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29th September, 2017

Mr. Eoghan Murphy T.D.
Minister for Housing, Planning and Local Government,
Department of Housing, Planning & Local Government,
Custom House,
Custom Quay,
Dublin 1
DO1 W6XO

RE: Ban the use of glyphosate weed killer

Dear Minister Murphy,

I wish to inform you that at the September meeting of Leitrim County Council the Members unanimously passed the following resolution:-

"That Leitrim County Council call on the Minister for Housing, Planning and Local Government Eoghan Murphy TD to ban the use of glyphosate weed killers in all public areas in our thirty-one local authorities".

I look forward to hearing from you in this regard.

Yours sincerely,

Sinead Flynn

Meetings Administrator

CC: All Local Authorities



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RE: Housing Grant Scheme

Dear Minister Murphy,

I wish to inform you that at the September meeting of Leitrim County Council the Members unanimously passed the following resolution:-

"That Leitrim County Council call on the Department and the Minister Mr. Eoghan Murphy TD, to review the terms and conditions of the Housing Grant Scheme to allow Local Authorities to use discretion in the awarding of house repair grants for older people. In the case where an applicant has transferred ownership of their home over to one of their children, but they will still continue to live in their home for the rest of their days, that they would be entitled to apply for and receive grant approval for works on the merits of their own income."

I look forward to hearing from you in this regard.

Yours sincerely,

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CC: An Taoiseach and all Local Authorities