

Kilkenny Access for All is a partnership of interested stakeholder's across the disability, community and business sectors with a goal of universal access for all in Kilkenny, where all citizens have equal opportunities for economic, social, cultural and community participation. Kilkenny PPN is the lead organisation for this group with multiple partners across the County working towards an enhanced living and community environment.

O'Herlihy Access Consultancy (OHAC) has been engaged by Kilkenny PPN as consultants on the delivery of the Kilkenny Access for All Strategy.

In the context of this plan access is referred to in its broadest terms not just physical access but includes access to services.

In order to undertake the development of this strategy it is essential that consultation takes place with a wide range of people with disabilities, their representatives, disability organisation, staff and access groups, older adults, business and public service providers in order to identify and meet the access needs of the service users in Kilkenny.

A consultation workshop with OHAC will take place on

**Wednesday 7<sup>th</sup> February**

**From 2 – 4.30 pm**

**In the Ormonde Hotel, Kilkenny** (Light refreshments will be served)

We urge each organisation to send staff and service user representation to this consultation.

To confirm places please contact Katherine Peacock by Friday the 2<sup>nd</sup> of February on 087 1731634 email [ppnkilkenny@kilkennycoco.ie](mailto:ppnkilkenny@kilkennycoco.ie) . Please advise me if you require additional access or supports as early as possible.