#### Mallon secures £17m support package for ferries to keep supply chains open

Infrastructure Minister Nichola Mallon has announced financial support of up to £17million for ferry operators to keep supply chains open during the COVID-19 emergency.

#### **UPDATE: Covid 19 Food Parcel Service**

The Department for Communities Covid 19 Food Parcel Service has been hugely successful in getting immediate food and essential supplies to those most in need, with 30,975 boxes having been delivered to the 24 Council distribution centres in the three weeks since the service started.

## Executive Daily Update: Initiatives to deal with Coronavirus (24 April 2020)

Northern Ireland Executive ministers and their officials have over the past 24 hours been involved in a number of initiatives and critical decisions relating to the Coronavirus emergency.

# <u>Mallon Praises Public on 70% Traffic</u> <u>Reduction in Lockdown — Commits to</u> <u>Reimagining our Places in an Ambitious</u> <u>Recovery Plan</u>

Revealing that since lockdown began on 23 March, on average, there has been a reduction in traffic flows of between 60 and 70% compared to this period in previous years, Minister Mallon has urged the public to keep going.

## Executive approves opening of cemeteries on restricted basis

The Executive has today agreed that cemeteries will be allowed to open on a restricted basis.