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12 January 2018

To the Cathaoirleach and each member of the Athy Municipal District

Dear Cathaoirleach and members,

The next meeting of Athy Municipal District will be held at 10.00 a.m. on Monday, 22 January 2018 in the Municipal District Building, Athy, Co. Kildare and you are invited to attend.

Yours sincerely,


F. Byrne

Meetings Administrator

Please Note Venue

Agenda (10:00 a.m.)

1. To approve the minutes of the monthly Athy Municipal District meeting held on Monday, 11 December 2017 and to note the progress report.
2. To receive an update on the municipal district road works.
3. To receive an update on the Athy Distributor Road.

Roads, Transportation and Public Safety (10:10 a.m.)

4. Motion - Councillor Miley

In light of water lying on roadsides in this municipal district, that the council continue opening water cuts and also work with the local farming community (Irish Farming Association) to put a policy in place for landowners to open water cuts safely.

5. Motion - Councillor Redmond

That the council conduct a survey of the drains in William Pearse Terrace, Castledermot to ascertain if there is work needed.

6. Motion - Councillor Wall

That the council immediately include the L3010, Kildangan to Kildare Town Road on their salting routes and that emergency signage be on standby for all future events where accidents occur and where roads are not salted.

7. Motion - Councillor Breslin

That the council confirm the current position with regard to the upgrading of Woodstock Street, Athy including footpaths, traffic calming measures and road resurfacing.

8. Question - Councillor Miley

In light of the revised junction layout at The Square in Narraghmore, can the council give an update on when work will start on the redevelopment in this area?

9. Question - Councillor Wall

Can the council confirm the up to date position with the upgrade of Sweep Lane in Nurney?

10. Question - Councillor Wall

Can the council address the serious flooding at Ballyhade, Castledermot including a permanent solution as discussed with the area engineer?

Housing and Corporate Services (10:30 a.m.)

11. Question - Councillor Redmond

Can the members of this municipal district be given a clear and up to date schedule of housing delivery in our municipal district, i.e. targets and actual delivery to date?

12. Question - Councillor Redmond

Can the council immediately identify a numerical system for those on the housing list in our municipal district? This would help people in defining their position and stop confusion.

13. Question - Councillor Breslin

Can the council give an update in relation to the commencement of the construction of the units by Respond in Flinter's Field, Athy?

Water Services and Environment (10:35 a.m.)

14. Motion - Councillor Miley

That the council in conjunction with Irish Water find out the reasons for the continuing sewage smell in the centre of Castledermot and the smell continuing to emanate into businesses and houses.

15. Motion - Councillor Redmond

That this municipal district asks the owners of derelict but strategic buildings in the municipal district, what their intentions are for these beautiful buildings and if the buildings are available to be used or donated (examples provided).

16. Motion - Councillor Wall

That the council confirm the cost of their recent clean ups of illegal dumping in the district, and that a special pilot scheme setting up a task force be run in this area, to combat once and for all the damage that this illegal dumping is doing to our towns, villages and countryside. This special task force must include all relevant agencies.

Economic Community and Cultural Development (10:50 a.m.)

17. Question - Councillor Miley

In light of the deteriorating condition of the walkways around Mullaghreelan Woods Kilkea, can the council work with Coillte to bring the walkways back up to a satisfactory level?