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Sligo County Council intends to review the **local area plan** (LAP) for Ballymote.

Before preparing a Draft LAP, the local authority wishes to consult with the town's residents, non-resident users (businesses or individuals), relevant institutions, public agencies and all those who are interested in the future of Ballymote.

This **Consultation Paper** is intended to assist those who wish to participate in public consultation and contribute to the preparation of the new Ballymote LAP. It offers background information relating to Ballymote and outlines the main challenges that the LAP must address in order to help the town live up to its status of Key Support Town.

You are invited to express your views and make suggestions in relation to the forthcoming Ballymote Local Area Plan 2012-2018.

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The Consultation Paper can be downloaded from www.sligococo.ie/ballymote

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