

## 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.

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## 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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## Long welcomes UK Prisons Minister to launch of The Bridge, an Employers' Forum for Reducing Reoffending

Justice Minister Naomi Long has launched The Bridge, a Business in the Community Employers' Forum for Reducing Reoffending, which is aimed at

improving job prospects of offenders.

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## **Minister welcomes appointment of Alison Currie as Chief Development Officer at Invest NI**

Economy Minister Dr Caoimhe Archibald has welcomed the appointment of Alison Currie as Chief Development Officer (CDO) at Invest NI.