

Áras Chill Dara
Páirc Devoy
An Nás
Co. Chill Dara

06 July 2020

To the Mayor and each member of the Kildare-Newbridge Municipal District

A Bhaill Uile,

Tionólfar an chéad cruinniú eile Cheantar Bardasach Chill Dara-Droichead Nua ar 10.30 maidin Dé Céadaoin, an 15ú Iúil 2020, 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 10.30 a.m. on Wednesday, 15 July 2020 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 (10:30 a.m.)

- To approve the minutes of the monthly Kildare-Newbridge Municipal District meeting held on Wednesday, 17 June 2020 and to note the progress report.
- 2. To receive an update on the municipal district road works.
- To consider the upgrade of Academy Street, Kildare Town in accordance with National Transport Authority (Covid-19) Guidelines (drawing to be circulated at meeting).
- 4. To discuss the Capital Programme 2021-2023 (report attached).
- **5.** To note the Finance Committee Annual Report (report attached).
- To finalise the allocation of the Kildare-Newbridge Municipal District unallocated LPT funding and other community projects LPT funding.

Bóithre, Iompar agus Sábháilteacht Poiblí Roads, Transportation and Public Safety (10:50 a.m.)

Building and Development Control:

7. Motion – Councillor Kevin Duffy

That the council prioritise the taking in-charge of Ros Glas Estate, Monasterevin as part of its 2020 program.



Roads:

8. Adjourned Motion – Councillor Peggy O'Dwyer

That the council consider a pedestrian crossing between Lakeside Park and Allenview Height's on the Morristown Road.

9. Motion – Councillor Tracey O'Dwyer

That the council prepare a Low-Cost Safety Improvement Scheme for Thompson's Cross, Kilcullen and commence discussions with An Garda Síochána Kilcullen to be in a position to access 2021 Government Funding for Low Cost Safety Improvement Schemes.

10. Motion - Councillor Peggy O'Dwyer

That the council trim back the foliage on the Railway Station Bridge, Newbridge.

11. Motion – Councillor Kevin Duffy

That the council install a footpath drop-kerb at Woodview Estate and the junction along Kill Hill (R417) Monasterevin to improve accessibility.

12. Motion – Councillor Mark Stafford

That the council review the sightlines and the functioning of the junction at Lackagh Cross, Lackagh.

13. Motion – Councillor Noel Connolly

That the council provide a park and ride facility on a bus route near the N7 within the Kildare-Newbridge Municipal District.

14. Motion - Councillor Noel Connolly

That the council close the gap between numbers 14 and 15 Oakland Grove, Kildare and following consultation with the residents, provide a meaningful purpose for the land between the two homes to prevent anti-social behaviour.



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15. Motion – Councillor Chris Pender

That the council install a pedestrian crossing at the rear entrance to Liffey Linear Park in order to encourage people to cross safely into the park.

16. Motion – Councillor Fiona McLoughlin Healy

That the council address safety issues along Tankardsgarden including the reduction of the speed limit to 50km an hour and to cut overhanging tree branches that are impacting on space available for vehicles and hindering the sight lines of drivers of vehicles on this route.

17. Question - Councillor Tracey O'Dwyer

Can the council confirm if they have plans to carry out a cycleway feasibility study in the environs of Kilcullen Community Centre to be shovel ready for any new sources of funding that may come on stream?

18. Question - Councillor Suzanne Doyle

Can the council provide a report on what means are proposed to remedy the issue of the unauthorized closure of the public road, L812, at Kildoon, Kildare?

19. Question - Councillor Mark Stafford

Can the council furnish a progress report on the proposals to construct a footpath from Cluain Alain to Newtown Cross, Kildare Town?

20. Question - Councillor Fiona McLoughlin Healy

Can the council provide a list detailing where all the cycling and pedestrian infrastructure projects proposed in the last 5 years for this municipal district sit on the councils Technical Assessment Advisory Group list, clarifying dates added to the list, date of assessment, priority on the list and whether those cycle related projects have yet been migrated to the new cycle infrastructure specific assessment list requested and agreed to previously at full council?



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

21. Question - Councillor Peggy O'Dwyer

Can the council provide a date from which Newbridge Town Hall will be available for bookings?

22. Question – Councillor Noel Connolly

Can the council confirm what is the target completion date for the infill housing development in St. Evin's Park, Monasterevin; and can the members be provided with further details on the development?

23. Question - Councillor Chris Pender

Can the council confirm what the timeline is for Newbridge Town Hall and other community halls in this municipal district, to be open for public bookings?

Airgeadas agus CF Finance and IS (11:50 a.m.)

24. Question - Councillor Robert Power

Can the council clarify the amount of levies raised from the construction of the Lidl distribution centre which are to be assigned to Recreation and Amenity projects and whether this funding has been assigned to a specific project as yet?

25. Question - Councillor Chris Pender

Can the council confirm how many Restarts Grants have been applied for in this municipal district and how many have been allocated and drawn down to date?



Pleanáil agus Forbairt Straitéiseach Planning and Strategic Development (11:55 a.m.)

26. Motion - Councillor Mark Stafford

That the council devise canopy and awning design guidelines to assist businesses in the Kildare-Newbridge Municipal District who may wish to apply for planning permission to erect same in order to provide shelter for customers queuing or in conjunction with a Section 254 licence application.

27. Question - Councillor Mark Stafford

Can the council advise of the number of endangerment and/or restoration notices served in respect of protected structures within the past three years in the Kildare-Newbridge Municipal District and the outcome of same?

28. Question – Councillor Fiona McLoughlin Healy

Can the council provide an update on the Public Realm plans for Market Square Kilcullen to include the design drawings previously requested and the possibility of providing additional parking spaces as part of ongoing development and planning applications in the area?

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

29. Question - Councillor Noel Connolly

Can the council confirm what progress is being made in the investigation into the filling in of the hollow next to Donnelly's Hollow on the Curragh?



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

30. Motion – Councillor Tracey O'Dwyer

That the council, with support from the Kildare-Newbridge Municipal District LPT funding, facilitate a resilience, restart grant for local sports clubs and organisations as we need to do all we can to ensure sporting activities can resume as soon as is safe to do so for the well-being and mental health of our constituents.

31. Motion – Councillor Noel Heavey

That in light of the social pressures on its young people, the council supports the provision of a Youth Centre/Hub in Newbridge.

32. Motion - Councillor Chris Pender

That the council investigate and implement an alternative access to the park at the corner of Ryston, Newbridge in order to give children a safe, alternative cycling and walking route through the park to school.

33. Motion – Councillor Fiona McLoughlin Healy

That the council provide a list of all the funding routes both local and national of which it is aware, the criteria and amounts available or that can be applied for currently or in the near future by sports clubs in the district, to include Council Community Grants, Capital Funding, Kildare Sports Partnership, Leader Funding, Outdoor Recreation Fund, etc.

34. Joint Question – Councillors Peggy O'Dwyer and Tracey O'Dwyer

Can the council confirm if they are in a position to commence the process of identifying a site for a new playground in Newbridge?



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35. Question - Councillor Kevin Duffy

Can the council confirm if it has any plans to develop lands/derelict buildings under its ownership [Folio 44305F – refer to the attached folio] at the Cross Keys, Kildangan and if they do, to outline the proposal or if they do not, are they willing to work with the Kildangan community to develop potential uses?

36. Question - Councillor Noel Heavey

Can the council provide information on a Youth Officer for the county and outline other ways it can provide support for the provision and running of a Youth Centre/Hub in Newbridge?