

<b>Report on</b>	Review of Policy on Street Naming and Numbering
<b>Date of Meeting</b>	9 <sup>th</sup> March 2021
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<b>1.0</b>	<b>Purpose of Report</b>
1.1	To advise Members on the review of the Policy on Street Naming and Numbering.
<b>2.0</b>	<b>Background</b>
2.1	The current Street Naming and Numbering Policy as agreed by Mid Ulster District Council has been used as the basis for Street Naming requests since March 2019.
2.2	Following the adoption of the reviewed Policy, the Building Control Department have received 24 requests for the naming of new streets within residential and commercial developments. To date, the Policy has provided a sound basis for ensuring that effective procedures are in place for the processing and approving names of new streets/roads within Mid Ulster District Council.
<b>3.0</b>	<b>Main Report</b>
3.1	<p>The Policy for Street Naming and Numbering (see Appendix 1) has been used as the basis for processing street naming requests since March 2019. There are two areas within the current Policy where comments have been made by Members:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>i. Liaising with local historical/community groups with a view to gaining knowledge of local area to enable compliance with Paragraph 5.2 – “Criteria – General”.</li> <li>ii. In relation to renaming of an existing street, the residents on that street should be made aware of the issues surrounding the successful renaming of a street.</li> </ul>
3.2	The Policy Review document as attached in Appendix 2, details the areas highlighted for consideration within the “Policy for Street Naming and Numbering” accompanied by relevant comments.
<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: Assessment to be carried out following the completed review of Policy prior to being agreed.
	Rural Needs Implications: Assessment to be carried out following the completed review of Policy prior to being agreed.
<b>5.0</b>	<b>Recommendation(s)</b>
5.1	It is recommended that Members consider the points raised within the Review of the Policy for Street Naming and Numbering and any additional issues which may require consideration.
<b>6.0</b>	<b>Documents Attached &amp; References</b>
6.1	Appendix 1 – Policy on Street Naming and Numbering
6.2	Appendix 2 – Policy review document on Street Naming and Numbering