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12th September, 2025.

**Mr. Michael Martin, T.D.,
An Taoiseach,
Department of the Taoiseach,
2, Merrion Row,
Dublin 2.**

Dear Taoiseach,

At a meeting of Carlow County Council held on Monday 8th September 2025,
the following Notice of Motion was adopted by the members:-

Carlow County Council agree to write to the Minister for Further and Higher Education, Research, Innovation and Science, and to the Taoiseach, expressing this Council's opposition to any increase in college fees and the Government to ensure to maintain the Grant in the upcoming budget.

I would be obliged if you could give consideration to the members request.

Yours sincerely,

**Fiona Byrne,
Senior Executive Officer/
Meetings Administrator.**