

Áras Chill Dara Páirc Devoy An Nás Co. Chill Dara

16 February 2024

# Don Chathaoirleach is gach ball den Chomhairle Chondae

A Bhaill Uile,

Tionólfar cruinniú míosúil den Chomhairle Chondae ar 3.00 tráthnóna dé Lúain, an 26ú Feabhra 2024 i seomra na Chomhairle, Áras Chill Dara, Páirc Devoy, An Nás, agus iarrtar ort bheith i láthair.

The monthly meeting of the council will be held at **3.00 p.m.** on **Monday, 26 February 2024** in the Council Chamber, Áras Chill Dara, Devoy Park, Naas, and you are invited to attend.

Le gach dea ghuí,

Christine O'Grady

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# Clár Agenda

- Fógra um (a) leasanna coinbhleachtaí nó (b) leasanna airgeadais nó leasanna tairbhúla faoin alt 177 den Acht Rialtais Áitiúil 2001, arna leasú. Declarations of (a) conflicts of interest or (b) pecuniary or beneficial interests under section 177 of the Local Government Act 2001, as amended.
- 2. Chun miontuairiscí specialta míosúil ar an 09ú Eanáir 2024 (cóip ceangailte) agus 09ú Eanáir 2024, miontuairiscí cruinniú an 29ú Eanáir 2024 (cóip ceangailte), agus chun tuarascáil dul chun cinn a thabhairt faoi deara (tuarascáil le leanúint). To adopt the minutes of the special meeting held on 09 January 2024 (attached) and the monthly meeting held on 29 January 2024 (attached) and to note progress report (to follow).

# Gnó Reachtúil Statutory Business

- **3.** To note the Chief Executives monthly management report (copy attached).
- **4.** To receive reports from members appointed to Other Bodies, pursuant to Section 141 of the Local Government Act 2001 as amended (reports to follow).
- 5. Gnó an Chathaoirleach/Cathaoirleachs Business.
- 6. Comhfhreagras/Correspondence (copies to follow).
- 7. Comhdhálacha agus Oiliúint/Conferences and training (report to follow).



# Tairisceana na Comhairle Contae Motions Kildare County Council

 Councillors Michael Coleman, Paddy Curran, Íde Cussen, Aidan Farrelly, Angela Feeney, Carmel Kelly, Vanessa Liston, Rob Power, Pádraig McEvoy, Bob Quinn, Paul Ward and Peter Hamilton

That the council assist with analysis and reports from Census 2022 data and any efforts to coordinate school population data and applications between the Department of Education, the KWETB, and other school patrons to simplify the process of securing school places across the county, particularly in areas where investment in education capacities has yet to align with population expansion.

# 9. Councillors Mark Leigh, Rupert Heather and Anne Breen

That the council adopts a policy that all Council and Approved Housing Body Tenants must have bins on an ongoing contract as part of their rental agreement.

# 10. Councillors Evie Sammon, Tracey O'Dwyer and Peggy O'Dwyer

That the council explore the use of community buildings as polling stations, where available, to reduce the impact of school closures on working parents going forward.

# 11. Councillors Nuala Killeen and Chris Pender

That a Greenway information campaign be developed and rolled out for all users detailing how the spaces are to be shared by all users and to communicate this by media and accessible signage by developing a lighting, security and public information transport plan with a tourism piece highlighting points where Greenways or Blueways and road users converge in our communities and that an information campaign be rolled out to support the flow of pedestrians, cyclists and all other road users.

# 12. Councillor Noel Connolly

Go mbunóidh Comhairle Contae Chill Dara coiste comhroinnte oileán chun caidreamh a chothú idir an dá chuid dár n-oileán, dea-chleachtas a roinnt idir Comhairlí, nascadh bailte a spreagadh agus leas a bhaint as cumhacht an mhaoinithe oileáin roinnte.



That Kildare County Council establish a shared island committee to foster relations between both parts of our island, share best practice between Councils, encourage town twinning and harness the power of shared island funding.

### 13. Councillor Seamie Moore

That the Members and Executive support the referral of this motion for the consideration of the Protocol Committee in a timely manner to allow for a change of policy in naming roundabouts, to allow identification and development of three sequential roundabouts from a total of seven on the new Naas Millennium Road, as 'The 27<sup>th</sup>', 'The Sam Maguire', and 'The 28<sup>th</sup>', to commemorate that great achievement and era of Kildare Football and to give credence and visionary pride, to the exceptional achievements of Kildare Senior GAA Footballers in winning two All-Ireland Championships in a row, in 1927 and 1928. This included the first ever winning of the Sam Maguire Trophy and it was achieved with the same playing members for both years, including five Naas members but has never since been won by Kildare.

#### 14. Councillor Veralouise Behan

That the council review the policy regarding the lighting up of public buildings for specific events.

#### 15. Councillor Brendan Weld

That the council, through the Planning Department, facilitate an Agents Seminar (similar to the successful one in November 2022) in order to inform the agents operating in County Kildare of the statutory requirements in making planning applications.

#### 16. Councillor Kevin Duffy

That the council provide an update on the implementation guidelines regarding the use of CCTV for known dumping black stops and the potential to utilise these new powers and pilot it in a few dumping spots to test its effectiveness.



# 17. Councillor Aoife Breslin

That Kildare County immediately set up some CCTV pilot schemes at known illegal dumping spots, given the recent announcement by the Minister for State, Osian Smyth T.D., that all local authorities can now legally use CCTV cameras in the enforcement and prosecution of illegal dumping.

# 18. Councillor Noel Heavey

In view of the increase in traffic on all roads in County Kildare, and the perceived increase in accidents due to reckless speed on our roads, that the council refers a request to the JPC to bring forward a report that examines how it could increase the efficiency and effectiveness of the established use of technology, as used in other jurisdictions, which records significant breeches of speed limits and automatically issues fines and other means of censure.

# 19. Councillor Tim Durkan

That Kildare County Council upgrade the rural density tool kit to accurately count the number of habitable residential properties within a 565 metre radius and to add the following functions to the mapping system to improve its accuracy.

- Planning Points
- Site Boundaries
- Satellite View.