



Áras Chill Dara
Páirc Devoy
An Nás
Co. Chill Dara

11 November 2019

Don Mhéara is gach ball de Cheantar Bardasach Chill Dara-Droichead Nua

A Bhaill Uile,

Tionólfar an chéad cruinniú eile Cheantar Bardasach Chill Dara-Droichead Nua ar 10.00 maidin Dé Céadaoin, an 20ú Samhain 2019, i seomra na Chomhairle, Áras Chill Dara, Páirc Devoy, An Nás, agus iarrtar ort bheith i láthair.

The next meeting of Kildare-Newbridge Municipal District will be held at 10.00 a.m. on Wednesday, 20 November 2019 in the council chamber, Áras Chill Dara, Devoy Park, Naas and you are invited to attend.

Yours sincerely,

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Meetings Administrator



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Agenda (10:00 a.m.)

1. To approve the minutes of the monthly Kildare-Newbridge Municipal District meeting held on Wednesday, 16 October 2019 and to note the progress report.
2. To receive an update on the municipal district road works.
3. To consider LPT grant awards 2019.

Bóithre, Iompar agus Sábháilteacht Poiblí

Roads, Transportation and Public Safety (10:15 a.m.)

4. To consider and agree Christmas parking arrangements in the Kildare-Newbridge Municipal District for 2019.
5. **Motion – Councillor Peggy O'Dwyer**
That the council consider installing a pedestrian crossing at Páirc Mhuire, Moorefield Shopping Centre, Newbridge.
6. **Motion – Councillor Peggy O'Dwyer**
That the council consider installing a safety rail or another safety feature to safeguard pedestrians at Sex's Bridge.
7. **Motion – Councillor Anne Connolly**
That the council provide a public light at St Paul's Church, Ballysax.
8. **Motion – Councillor Patricia Ryan**
That the council consider putting up a light at the back of the houses from (details provided) to the end of that row in St Evin's Park, Monasterevin.



9. Motion – Councillor Patricia Ryan

That the council resurface the road at the small entrance into the Bull Ring in Gurteenooona, Monasterevin.

10. Motion – Councillor Tracey O’Dwyer

That the council implement the court recommendations (details provided) for the R413 New Abbey Road between Brannockstown and Kilcullen as a matter of urgency given the time of year and the imminent onset of icy roads.

11. Motion – Councillor Tracey O’Dwyer

That based on feedback from An Garda Síochána Kilcullen, the council investigate the necessity of putting in place a roundabout at Thompsons Cross, Kilcullen given the high volume of incidents which is on average a minimum of one accident per month but more importantly, the high impact of the accidents at this location.

12. Motion – Councillor Noel Heavey

That the council consider the installation of road lighting at the entrance to Clongorey and District Community Centre (Eircode W12TN25) on the Old Bog Road, Clongorey.

13. Motion – Councillor Kevin Duffy

That the council undertake a review to consider restricting Heavy Goods Vehicles (HGVs) and erect associated warning signage on Drogheda Street, Monasterevin to improve safety and traffic congestion in the vicinity of the three primary schools located there.

14. Motion – Councillor Kevin Duffy

That the council consider the installation of signage and road markings on Oghill Bridge, Oghill, Monasterevin under the low-cost accident scheme to warn drivers of the concealed entrance at the bridge and improve road safety.

15. Motion – Councillor Noel Heavey

That the council liaise with Irish Water or other relevant bodies to investigate continual, consistent deterioration over the years of 70m of road surface on the



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Barrettstown to Clongorey and District Community Centre (53.213035, -6.783769)
Newbridge, and thereafter remediate the aforementioned stretch of road.

16. Motion – Councillor Chris Pender

That the council engage with Bus Éireann to repair or replace damaged bus stops in the municipal district such as those on the Green Road, Newbridge.

17. Motion – Councillor Chris Pender

That the council investigate speed calming measures in the form of ramps for the Standhouse Rise, Standhouse Lawns and Fenview area, given its close proximity to a primary school.

18. Motion – Councillor Mark Stafford

That the council include sections of the road at Ballygaddy and Coolelan, Rathangan in the next surface dressing programme.

19. Motion – Councillor Suzanne Doyle

That this Municipal District Committee make a request to the National Transport Authority to have a bus stop installed close to Ruanbeg in Kildare Town.

20. Question – Councillor Peggy O'Dwyer

Can the council confirm who is responsible for the maintenance of the Bundle of Sticks Roundabout as it has ongoing problems with flooding?

21. Question – Councillor Patricia Ryan

Can the council give an update on the schedule of works to be carried out at the Nags Head junction, Monasterevin?

22. Question – Councillor Anne Connolly

Can the council confirm if it has any plans to put in place some traffic calming measures on Kildare Road, Rathangan?



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23. Question – Councillor Anne Connolly

Can the council confirm if it has any plans to erect speed limit signs at the entrance to Martinstown Lane, Martinstown?

24. Question – Councillor Tracey O'Dwyer

Can the council confirm if the 39 above ground car spaces at the Riverside Apartment Complex, Kilcullen are public or privately owned spaces and if the spaces are privately owned, can the council further confirm if there are any stipulations on the owners of this car park to ensure access is permitted indefinitely to the general public?

25. Question – Councillor Kevin Duffy

Can the council provide an update on the proposed timeframe to install the two disabled car parking bays outside St. Peter's National School, Monasterevin that was agreed at the July Municipal District Meeting?

26. Question – Councillor Kevin Duffy

Can the council provide a timeframe for the completion of the Monasterevin traffic and parking Bye-Laws?

27. Question – Councillor Noel Heavey

Can the council confirm when is it proposed to repair the significant dip (53.213428-6.784960) on the Old Bog Road from Barrettstown to the Clongorey and District Community Centre?

28. Question – Councillor Chris Pender

Can this Municipal District Committee be updated on the upgrade works to public lighting in relation to progress on the installation of new lighting in the municipal district and markings on the poles in order to facilitate proper and efficient reporting of faults?



29. Question – Councillor Fiona McLoughlin Healy

Can the council provide a progress report on the assessment and implementation of public lighting projects in the municipal district outlining; their current status on the Kildare Lighting Infrastructure Programme, where funding is likely to come from, and how many have been submitted for consideration in budget 2020?

30. Question – Councillor Mark Stafford

Can the council confirm how many payments for fixed charge penalty notices have been returned to members of the public in the Kildare-Newbridge Municipal District over the past 3 years on the basis that they have been submitted outside the statutory period for payment and how long does it take to process these returns?

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

31. Motion – Councillor Suzanne Doyle

That this Municipal District Committee request a report from HSE outlining GP service hours in towns throughout the municipal district with details of the number of GP services that are no longer accepting patients.

32. Motion – Councillor Fiona McLoughlin Healy

That the council write to the Chief Superintendent on behalf of the municipal district members asking for consideration of a dedicated Community Policing Unit and a dedicated Drugs Unit for Newbridge given the current restructuring of An Garda Síochána divisions and the opportunity this offers.

33. Question – Councillor Patricia Ryan

Can the council give an update on how much has been spent in this municipal district on HAP payments in the last 2 years, particularly in Monasterevin, as it is not a rent pressure zone?



34. Question – Councillor Peggy O’Dwyer

Can the council advise if it has any plans to turn the Newbridge Town Hall and the library at Riverbank purple on 03 December to celebrate International Disability Day?

35. Question – Councillor Suzanne Doyle

Can this Municipal District Committee have a progress report on the vacant unit (details provided) in Suncroft?

36. Question – Councillor Mark Stafford

Can the council advise how many inspections were carried out on private rented dwellings in the Kildare-Newbridge Municipal District in the last year and how many improvement and prohibition notices were issued during that time?

**Pleanáil agus Forbairt Straitéiseach
Planning and Strategic Development (12:00 p.m.)**

37. Question – Councillor Suzanne Doyle

Can this Municipal District Committee have a report on the number of multiples (retail) granted planning permission in this municipal district in the past 3 years with details on how many have been conditioned to deliver bring centres to support the recycling of reusable materials and where such a condition has not been applied, the reason why?

**Comhshaol agus Seirbhísí Uisce
Environment and Water Services (12:05 p.m.)**

38. Motion – Councillor Anne Connolly

That the council ask Irish Water to carry out a full examination of the Waste Water Treatment Plant in Rathangan.



Forbairt Gheilleagrach, Pobail agus Cultúrtha
Economic, Community and Cultural Development (12:10 p.m.)

39. Adjourned Motion – Councillor Suzanne Doyle

That an incentive scheme to increase the level of visitor bed space accommodation be developed in this municipal district in the interest of addressing deficits in this field and focusing on the conversion of vacant commercial space within relevant towns for this purpose. This scheme might examine the feasibility of developing a co-operative model for management and quality control of same.

40. Motion – Councillor Fiona McLoughlin Healy

That the council provide a progress report and clarify its role in relation to ongoing noxious weeds issue on the Old Magee Barracks site which is continuing to infringe on residential property in the area causing harm to residents and their property.

41. Motion – Councillor Mark Stafford

That the council furnish a report on why the Cherry Avenue project in Kildare Town has failed to secure funding under the Town and Village Renewal Scheme for the second successive occasion and identify what alternative sources of funding can be procured and indicate when works are due to commence.

42. Question – Councillor Fiona McLoughlin Healy

Can the council provide a detailed progress report and schedule for engagement with residents and business owners in and around Athgarvan following the award of funding from the Town and Village Renewal Scheme in Oct 2018 and the subsequent engagement of a Health Check consultant in August 2018?