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## **Armstrong welcomes Consumer Council Roadshow to Magherafelt**

Mid-Ulster MLA Billy Armstrong has given a warm welcome to the news that the Northern Ireland Consumer Council is to begin a series of regional roadshows throughout Northern Ireland by hosting an event in Magherafelt on the 19<sup>th</sup> February.

The Ulster Unionist representative said;

This is indeed good news for Mid-Ulster. The Consumer Council represents and lobbies on behalf of Northern Ireland consumers and has a statutory duty to represent bus, train, plane, ferry, natural gas, electricity, coal and water consumers and as such it provides a very valuable service to the public.

The Consumer Council will be represented in the Meadowlane Shopping Centre in Magherafelt on Friday 19<sup>th</sup> February between 2pm and 8pm and will have three members of staff present to provide free and impartial advice regarding issues such as shopping rights, money matters, electricity, public transport, air and ferry travel, or problems with the water supply.

I would urge anyone in the Magherafelt and wider Mid-Ulster area to go to the Meadowlane Shopping Centre and raise any issues of concern regarding consumer rights with them.”

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