Áras Chill Dara
Páirc Devoy
An Nás
Co. Chill Dara

10 Iúil 2026
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Don Chathaoirleach is gach ball de Cheantar Bardasach Bhaile Átha Í

A Bhaill Uile,

Tionólfar an chéad cruinniú eile de Cheantar Bardasach Bhaile Átha Í ar **10:30** maidin dé Luain, an **20 Iúil 2026**, 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 **10:30 a.m.** on Monday, **20 July 2026** in the **Council Chamber**, Áras Chill Dara, Devoy Park, Naas and you are invited to attend.

Yours sincerely,

Brian Mc Grath

Please Note Time and Venue

Brian McGrath
Riarthóir Cruinnithe
Meetings Administrator

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Agenda

1. **Fógra um (a) leasanna coinbhleachtaí nó (b) leasanna airgeadais nó leasanna tairbhiúla 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 de Cheantar Bardasach Bhaile Átha Í ar Dé Luain an 15 Meitheamh 2026 (ceangailte) a faomhadh agus an tuairisc tuarascáil ar dhul chun cinn a thabhairt faoi ndeara (le leanúint).**
   To adopt the minutes of the monthly Athy Municipal District meeting held on Monday, 15 June 2026 (attached) and to note the progress report (to follow).

3. To receive an update on the municipal district road works.

Iompar, Soghluaisteacht agus Spásanna Oscailte
Transport, Mobility and Open Spaces

Transport

4. To note Section 38 of the Road Traffic Act 1994 - Proposed Revised Junction Layout at the following locations: Bolton Hill Junction, Castlemitchell Junction and Grangemellon Junction (report attached).

5. **Motion – Councillor Brian Dooley**
   That the council carries out civil works replacing and upgrading footpaths in Forrest Park and Pairc Brid in Athy.

6. Motion – Councillor Mark Leigh

That the council looks at unused green areas in Clonmullion Estate, Athy to provide extra parking spaces.

7. Motion – Councillor Aoife Breslin

That the council requests the National Transport Authority (NTA) to provide a Sunday service on bus route 883, which services Athy, Kilberry, Kildangan, Nurney and Kildare Town.

8. Motion – Councillor Aoife Breslin

That the council writes to the Transport Infrastructure Ireland (TII) requesting that remedial and resurfacing works be carried out as a matter of urgency on the N78 from the N78 roundabout in Athy to the roundabout at the N9 junction.

9. Motion – Councillor Veralouise Behan

That the council, in conjunction with Into Kildare, outlines its rural tourism strategy along with any funding available to the Athy Municipal District.

10. Motion – Councillor Veralouise Behan

That the council in conjunction with Waterways Ireland, outlines any plans it has for upgrading parking and pathways to access the River Barrow at Maganey Bridge and ensures that adequate numbers of lifebuoys are available to facilitate the large numbers of people using these amenities.

11. Question – Councillor Brian Dooley

Can the council outline its policy with cutting back briars and other thorny bushes in hedges that are over growing onto public footpaths making it difficult for all pedestrian accessibility, example Carlow Road, Athy?

12. Question – Councillor Veralouise Behan

Can the council, in conjunction with Local Link, outline its plans to further develop its bus transport offering in the Castlecermot area?

13. Question – Councillor Mark Leigh

Can the council provide members with an update, following a two-year trial period, on the effectiveness of the temporary bollards at the Moate of Ardscull and the Three Counties and if they plan to retain the temporary bollards?

14. Question – Councillor Aoife Breslin

Can the council confirm when remedial works will commence on footpaths in Athy?

Tithíocht, Athnuachan agus Daoine
Housing, Regeneration and People

15. To consider the Chief Executive's Part 8 Report for the Barrow Blueway Trailhead P82026.01 (report attached).

16. Motion – Councillor Brian Dooley

That the council, under the guidance of the Public Realm Team, creates, designs and develops Woodstock Street, Athy in line with our Local Area Plan, where our aim is "to protect, conserve and manage Athy's unique built and archaeological heritage, by promoting the understanding, enhancement and appropriate development of these assets in order to instigate a heritage-led regeneration of the town". Woodstock Street, Athy is an area with both heritage and history reverting to the market town, and as such requires redevelopment that supports business and residential interests whilst conserving streetscape.

17. Question – Councillor Brian Dooley

Can the council confirm if there are plans for extra public seating in Emily Square, Athy?

18. Question – Councillor Aoife Breslin

Can the council provide an update on the proposed housing development on the Kildare Road, Athy formerly known as Shamrock Store?

Pleanáil, Fiontraíocht agus Forbairt Eacnamaíoch
Planning, Enterprise and Economic Development

19. Question – Councillor Veralouise Behan

Can the council confirm when Friary Estate, Castledermot will be taken in charge?

20. Question – Councillor Mark Leigh

Can the council confirm if they will carry out a Community Impact Audit on the Abbeylands/William Pearse Terrace area of Castledermot as part of any planning permission application on the rezoned land KE4318F (Castledermot GAA)?

Aeráid, Comhphobal, Timpeallacht agus Uisce
Climate, Community, Environment and Water

21. Motion – Councillor Mark Leigh

That the council assists the community run Piers Café in Moone in identifying a suitable building to ensure the continuation of this valued community service.