

## **Long announces plans to allow broadcasting of courts**

News outlets will be able to broadcast sentencing remarks by judges in plans being taken forward by the Department of Justice.

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## **Ex-post Evaluation of the Northern Ireland Rural Development Programme 2014-2020**

The Department of Agriculture, Environment and Rural Affairs has published the ex-post evaluation of the Northern Ireland Rural Development Programme (NIRDP) 2014-2020.

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## **Health Minister opens 2026/2027 Core Grant funding scheme**

The Health Minister today launched the Department of Health's Core Grant funding scheme for 2026/2027.

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## **Communities Minister announces changes to funding for new social homes**

Communities Minister Gordon Lyons today announced a number of changes to increase the delivery of new social homes across Northern Ireland.

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# **Armagh, Banbridge and Craigavon Borough Council receives an update on road infrastructure projects for 2025/26**

Members of the Armagh, Banbridge and Craigavon Borough Council received an update from the Department for Infrastructure regarding road maintenance and improvement works in the council area for the years 2024/25 and 2025/26.