

A new Submission has been received to the Draft Nenagh Local Area Plan 2024-2030

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Submission Text: This is a request for a taxi service/rank in Nenagh. I tried to find a taxi recently and there was none that I could see. Unless someone knows someone, there's no publicly advertised taxi rank/service. In a town this size, plus in the climate of safety to all, I would like to see something done.

A taxi rank would be a means to people who work late, getting home safely, encourage more socialising in town later into the evening, provide transport for older or for those unable to walk or drive, indirectly providing independence.

Banba square is on the doorstep of the Garda Station and the Ulster Bank premises looks to be unoccupied. Plus, there's space for cars to drop off and leave from that location.

If it started at weekends, increasing to evenings, daytimes it would give an indication as to interest, uptake and graduating to a full time taxi rank.

Given that there is no competition, it would be hoped that a taxi rank would not be seen as a means to a financial windfall. I think also too that consideration should be given to having a fare that equates to other areas and not a means to deter those on pensions from using the service.

This submission is being made by a person who has availed of such a service in other towns for many years but this option has not been available in Nenagh at any point since I moved here, 10 years ago.

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