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Good housing planning both in the private and social sector, for seniors. Housing developments to be supplied with a communal facility to be managed by the residents themselves. Good quality training to be supplied in conflict resolution and decision making in groups in order to build trust.

Better public transport system in Galway eg light rail linking the outlying villages and a Luas system in the city to combat car use. Also to be able to have a good quality life without a car, which can be expensive especially on a state pension.

Pedestrian areas to be solely pedestrian - not to be used by cyclists, joggers, skateboarders etc. Public spaces to be enjoyed by everybody, not just the fit and active.

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