



Comhairle Contae Chill Dara

Kildare County Council

Environmental & Water Services

Strategic Policy Committee

AGENDA

Wed 9th September 2026

14:30 – 16:30

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1. Declarations of (a) Conflicts of Interest or (b) pecuniary or beneficial interests under section 177 of the Local Government Act 2001, as amended.
2. To approve the draft minutes of SPC meeting held on 6th May 2026.
3. Cemeteries:-
 - a) Examine and pilot the use of rainwater butts in a number of council graveyards for the watering of flowers, with a view to reducing treated water use and promoting sustainable water conservation measures.
 - b) Investigate the reduction or non-use of pesticides in council graveyards and consider alternative maintenance approaches that are more environmentally sustainable and biodiversity-friendly.
 - c) Review of Provisions Relating to Columbarium Walls in the Cemetery Bye Laws.
 - d) Review of existing cemetery fees
4. Discussion re online attendance / should quorum be in person.
5. Note the date of the next meeting Wednesday December 9th, 2026, at 14:30 – Council Chamber.

Marian Higgins
Director of Service