

Millcroft Road Newsletter



WELCOME to the June 2026 Millcroft Road Newsletter, updating owner occupiers, residents and landlords on the progress being made with the Millcroft Road Regeneration Project.

Compulsory Purchase Order Progress Update

The CPO was submitted to the Scottish Government on 29th March 2023 for determination.

Following conclusion of the Scottish Government Inquiry process in 2024, the Scottish Ministers considered the merits of the Order and reviewed all of the evidence presented.

The Scottish Government Ministers confirmed the Order on 29th January 2025.

A formal Notice (a Confirmation Notice) was issued to you in March 2025 in letter form via recorded delivery or personal service. This included legal documents regarding the Confirmation of the Order and also details of how you can claim compensation in relation to the compulsory acquisition of your property.

The Vesting Date (when the Council will take ownership of all remaining properties not already acquired via voluntary acquisition) is likely to be set in Spring 2027.

Once the Vesting Date has been set a subsequent Notice will be sent out to all parties advising that North Lanarkshire Council will take title to your property by serving a General Vesting Declaration (GVD). This Notice (the GVD Notice) will specify

clearly the date that the Council intends to take possession of your property.

What happens next?

The Council has Committee approval to progress with voluntary acquisition of the properties now that the Order is Confirmed. Voluntary acquisitions are now progressing in advance of the Vesting Date. This allows interested owners to sell on their property to the Council in advance of the Vesting Date, in line with the same level of compensation which would be available via the CPO process.

The District Valuer Service (DVS) Glasgow, appointed to act on the Council's behalf, is progressing with the valuation surveys for all affected properties. The DVS continues to contact owners directly to discuss their individual valuations. All owners are requested to engage with the DVS when contacted to support the continued progression of their voluntary sale.

The DVS will act on behalf of the Council in relation to all valuations, both at voluntary acquisition and GVD stage.

Voluntary acquisition will take place in line with the priority categories identified within the NLC Rehousing Strategy (please see following link):

<https://www.northlanarkshire.gov.uk/sites/default/files/2023-03/Appendix%20E%20-%20Rehousing%20Strategy.pdf>

Owner occupiers and eligible tenants of private landlords will be given full housing options advice regarding rehousing in advance of the Vesting Date. NLC are not obliged to directly rehouse any new tenants resident after the date Notice was served (11th of March 2025). However, signposting advice to alternative housing options is available for those in this scenario. All owners and residents will be kept updated regarding the timescales throughout this process.

What compensation am I entitled to?

The same categories of compensation are available whether the Council acquires your property by voluntary acquisition or by means of the GVD at the Vesting Date.

If the Council does not acquire your property on a voluntary basis then in order to claim the CPO compensation at the Vesting Date you will be required to complete a Form 9 Compensation claim form. A Form 9 was included with the Confirmation Notice and will also be included with the GVD Notice. You will be entitled to a package of financial compensation based upon your interest in the property.

All property owners subject to the compulsory purchase are entitled to the following elements of compensation,

which are also applicable in the event of agreement to a voluntary acquisition:

- *Market Value*
- *Disturbance*

In addition, depending on your

circumstances and the impact on your property, you **may** be entitled to the following type of compensation:

- *Home loss payment*

A guide on compulsory purchase and compensation for property owners and occupiers is available from the Scottish Government and can be found at: -

<https://www.gov.scot/binaries/content/document/govscot/publications/advice-and-guidance/2019/02/compulsory-purchase-scotland-guide-property-owners-occupiers/documents/compulsory-purchase-scotland-guide-property-owners-occupiers/compulsory-purchase-scotland-guide-property-owners-occupiers/govscot%3Adocument/00545673.pdf>

Please contact the Council if you have not yet made yourself known to the project team, have recently changed address or wish to discuss your housing options.

Due to the CPO affecting your home, any tenant who has not yet been in touch is advised to contact the Millcroft Road Project team as soon as possible to discuss rehousing options. The council can advise on what support is available and help you plan your next steps.

Even if you do not require direct council assistance for rehousing, you should still inform us of your current tenancy situation and onward housing plans at the earliest opportunity.

Please contact the Millcroft Project Team at: millcroftresidentenquiries@northlan.gov.uk

or call a member of the team on:



**07581 028 451/ 07951 102 154
07976 851 581**

If you need this information in large print, on audio tape, in Braille or in another language, please contact:

t: 01698 274139 t: 01698 403005

e: housing_services@northlan.gov.uk



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