

PUBLIC INFRASTRUCTURE & VILLAGE CENTRE

To promote local village life, we need public spaces which encourage social interaction. This is why we are actively investing in the improvement of the village centre and the sports campus.

The CSV Walferdange is committed to:

- Planning and implementing **the extension and transformation of the Prince Henri Centre**, as this space is one of the most important in the social and cultural life of Walferdange.
- Creating a public space - **a local meeting place** - where the inhabitants of Walferdange can meet regularly and exchange ideas.
- Embellishing/redesigning **the village square in front of the commune and the bus stop in Walferdange** as part of the reorganisation (by the Ponts et Chaussées) of the national road (N7).
- Carrying out the planned extension and redesigning of **house no. 9** next to the CAW on the national road. A new commercial space should thus strengthen the "local trade" in the centre of the village. In the rest of the building, **the social office will have more space with new offices**.
- **Building a bar/restaurant on the Walferdange sports campus** to revitalise the social and associative life on this site.
- **Seizing the unique opportunity to develop an attractive village centre**. Thus, the unbuild land between the main road, the Alzette and the rue de Steinsel in Bereldange plays an essential role in the development of the locality's centre. The so-called "PAP Olen" construction project must therefore lay the foundations for successful urban planning, and the CSV Walferdange is fully committed to make sure this happens.

HOUSING CONSTRUCTION & BUILDING POLICY

The aim of the building policy is to improve the quality of life of citizens through better infrastructure and facilities. New buildings must fit harmoniously into the existing urban landscape. In addition, we attach great importance to also providing young people in our municipality with housing opportunities.

The CSV Walferdange is committed to:

- Completing the preparatory work on the **general development plan (PAG)** and **initiate the procedure for its implementation during the next mandate**.
- Making substantial investments in social and affordable housing. We wish to implement two projects currently in the planning stage:
 - o The **Tiny House project in Bereldange**, which will allow young people who have just started their professional life to rent a compact home.

o The **JONKT WUNNEN project in Helmsange** (at the level of the underpass), where we want to build housing for different categories of young people (students, young professionals, young families).

- Building an **extension to the Cité Princesse Amélie in collaboration with the Fonds du Logement**.
- **Continuously expanding the social and affordable housing stock in the municipality.**
- Implementing the **Housing Pact 2.0** in a coherent way.

SECURITY & LIVING TOGETHER

We are committed to the safety of all our citizens and to the respect of common rules, which constitute the basis of life in society.

The CSV Walferdange is committed to:

- Maintaining regular communication and close collaboration with the police and the CGDIS (national fire fighters). In this respect, we strongly insist that a **new inter-communal fire station (of the CIS 3 type with volunteer and professional firefighters)** be built in the Alzette valley to guarantee emergency interventions within 15 minutes.
- Implementing and continuously adapting the action plan for protection against flooding based on the recent study on flooding and heavy rain.
- Continuing to **develop the municipal emergency and standby service**, so that the residents of Walferdange can be helped as independently as possible in the event of flooding, heavy rainfalls, or other emergencies.
- Continuing the mediation service to encourage the amicable resolution of disputes between neighbours.
- Offering more **first aid courses and training in the use of defibrillators** as part of our prevention initiatives.
- Carrying out **information and awareness campaigns against cybercrime** and other types of scams.

SENIORS

We attach great importance to the active participation of our senior citizens in the daily life of the municipality.

The CSV Walferdange is committed to:

- Ensuring that people with reduced mobility are not forgotten when planning new housing areas, roads, and parkings.
- Carrying out a **permanent renovation and renewal of the housing units in the house “Am Becheler”**.

- **Participating in the expansion of the CIPA in Niederaanven**, where the municipality of Walferdange owns 26 rooms.
- Introducing **financial support for remote alarm systems for the elderly population**.
- Maintaining the **senior citizens' lunch party** as an integral part of the community life of the municipality.
- Establishing a **cardio course** at the "Raschpëtzer".

SCHOOL INFRASTRUCTURE, CHILDREN & YOUTH

We consider that well-developed school infrastructure is essential to offer the children and young people of Walferdange the best environment in which to grow up.

The CSV Walferdange is committed to:

- **Expanding the Bereldange school and children “Maison Relais”** over the next 6 years.
- Starting the planning process for a restructuring of the school infrastructure in Walferdange.
- Ensuring safe pathways to our schools and launching a **pedibus project for schoolchildren** (offering to accompany children to walk to school).
- Continuing to provide scholarships for students and offering an Interrail ticket to young people on their 18th birthday to enable them to discover other horizons and promote the European spirit.
- **Building additional swimming pools at the PIDAL to ensure that pupils can learn to swim.** In this context, we object to the third floor being used exclusively for administrative purposes and not being made available to customers.
- Modernising and upgrading the playgrounds in the municipality in a consistent manner. We are also planning a **water playground for children**.
- Giving children in the municipality better opportunities to participate actively in social life and to facilitate the transmission of their ideas to the school, “Maison Relais” and municipality leaders.

SPORT & CULTURE

In Walferdange we have excellent sports facilities as well as numerous associations with many committed volunteers who do valuable work to maintain an active social life within the municipality.

The CSV Walferdange is committed to:

- Strengthening volunteering and supporting the associations.

- Introducing a **tribute to cultural associations and their deserving members**, in addition to the tribute already paid to deserving sport members and clubs.
- Introducing a **day on which Walferdange associations introduce themselves to the public**.
- Continuing to **adjust the financial subsidies granted to associations** in a consistent manner.
- Strengthening communication about volunteering, especially in the "Gemengebuet" and in the social media.
- **Recruiting a sports coordinator** to organise coordination and cooperation with the associations.
- Planning and installing **covered stands for the football field**.
- Examining the **possibility of covering some of the tennis courts** and installing drainage on the other courts.
- Installing **new public water fountains**.
- **Building a new observation tower in the "Gréngewald" forest**.
- **Creating a third dog run** after the great success of the first two dog runs.
- Studying a **project for a barbecue area**.
- **Maintaining and developing the new concept of the Christmas market** which we introduced for the first-time last year.
- Continuing to make equipment and logistical support available to associations (dishwasher trolley, tents, etc.) and to develop this service.
- Maintaining the **summer cinema**.
- Organising a **summer concert** to provide an opportunity to enjoy outdoor musical performances and create a festive atmosphere for all.
- Ensuring that the "**Walfer Bicherdeeg** / Book Days" remain one of the major cultural events in Luxembourg.

COMMUNICATION & CITIZEN PARTICIPATION

A modern and open municipality must be easily accessible to its citizens, both in physical and digital terms. We also want to involve citizens in all important projects and developments.

The CSV Walferdange is committed to:

- **Encouraging the participation of all residents** by organising information and citizen participation sessions for large-scale projects (with simultaneous translation to promote inclusion of all).
- Developing a **new concept for the "Gemengebuet"**.
- Launching a **new municipal app** to receive important information via push notifications.

- Setting up a **video platform for citizens to view council meetings** on the municipality's website.
- Making available **the neighbourhood application "Hopler"**, which allows people to easily exchange or organise themselves within a street or neighbourhood.
- Offering **more municipal services in digital form**.

MOBILITY & TRANSPORT

Transport and mobility policy are an integral part of good municipal development, and we will address the many challenges within the framework of a comprehensive mobility concept.

The CSV Walferdange is committed to:

- **Maintaining strong support for soft mobility**. Therefore, we are planning:
 - A **new bridge for pedestrians and bicycles near the Walferdange school** towards the Cité Gr.-D.Jean.
 - An **underpass for bicycles at the main street bridge** near the Prince Henri Centre.
 - An **elevator at the underpass at the station** for pedestrians and bicycles.
 - A **bicycle path from Bereldange to Bridel** and a bicycle path behind the Losch garage towards Rue du Pont.
 - The installation of the **vel'OH! system in Walferdange by the end of the year** - as promised by the City of Luxembourg.
- Regular monitoring of traffic in order to implement traffic calming measures in the different neighbourhoods (e.g. with a new mobility concept for the ancient Helmsange district and the ancient Bereldange district).
- Creating **additional parking spaces in** the context of the redevelopment of the N7 (main road) near the football ground.
- Further developing car-sharing by also offering **a flex-van**.
- Having the safety of **pedestrian crossings** analysed and weak points remedied.

ENVIRONMENT & CLIMATE

We need a community that meets its climate targets, develops sustainably, takes future generations into account, and protects nature.

The CSV Walferdange is committed to:

- **Transforming the recycling centre into a resource centre**, thus promoting the reuse of materials and the reduction of waste.

- Further developing the "**Repair Café**" concept.
- Carrying out an **energy renovation of public buildings**.
- **Planning new photovoltaic installations on public buildings** and parkings to produce more energy from alternative energy sources.
- **Supporting financially the construction of rainwater tanks**, thus enabling a more efficient use of water and saving valuable drinking water.
- Being a **pesticide-free municipality**.
- **Continuing to green Walferdange** - including planting larger trees and vegetation in public spaces.
- **Continuing the installation of LED lighting** throughout the municipality, thus allowing for reduced energy consumption and improved lighting efficiency.
- **Renaturalising the Alzette** where this has not yet been done.
- Implementing the **Climate Pact 2.0** and reducing our carbon footprint.