

11th March, 2025.

Our Ref: March25 – 19/JC/AC

Dear Meeting Administrator,

At the March meeting of Clare County Council, the members passed the following resolution and agreed that this request should be circulated to all Local Authorities:

"I call on the Minister for Children and Disability, Norma Foley to provide funding for all of the valid applications made by Early Years Educators across the country through the Building Blocks Capital Investment Program 2025. A pillar service with major waiting lists and need across the country requires sufficient focus and funding now to ensure those who have taken the time and invested money in developing projects that prove a need in their area should be funded as a matter of urgency to see delivery of much needed additional spaces in the next 12/18 months.

If agreed, I ask this motion is shared with other local authorities."

Yours sincerely,

John Corry,

A/Senior Executive Officer,

Corporate Services Department,

Rural Development Directorate.

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