



---

**Minister Darragh O'Brien**  
**Diary Schedule**  
**July 2021**

---

# 28 June 2021 - 4 July 2021

June 2021

Mo	Tu	We	Th	Fr	Sa	Su
	1	2	3	4	5	6
7	8	9	10	11	12	13
14	15	16	17	18	19	20
21	22	23	24	25	26	27
28	29	30				

July 2021

Mo	Tu	We	Th	Fr	Sa	Su
			1	2	3	4
5	6	7	8	9	10	11
12	13	14	15	16	17	18
19	20	21	22	23	24	25
26	27	28	29	30	31	

## Monday 28 June

- ☐ **Poss - Planning Bill (Committee & Remaining)** (Seanad)
- 12:00 - 13:00 FF Dublin PP Group Meeting** (Microsoft Teams Meeting) - Mary Fitzpatrick ☐
- 12:00 - 12:45 Briefing on MAP Bill - Conor McCabe** (vc)
- 12:00 - 12:30 Maritime Area Planning Bill pre-Cabinet Briefing** (Webex) - Conor McCabe (Housing)
- 14:00 - 17:00 NED**
- 14:40 - 16:55 NED - Chair Breakout Session**
- 15:15 - 18:15 FOR INFO: Planning Bill - Committee & Remaining Stages** (Seanad)
- 16:30 - 17:00 Incorporal Government Meeting** (vc)
- 17:00 - 17:30 CANVASS - Deirdre Conroy** (DBS - Clanna Gael GAA car park)
- 17:00 - 17:30 Meeting with Minister Mallon** (CH)
- 17:30 - 18:30 Governance - North Dublin Regional Drug Taskforce** (zoom)

## Tuesday 29 June

- 08:30 - 11:30 Government Meeting** (Dublin Castle)
- 09:20 - 10:00 FW: Webex meeting changed: Pre-Cabinet meeting**
- 11:30 - 12:00 Post Cabinet meeting with Advisers** (CH / LH) ☐
- 12:00 - 12:30 Diary Meeting** (CH) ☐
- 14:00 - 17:30 NED**
- 14:00 - 14:30 Mica Working Group briefing** (vc) - Niamh Redmond (Housing)
- 15:00 - 15:30 Order of Business roster** (Convention Centre)
- 15:14 - 18:14 Planning Bill - 2nd Stage** (Dail (sitting in Convention Centre))
- 18:14 - 20:14 PMB - SF Motion on Housing** (Dail (sitting in Convention Centre))

## Wednesday 30 June

- 10:00 - 12:00 FW: First Meeting of the Defective Concrete Blocks Working Group to be held on Wednesday 30th June 2021 at 10 am** (VC) - Noel Halvey (Housing)
- 10:00 - 12:00 Mica Working Group** (vc)
- 15:30 - 17:00 Save The Date: RÉALTA Virtual Awards Ceremony 2021** (WEBEX Virtual Meeting Room) - Housing Wellstrategy
- 18:30 - 20:00 PP** (vc) ☐

## Thursday 1 July

- 08:10 - 08:30 Newstalk Breakfast**
- 10:00 - 10:45 Drive to Dun Laoghaire**
- 11:00 - 12:30 Launch of NMPF and Publication of MAP Bill 2021**
- 15:00 - 15:45 Glenveagh / Ministerial meeting** (vc) - Niamh Redmond (Housing)
- 15:00 - 15:45 Meeting with Glenveagh** (vc)
- 16:00 - 18:00 FOR INFO: CC on Climate Action and Environment** (Gov Building)
- 16:30 - 17:00** (Swords)

## Friday 2 July

- 11:00 - 11:30 11am** (Irish families through surrogacy) and (surrogacy solicitor) (Zoom codes below)
- 12:00 - 12:45 Turvey Nature Reserve,** (Donabate)
- 13:30 - 14:00** - Skerries
- 15:00 - 16:00 North Dublin Regional Drug and Alcohol Task Force** (Zoom)
- 16:30 - 17:30 Webex meeting invitation: Housing**

## Saturday 3 July

- 11:15 - 11:45 11.15am** (Metrolink issue) Meeting on Green space)

## Sunday 4 July

# 5 July 2021 - 11 July 2021

July 2021							August 2021						
Mo	Tu	We	Th	Fr	Sa	Su	Mo	Tu	We	Th	Fr	Sa	Su
				1	2	3	4						1
5	6	7	8	9	10	11		2	3	4	5	6	7
12	13	14	15	16	17	18		9	10	11	12	13	14
19	20	21	22	23	24	25		16	17	18	19	20	21
26	27	28	29	30	31			23	24	25	26	27	28
								30	31				

## Monday 5 July

- 12:00 - 13:00 FF Dublin PP Group Meeting (Microsoft Teams Meeting) - Mary Fitzpatrick ☉
- 15:00 - 15:45 Briefing re Housing for All (LH)
- 16:00 - 17:00 CC on Housing

## Tuesday 6 July

- 09:00 - 11:30 Government Meetings (vc)
- 09:20 - 10:00 FW: Webex meeting changed: Pre-Cabinet meeting
- 11:30 - 12:00 Post Cabinet meeting with Advisers (CH / LH) ☉
- 12:00 - 12:30 Diary Meeting (CH) ☉
- 14:00 - 14:45 Meeting with Minister English re Leasing (In person & VC)
- 14:00 - 14:30 Meeting with Trinity Portfolio Management (Minister English) (vc) - Niamh Redmond (Housing)
- 15:00 - 15:45 NMS Briefing re. Stephen's Green Metro Station with Minister Noonan
- 15:00 - 15:30 Briefing with Minister's O'Brien and Noonan regarding the Stephen's Green Metro Station (Web-Ex) - Ashley
- 16:00 - 17:00 Submissions with Niamh Drew (CH)
- 18:14 - 20:14 PMB - Sinn Féin - Ban on Rent Increases Bill 2021 (Convention Centre)

## Wednesday 7 July

- 10:30 - 12:00 Taylor's Hill Cluid launch (Balbriggan - Co. Dublin, Ireland)
- 11:00 - 12:00 PLACEHOLDER: Youth forum - Marine Protected Areas public consultation (vc)
- 13:00 - 13:45 Meeting with Minister McConalogue (Naul)
- 14:30 - 15:15 Meeting with IW (Grand Hotel, Malahide)
- 15:30 - 16:00 Drivetime Pre-Rec (Phone)
- 17:00 - 18:00 Bilateral with Minister McGrath - NDP (D/PER Merrion Street.)
- 18:30 - 20:00 PP (vc) ☉

## Thursday 8 July

- 11:00 - 12:00 PLACEHOLDER: Youth forum - Marine Protected Areas public consultation (vc)
- 13:00 - 13:45 Bilateral - Minister Donohoe (Custom House)
- 14:45 - 17:45 Affordable Housing Bill 2021. Committee and Remaining Stages (Department of Housing, Local Government, and Heritage) to conclude after 180 mins
- 17:45 - 18:45 Residential Tenancies (No. 2) Bill 2021. Amendments from Seanad Éireann (Department of Housing, Local Government, and Heritage) to conclude after 60 mins (Convention Centre)

## Friday 9 July

- 09:45 - 10:45 2nd Jab (Helix)
- 10:00 - 10:30 Housing Conference at the Bar Council of Ireland (TBC)
- 11:30 - 12:00 Constituency meeting catch up (VC) - Denise Boyne (Housing)
- 13:45 - 14:15 Meeting Eugene Murphy TD (CH)
- 14:00 - 14:30 Dome visit
- 15:30 - 16:00 The Hard Shoulder with Kieran Cuddihy (Marconi House - record)
- 16:00 - 18:00 LDA - 2nd Stage (Seanad)
- 16:30 - 17:30 Webex meeting invitation: Housing

## Saturday 10 July

## Sunday 11 July

- 12:00 - 13:00 Fingal Old IRA Commemorative Event (Rolestown)

# 12 July 2021 - 18 July 2021

July 2021							August 2021						
Mo	Tu	We	Th	Fr	Sa	Su	Mo	Tu	We	Th	Fr	Sa	Su
					1	2	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
5	6	7	8	9	10	11	9	10	11	12	13	14	15
12	13	14	15	16	17	18	16	17	18	19	20	21	22
19	20	21	22	23	24	25	23	24	25	26	27	28	29
26	27	28	29	30	31		30	31					

## Monday 12 July

- 11:00 - 12:00 Meeting with DCC FF Cllrs re Oscar Traynor Road (vc)
- 12:00 - 13:00 FF Dublin PP Group Meeting (Microsoft Teams Meeting) - Mary Fitzpatrick ☉
- 13:30 - 14:00 DCC Councillors re Oscar Traynor Road (vc) - Niamh Redmond (Housing)
- 18:30 - 19:30 Affordable Housing Bill 2021- Report Stage (Amendments from Dáil Éireann) and Final Stages [Department of Housing, Local Government and Heritage] (Seanad)

## Tuesday 13 July

- 08:30 - 09:00 Pre-Cabinet (Dublin Castle)
- 09:00 - 11:30 Government Meeting (Dublin Castle)
- 11:30 - 12:00 Post Cabinet meeting with Advisers (CH / LH) ☉
- 12:00 - 12:30 Diary Meeting (CH) ☉
- 13:30 - 19:30 Personal

## Wednesday 14 July

- 07:30 - 08:00 Meeting with An Taoiseach (Government Buildings) - Darragh O'Brien (Housing)
- 08:00 - 09:00 Trilateral - Ministers O'Brien, McGrath & Donohoe
- 10:00 - 11:00 Meeting with An Taoiseach (Government Buildings)
- 15:15 - 16:00 Meeting with Feargal & Mary
- 16:30 - 17:30 Government Meeting (Government Buildings)
- 18:00 - 18:30 VIDEO WITH CIARA
- 18:30 - 20:00 PP (vc) ☉
- 18:45 Dail voteable (CCD) →

## Thursday 15 July

- 10:00 - 10:30 Pat Kenny Interview - Phone (Phone)
- 11:00 - 11:30 PRE RECORD - Respond
- 12:00 - 12:30 Tony Groves PODCAST (VC)
- 13:30 - 16:00 Land Development Agency Bill 2021 – Report and Final Stages [Department of Housing, Local Government and Heritage] (Seanad)
- 16:00 - 17:30 CC on Housing (Government Buildings)

## Friday 16 July

- 09:30 - 10:30 Ministerial Management Board (Virtual) - Mary O'Keeffe (Housing) ☉
- 10:30 - 11:30 FW: Housing for All (Zoom) - Mitchell, Anna
- 10:30 - 11:30 Meeting with AG (Planning Issues) (vc)
- 13:00 - 13:45 Focus Ireland visit (53 Mountjoy Street, Phibsborough, Dublin 7, D07 K6AK)
- 14:30 - 15:30 Official Opening at Mount Eagle Square & launch of Túath Housing annual report (D18 P03D - Mount Eagle Square, Sandyford, Dublin 18)
- 16:00 - 17:00 Malahide Cricket Club-Taoiseach and Jack Chambers (Malahide Cricket Club)

## Saturday 17 July

## Sunday 18 July

# 19 July 2021 - 25 July 2021

July 2021							August 2021						
Mo	Tu	We	Th	Fr	Sa	Su	Mo	Tu	We	Th	Fr	Sa	Su
					1	2	3	4					1
5	6	7	8	9	10	11	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
12	13	14	15	16	17	18	9	10	11	12	13	14	15
19	20	21	22	23	24	25	16	17	18	19	20	21	22
26	27	28	29	30	31		23	24	25	26	27	28	29
							30	31					

## Monday 19 July

- 12:00 - 13:00 FF Dublin PP Group Meeting (Microsoft Teams Meeting) - Mary Fitzpatrick ☺

## Tuesday 20 July

- 09:20 - 10:00 FW: Webex meeting changed: Pre-Cabinet meeting
- 11:30 - 12:00 Post Cabinet meeting with Advisers (CH / LH) ☺
- 12:00 - 12:30 Diary Meeting (CH) ☺
- 15:00 - 15:45 Meeting with OPR (Custom House)
- 15:00 - 15:30 OPR meeting with Minister (vc) - Niamh Redmond (Housing)
- 16:00 - 16:30 Meeting with CE Housing Agency (vc) - Niamh Redmond (Housing)
- 16:00 - 16:30 Meeting with John O'Connor

## Wednesday 21 July

- 09:30 - 10:00 PreCabinet (Dublin Castle)
- 10:00 - 12:30 Government Meeting (Dublin Castle)
- 13:00 - 13:30 Meeting with Niall O Donnchu (CH)
- 14:00 - 14:30 2pm Balbriggan Garda District Superintendent Paul Franey with public Representatives regarding Youth Services. (VC see attached for details)
- 18:30 - 20:00 PP (vc) ☺
- 18:30 - 19:30 FF Cllr Forum (vc)

## Thursday 22 July

- 10:00 - 11:00 Briefing re Water Division Submissions
- 10:00 - 10:30 Nitrates Plan meeting (vc) - Niamh Redmond (Housing)
- 11:00 - 11:30 Meeting with [REDACTED] re Taskforce (Malahide)

## Friday 23 July

- 11:00 - 12:00 Private visit to Oscar Traynor site with FF DCC Cllrs
- 12:30 - 13:00 Meeting with Cllr Daithi de Roiste (Swords)
- 14:00 - 14:30 Video with Steven & Stephen (Portmarnock Silver Strand)

## Saturday 24 July

## Sunday 25 July



# 26 July 2021 - 1 August 2021

July 2021

Mo	Tu	We	Th	Fr	Sa	Su
				1	2	3
4	5	6	7	8	9	10
11	12	13	14	15	16	17
18	19	20	21	22	23	24
25	26	27	28	29	30	31

August 2021

Mo	Tu	We	Th	Fr	Sa	Su
						1
2	3	4	5	6	7	8
9	10	11	12	13	14	15
16	17	18	19	20	21	22
23	24	25	26	27	28	29
30	31					

## Monday 26 July

- 10:00 - 11:00 Taskforce on Homelessness (vc) - Niamh Redmond (Housing)
- 10:00 - 11:00 Taskforce on Homelessness (vc)

## Tuesday 27 July

- 09:20 - 10:00 FW: Webex meeting invitation: Pre-Cabinet Meeting
- 10:00 - 12:30 Government Meeting (Council Chamber, Sycamore Room & Room 301 Government Buildingw)
- 13:00 - 13:45 DCC/SDCC Naas Road transformation project (Conf Room, CH)
- 14:00 - 15:00 Meeting with AG - Planning Consolidation Review (vc)
- 14:15 - 15:15 AG-Minister O'Brien - Planning Consolidation Review (Zoom) - Tighe, Cormac
- 15:15 - 16:15 Dublin Simon Contract signing (Usher's Island)

## Wednesday 28 July

- 09:30 - 10:00 Interview - Pat Kenny Show (Phone)
- 18:30 - 20:00 PP (vc) ☺

## Thursday 29 July

## Friday 30 July

- 10:30 - 11:30 Monthly Policy meeting - PfG commitments (vc) ☺

## Saturday 31 July

- 14:00 - 15:00 [REDACTED]

## Sunday 1 August