



Áras Chill Dara  
Páirc Devoy  
An Nás  
Co. Chill Dara

06 September 2019

**Don Chathaoirleach is gach ball de Cheantar Bardasach Bhaile Átha Í**

A Bhaill Uile,

Tionólfar cruinniú bliantúil de Cheantar Bardasach Bhaile Átha Í ar 11.00 maidin Dé Luain, an 16ú Meán Fómhair 2019, i seomra na Chomhairle, Áras Chill Dara, Páirc Devoy, An Nás, agus iarrtar ort bheith i láthair.

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The next meeting of Athy Municipal District will be held at 11.00 a.m. on Monday, 16 September 2019 in the council chamber, Áras Chill Dara, Devoy Park, Naas, Co. Kildare and you are invited to attend.

Yours sincerely,

  
Avril Cummins  
Meetings Administrator

**Please Note Time  
and Venue**



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**Agenda (11:00 a.m.)**

1. To approve the minutes of the monthly Athy Municipal District meeting held on Monday, 15 July 2019 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.

**Bóithre, Iompar agus Sábháilteacht Poiblí  
Roads, Transportation and Public Safety (11:15 a.m.)**

**Building and Development Control**

**4. Question – Councillor Mark Wall**

Can the council give the up to date position with the taking in charge of Castleraven and Cois Caislean estates in Nurney, County Kildare?

**Roads**

**5. Motion – Councillor Mark Wall**

That the council carry out a safety audit on the new car park at Churchtown School and Graveyard.

**6. Motion – Councillor Ivan Keatley**

That the council complete the road and village centre works in Narraghmore.



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**7. Motion – Councillor Ivan Keatley**

That the council cut the overgrown hedgerow on the Ballybarney to Ballymount Road that continues to cause serious problems and safety issues for road users.

**8. Motion – Councillor Veralouise Behan**

That the council develop an information package, or program, for this municipal district, to help the public identify and prevent the spread of giant hogweed, ragwort and other such toxic plants.

**9. Motion – Councillor Aoife Breslin**

That the council carry out road widening works and remedial works to the the L8073 Road up to the junction with the N78.

**10. Question – Councillor Aoife Breslin**

Can the council give a definitive time frame for when remedial and resurfacing works will take place on the N78 from Emily Square to the round about, Leinster Street, Athy?

**11. Question – Councillor Mark Wall**

Can the council give an update on the provision of safety measures at Kildangan Bridge and the provision of a public car park for the village?

### **Tithíocht agus Seirbhísí Corporáideach Housing and Corporate Services (11:45 a.m.)**

**12. Motion – Councillor Mark Wall**

That the members of the Athy Municipal District immediately call on the Minister for Housing, Planning and Local Government to declare the Athy Municipal District and the town of Monasterevin and the surrounding area including Kildangan as rent pressure zones as theses areas are currently excluded.



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### **13. Motion – Councillor Brian Dooley**

That the council carry out an audit/survey of the number of derelict private houses in Athy and Castledermot in order to either bring them into the ownership of the council or where necessary initiate a process of penalties or fines for the owners that neglect their properties.

### **14. Question – Councillor Aoife Breslin**

Can the council confirm what is the up to date position of securing additional monies from the Department of Housing, Planning and Local Government for the Housing Purchase Loan Scheme?

### **15. Question – Councillor Ivan Keatley**

Can the council confirm what progress has been made on the legal procedure which began many years ago, to allow the office of public works to take in charge Moone High Cross?

## **Seirbhísí Uisce agus Comhshaol**

### **Water Services and Environment (12:00 p.m.)**

### **16. Motion – Councillor Aoife Breslin**

That the council asks AES to extend the opening hours of the Recycling Centre in Athy.



**Forbairt Gheilleagrach, Pobail agus Cultúrtha**  
**Economic Community and Cultural Development (12:05 p.m.)**

17. To receive the quarterly update from the Strategic Projects and Public Realm Team.
18. **Motion – Councillor Brian Dooley**  
That the council invite in the IDA representative for this area to give an update on possible industry/business opportunities for the Athy Municipal District.
19. **Question – Councillor Brian Dooley**  
Can the council give an update on the progress, funding and timelines of the food and drinks innovation hub in the model school in Athy?
20. **Question – Councillor Brian Dooley**  
Can the council confirm If there are any plans for the local rural transport link to be extended into Calverstown, Kilgowan and Ballyshannon?

