## **Kildare County Council**



Áras Chill Dara Páirc Devoy An Nás Co. Chill Dara

20 January 2023

# Don Chathaoirleach is gach ball den Chomhairle Chondae

A Bhaill Uile,

Tionólfar cruinniú míosúil den Chomhairle Chondae ar 3.00 tráthnóna dé Lúain, an 30ú Eanáir 2023 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, 30 January 2023 in the Council Chamber, Áras Chill Dara, Devoy Park, Naas, and you are invited to attend.

Le gach dea ghuí,

Christine O'Grady C O'Grady

Meetings Administrator



## 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 cruinniú míosúil ar an 19ú Nollaig 2022 (cóip ceangailte), agus chun tuarascáil dul chun cinn a thabhairt faoi deara (tuarascáil le leanúint). To adopt the minutes of the monthly meeting on 19 December 2022 (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 consider pursuant to Section 85 of the Local Government Act 2001 as amended, the approval of a Section 85 Agreement with Dublin City Council, whereby Dublin City Council will carry out all of the functions for Kildare County Council in respect of the Social Housing PPP (Bundle 5) Programme (report attached).
- **5.** To receive a quarterly update on Climate Action (report to follow).
- **6.** Gnó an Chathaoirleach/Cathaoirleachs Business.
- 7. Comhfhreagras/Correspondence (copies to follow).
- 8. Comhdhálacha agus Oiliúint/Conferences and training (report to follow).



# Tairisceana na Comhairle Contae Motions Kildare County Council

9. Councillors Anne Breen, Aoife Breslin, Noel Connolly, Íde Cussen, Fintan Brett, Aidan Farrelly, Angela Feeney, Ciara Galvin, Colm Kenny, Nuala Killeen, Mark Leigh, Vanessa Liston, Pádraig McEvoy, Fiona McLoughlin Healy, Peggy O'Dwyer, Chris Pender and Brendan Wyse.

That the elected members support new and existing groups in County Kildare that welcome displaced persons, and the council highlights the partnerships and services available to empower inclusive communities responding to the challenge.

Furthermore, that the elected members endorse the Irish Refugee Council's recommendation to appoint a national refugee response director to coordinate increased investment in suitable accommodation with trained personnel and appropriate support.

#### 10. Councillors Brian Dooley and Veralouise Behan

Recognising the enormous efforts of the housing section and the targets being met, that the council provide a report on the projected number of housing acquisitions for 2023 to 2025 and a breakdown of the mechanism for their delivery.

#### 11. Councillors Paul Ward and Michael Coleman

That the council provide a report on projected costs for addressing outstanding issues in estates not taken in charge, what provisions are there to meet these costs and considering the level of construction activity in the county at present, what means are being deployed to prevent similar levels of issues arising in the future.

### 12. Councillors Anne Connolly and Bernard Caldwell

That having recently adopted a budget and a new levies scheme, the council convene a special meeting of council to review the capital programme.



# 13. Councillors Naoise Ó Cearúil & Suzanne Doyle

That given the level of funding the council now compete for from central government, that the council provide a report on the number of applications it has made in the years 2021 and 2022, the outcome of these applications, how it is determined which lines of funding to apply for and furthermore that the council develop a mechanism to ensure that these projects align with the councils list of priority schemes and projects and that it is proofed for equitable investment across the county.

# 14. Councillor Kevin Duffy

That the council provide an overview of the Dog Warden's role and responsibilities; key contacts for each municipal district area, communication strategies being implemented regarding the control of dogs in public places, processes for reporting incidents, recording and monitoring and fines applicable to legislative breaches.

## 15. Councillor Noel Heavey

That the council undertake an initiative in each Municipal district before the commencement of the next school year, to establish and promote a new sustainable way for pupils to get to and from school.

#### 16. Councillor Bill Clear

That the council outline plans for the Active Travel Forum that is to replace the Cycle Forum which last met in 2018, including the terms of reference and who will sit on this forum.

#### 17. Councillor Peter Hamilton

That the council provide a report on the active and sustainable transport plans across the county, including 2023 funding requests submitted to the NTA, obstacles that are preventing progress with designs, part 8 preparation and continuity of funding of the projects to enable the council to both secure and spend the best possible share of the funds available for Kildare.

#### 18. Councillor Tracey O'Dwyer

That Kildare County Council, with members agreement, request the NTA meet with Councillors to discuss 2023 funding plans for County Kildare.

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## 19. Councillor Joe Neville

That the council provide a list of Kildare Local Enterprise Office (LEO) linked work hubs/co-working spaces in the County including the average price per day per person at these locations.

#### 20. Councillor Seamie Moore

That the reserved function of municipal district members to adopt new place names be immediately put into operation in view of the tide of new place names, unassociated with local heritage, history or the vernacular in our municipal districts, being approved by planners.