

GENERAL ELECTION 2020

QUESTIONS FOR ELECTION CANDIDATES



If you are elected, will you or your party commit to the following?

1. The immediate **restoration of Drug & Alcohol Task Force budgets** in order to support Community Drug Projects in the delivery of local services?
2. The appointment of a **Junior Minister for Drugs at the Cabinet Table** (Super Junior) **and** the appointment of a senior official from The Taoiseach's Department to the National Drug Strategy structures to ensure accountability of all agencies for the implementation of the NDS?
3. Investment in Community Development initiatives **to support active community participation** in the implementation of the NDS?
4. The immediate establishment of a national high-level group including senior Justice and Garda personnel, community representations and other relevant stakeholders to come up with an action plan to address the problem of **drug related intimidation** in communities

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