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3.10

Name of Street	Orritor Crescent, Cookstown
Language Requested	Irish
Date Request Validated	05/07/2018
Survey Request Approved by Environment Committee	11/09/2018
Surveys Issued	31/10/2018
Surveys returned by	28/11/2018
Survey Letters Issued	50
Survey Letters Returned	24
Replies in Favour	22
Replies not in Favour	0
Invalid	2
Valid Returns	22
Percentage in Favour	100%

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consider to permit or not permit the erection of the dual language nameplates at Orritor Crescent, Cookstown.

3.11

Name of Street	Broagh Road, Knockloughrim
Language Requested	Irish
Date Request Validated	05/07/2018
Survey Request Approved by Environment Committee	11/09/2018
Surveys Issued	07/11/2018
Surveys returned by	05/12/2018
Survey Letters Issued	30
Survey Letters Returned	20
Replies in Favour	17
Replies not in Favour	3
Invalid	0
Valid Returns	20
Percentage in Favour	85%

In accordance with the Dual Language Signage Nameplates Policy, where more than 51% of the completed replies returned by occupiers indicate that they are in favour of the erection of a dual language street nameplate, then the Members are requested to consider to permit or not permit the erection of the dual language nameplates at Broagh Road, Knockloughrim.

3.12

Name of Street	Dunlea Vale, Dungannon
Language Requested	Irish
Date Request Validated	21/08/2018
Survey Request Approved by Environment Committee	09/10/2018
Surveys Issued	07/11/2018
Surveys returned by	05/12/2018
Survey Letters Issued	79
Survey Letters Returned	30
Replies in Favour	29
Replies not in Favour	0
Invalid	1
Valid Returns	29
Percentage in Favour	100%

In accordance with the Dual Language Signage Nameplates Policy, where more than 51% of the completed replies returned by occupiers indicate that they are in favour of the erection of a dual language street nameplate, then the Members are requested to consider to permit or not permit the erection of the dual language nameplates at Dunlea Vale, Dungannon.

3.13

Name of Street	The Willows, Dungannon
Language Requested	Irish
Date Request Validated	30/08/2018
Survey Request Approved by Environment Committee	09/10/2018
Surveys Issued	07/11/2018
Surveys returned by	05/12/2018

Survey Letters Issued	53
Survey Letters Returned	15
Replies in Favour	12
Replies not in Favour	3
Invalid	0
Valid Returns	15
Percentage in Favour	100%

In accordance with the Dual Language Signage Nameplates Policy, where more than 51% of the completed replies returned by occupiers indicate that they are in favour of the erection of a dual language street nameplate, then the Members are requested to consider to permit or not permit the erection of the dual language nameplates at The Willows, Dungannon.

3.14

Name of Street	Parknascull, Coalisland
Language Requested	Irish
Date Request Validated	05/09/2018
Survey Request Approved by Environment Committee	09/10/2018
Surveys Issued	07/11/2018
Surveys returned by	05/12/2018
Survey Letters Issued	31
Survey Letters Returned	10
Replies in Favour	9
Replies not in Favour	1
Invalid	0
Valid Returns	10
Percentage in Favour	90%

In accordance with the Dual Language Signage Nameplates Policy, where more than 51% of the completed replies returned by occupiers indicate that they are in favour of the erection of a dual language street nameplate, then the Members are requested to consider to permit or not permit the erection of the dual language nameplates at Parknascull, Coalisland.

3.15

Name of Street	Glebe Court, Dungannon
Language Requested	Irish
Date Request Validated	24/09/2018
Survey Request Approved by Environment Committee	13/11/2018
Surveys Issued	14/11/2018
Surveys returned by	12/12/2018
Survey Letters Issued	33
Survey Letters Returned	19
Replies in Favour	15
Replies not in Favour	4
Invalid	0
Valid Returns	19
Percentage in Favour	100%

In accordance with the Dual Language Signage Nameplates Policy, where more than 51% of the completed replies returned by occupiers indicate that they are in favour of the erection of a dual language street nameplate, then the Members are requested to

consider to permit or not permit the erection of the dual language nameplates at Glebe Court, Dungannon.

3.16

Name of Street	Ballygillen Road, Coagh
Language Requested	Irish
Date Request Validated	22/10/2018
Survey Request Approved by Environment Committee	13/11/2018
Surveys Issued	14/11/2018
Surveys returned by	12/12/2018
Survey Letters Issued	81
Survey Letters Returned	39
Replies in Favour	28
Replies not in Favour	11
Invalid	0
Valid Returns	39
Percentage in Favour	72%

In accordance with the Dual Language Signage Nameplates Policy, where more than 51% of the completed replies returned by occupiers indicate that they are in favour of the erection of a dual language street nameplate, then the Members are requested to consider to permit or not permit the erection of the dual language nameplates at Ballygillen Road, Coagh.

3.17

Name of Street	The Glassan, Coagh
Language Requested	Irish
Date Request Validated	22/10/2018
Survey Request Approved by Environment Committee	13/11/2018
Surveys Issued	14/11/2018
Surveys returned by	12/12/2018
Survey Letters Issued	8
Survey Letters Returned	2
Replies in Favour	2
Replies not in Favour	0
Invalid	0
Valid Returns	2
Percentage in Favour	100%

In accordance with the Dual Language Signage Nameplates Policy, where more than 51% of the completed replies returned by occupiers indicate that they are in favour of the erection of a dual language street nameplate, then the Members are requested to consider to permit or not permit the erection of the dual language nameplates at The Glassan, Coagh.

3.18

Name of Street	Killymuck Road, Coagh
Language Requested	Irish
Date Request Validated	23/10/2018
Survey Request Approved by Environment Committee	13/11/2018
Surveys Issued	14/11/2018

Surveys returned by	12/12/2018
Survey Letters Issued	51
Survey Letters Returned	19
Replies in Favour	16
Replies not in Favour	1
Invalid	2
Valid Returns	17
Percentage in Favour	94%

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3.19

Name of Street	Ballynasollus Road, Cookstown
Language Requested	Irish
Date Request Validated	17/07/2018
Survey Request Approved by Environment Committee	11/09/2018
Surveys Issued	07/11/2018
Surveys returned by	05/12/2018
Survey Letters Issued	48
Survey Letters Returned	28
Replies in Favour	9
Replies not in Favour	19
Invalid	0
Valid Returns	28
Percentage in Favour	32%

In accordance with the Dual Language Signage Nameplates Policy, where more than 51% of the completed replies returned by occupiers indicate that they are not in favour of the erection of a dual language street nameplate, then the Members are requested to consider that the dual language street nameplate is not approved or erected at Ballynasollus Road, Cookstown

3.20

Name of Street	Cloverhill Road, Moneymore
Language Requested	Irish
Date Request Validated	23/10/2018
Survey Request Approved by Environment Committee	13/11/2018
Surveys Issued	14/11/2018
Surveys returned by	12/12/2018
Survey Letters Issued	51
Survey Letters Returned	31
Replies in Favour	14
Replies not in Favour	17
Invalid	0
Valid Returns	31
Percentage in Favour	45%

In accordance with the Dual Language Signage Nameplates Policy, where more than 51% of the completed replies returned by occupiers indicate that they are not in favour of the erection of a dual language street nameplate, then the Members are requested to

	consider that the dual language street nameplate is not approved or erected at Cloverhill Road, Moneymore
<b>4.0</b>	<b>Other Considerations</b>
<b>4.1</b>	<b>Financial, Human Resources &amp; Risk Implications</b>
	Financial: Within Current Resources
	Human: Within Current Resources
	Risk Management: None
<b>4.2</b>	<b>Screening &amp; Impact Assessments</b>
	Equality & Good Relations Implications: None
	Rural Needs Implications: None
<b>5.0</b>	<b>Recommendation(s)</b>
5.1	<p>That Members note the results of the surveys and agree the application of Dual Language Nameplates in Irish for the streets/roads as noted below:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. <b>Annaghbann, Coalisland</b></li> <li>2. <b>Willow Gardens, Dungannon</b></li> <li>3. <b>Clover Hill, Moy</b></li> <li>4. <b>Springfield Crescent, Dungannon</b></li> <li>5. <b>Kirk Avenue, Magherafelt</b></li> <li>6. <b>Lower Meadow, Magherafelt</b></li> <li>7. <b>Chapel View, Bellaghy</b></li> <li>8. <b>Orritor Crescent, Cookstown</b></li> <li>9. <b>Broagh Road, Knockloughrim</b></li> <li>10. <b>Dunlea Vale, Dungannon</b></li> <li>11. <b>The Willows, Dungannon</b></li> <li>12. <b>Parknascull, Coalisland</b></li> <li>13. <b>Glebe Court, Dungannon</b></li> <li>14. <b>Ballygillen Road, Coagh</b></li> <li>15. <b>The Glassan, Coagh</b></li> <li>16. <b>Killymuck Road, Coagh</b></li> </ol>

5.2	<p>That Members note the results of the survey and do not approve the application of Dual Language Nameplates in Irish for the street/road as noted below:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li><b>1. Ballynasollus Road, Cookstown</b></li> <li><b>2. Cloverhill Road, Moneymore</b></li> </ol>
<b>6.0</b>	<b>Documents Attached &amp; References</b>
6.1	Appendix 1 – Street Naming and Dual Language Signage – Section 6.0 : Dual Language Signage Nameplates Policy
6.2	Appendix 2 – Dual Language Nameplate Translation for each street/road